

# Organising your references using EndNote

**Never Stand Still** 

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- These references can be linked to your word processing documents to instantly create in-text citations and bibliographies in your chosen referencing style.
- EndNote software is available as a free download from IT Services for UNSW students.



## The key skills are the ones in red!

- SEARCH ONLINE RESOURCES FROM WITHIN ENDNOTE
- IMPORT PDFs
- FIND FULL TEXT IN ONE CLICK
- AUTOMATICALLY UPDATE RECORDS
- SEARCH YOUR ENTIRE LIBRARY

#### STORE IT

- VIEW AND ANNOTATE PDFS
- ORGANIZE YOUR REFERENCES
- STORE ALL YOUR FILES IN ONE PLACE

#### **CREATE IT**

- CREATE AND FORMAT BIBLIOGRAPHIES
- CREATE & MODIFIY CVs

#### SHARE IT

SHARE YOUR RESEARCH



## By mastering the following.....

- 1. Uploading references
- 2. Searching for references (using Endnote)
- 3. Manually entering a reference
- 4. Downloading references into documents
- 5. Updating the output style/manually correcting the style

You will save a lot of time, heartache and maybe also money!!



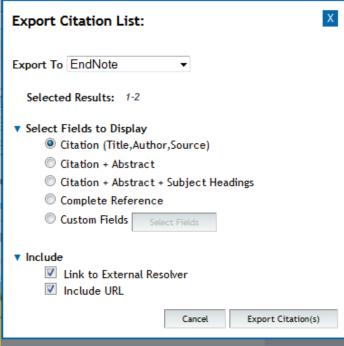
## Uploading references

- References can be imported directly from the journal, or from a database Medline, Pubmed, Embase etc.
- You can import 1 or 500+ references at one time
- You may want to consider importing references that you think are useful, even if you don't use them straightaway. May save you time in the future

http://primoa.library.unsw.edu.au/primo library/libweb/action/search.do?vid=UNSWS&openFdb=true

Instructions for exporting from Medline

- 1. Have the endnote library open prior to running your search in medline
- 1. Once you have located the references you want,
- 2. Hit the export button
- 3. Usually I export citation plus abstract
- 4. Hit the export citation button- it will automatically link to endnote



## Manually entering a reference

Once a library is open, you can add a new reference to it:

- 1. From the references menu, select new reference to display an empty reference window (use Ctrl N)
- The default option will be journal paper- you can select other options
- 3. Depending on what option you select, different fields will appear in the window

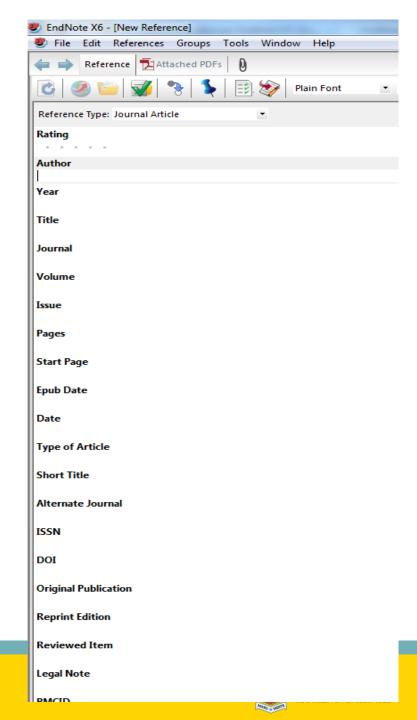
For a journal paper- generally you only need to add

- Author (new line for each author, surname 1st)
- 2. Year
- 3. Title
- 4. Journal paper
- Volume
- 6. Pages

For books/conferences/websites/reports

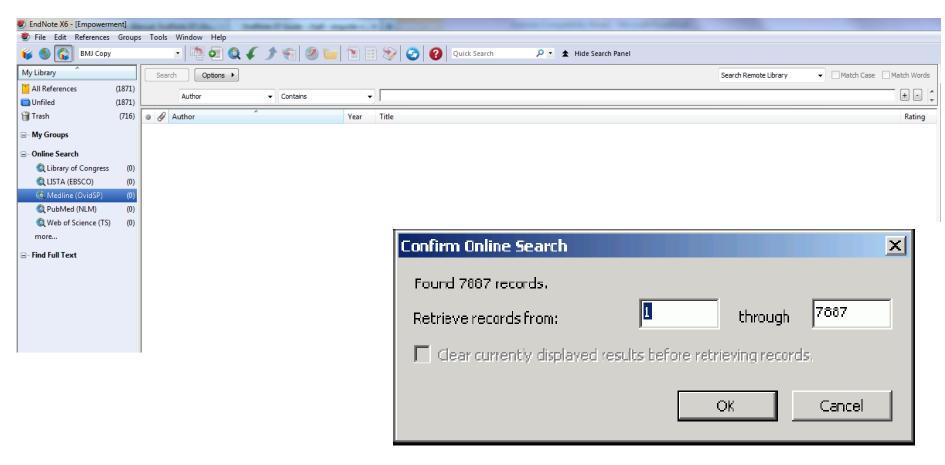
1. Need additional info like URL, publisher, city, title of book etc, organisation,

Once you close the window- it will automatically save



## Searching for references (using Endnote)

#### Using the Online Search Mode

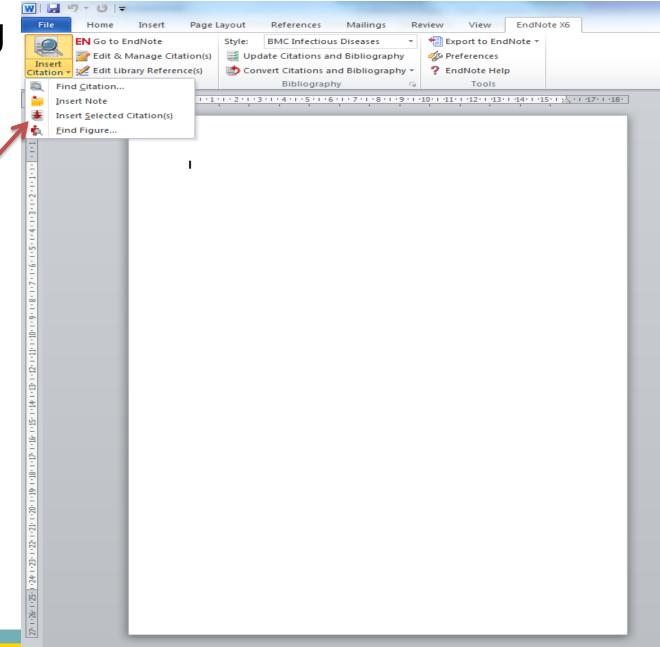




## Downloading references

This function is available in endnote and also within the endnote tab of your word doc.

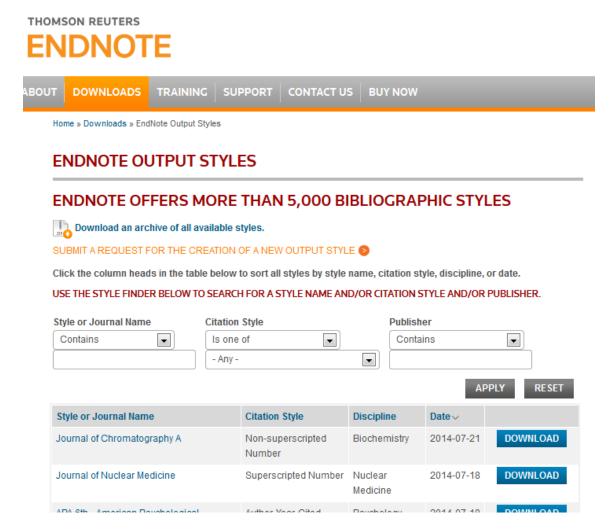
I find it easier to insert the references when I have the word doc open.



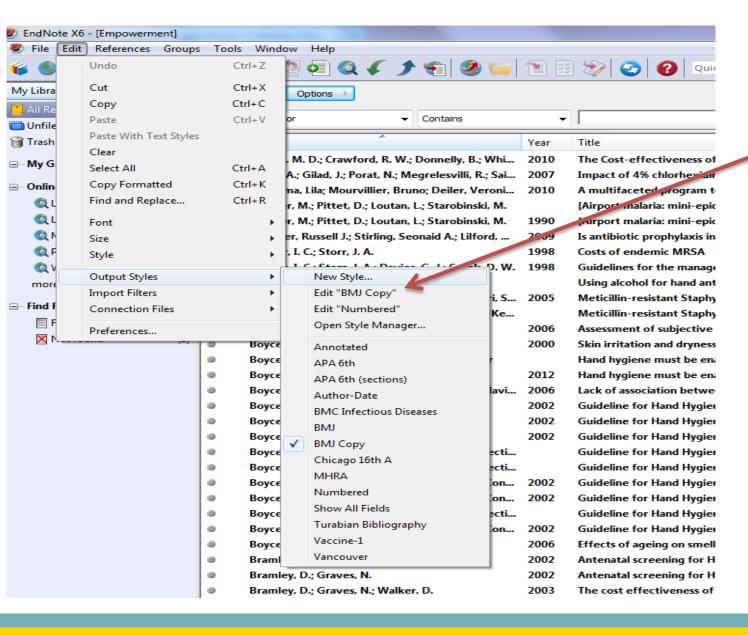


## Updating the style

- Each journal has a different approach to how they want the references formatted in-text (i.e. surnames, numbers, roman numerals)
- They are also very particular about how they reference list will look (i.e. bold, italics, underlined, all author lists, only the 1st five authors listed etc etc)

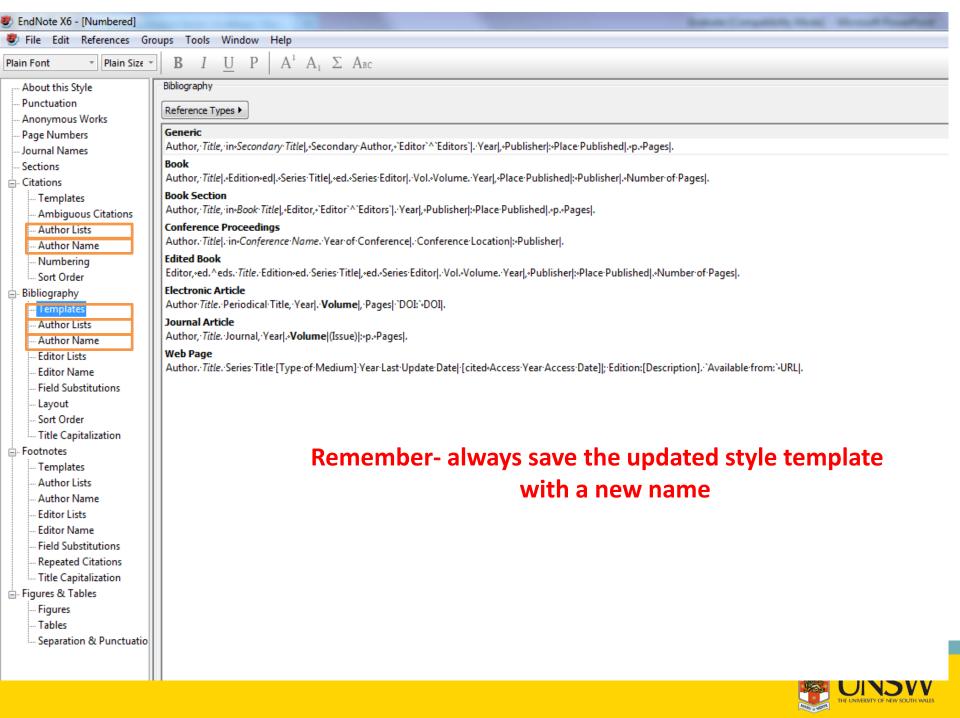






You will most likely only need to update not create a new style





## Remember

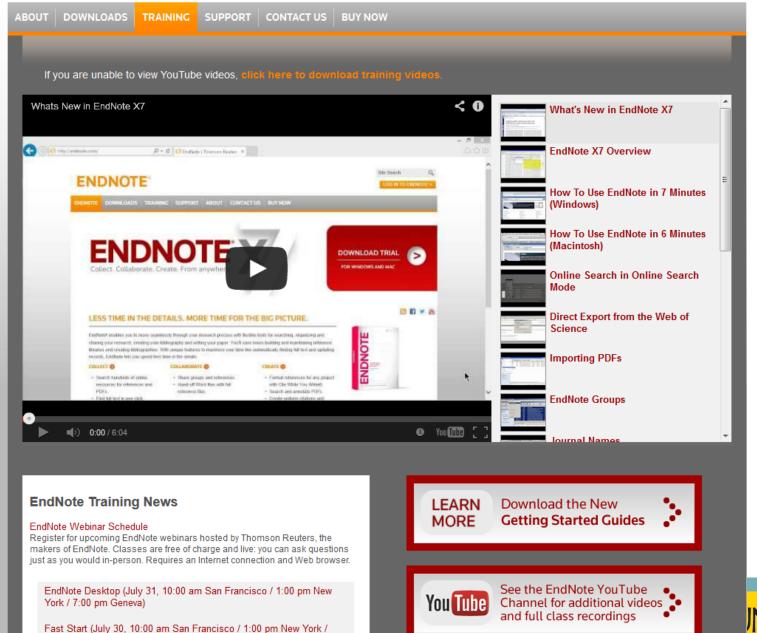
- There is no need to create a new library for each journal paper/report. Library's can be used across multiple documents.
- The system can cope with >5000 references per library
- I would not upload too many PDFs in the library- the program has been know to corrupt
- When you save an endnote file- it saves
  - > The endnote file
  - ➤ The library
  - If you want to t/f your file to someone else- you need to keep the two files together.
- If you cut/paste text from one doc to another (which contains in-text ref's- don't accept the auto formatting update



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