Quick Anthropological Style Guide Comparison
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As a quick overview for students in my classes, the charts and examples below provide a comparison of major differences between three major styles relevant to anthropological writing, as well as the Turabian variant of Chicago Style, used commonly for historical writing. The full style guides are available online at the URLs below (as of Spring 2014) or in the indicated book:


SHA (Society for Historical Archaeology): http://www.sha.org/publications/for_authors.cfm


The chart below is a quick reference for some of the most notable points of difference between the various styles.

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Important Note on Footnotes in Turabian Style
In contrast to all anthropological citation styles, footnotes referencing the same source in Turabian differ depending on where they appear in the paper, and where they appear on each page. The first citation of any source in the paper should be complete, including all information needed. The second and subsequent citations of the same source should use an abbreviated format (author last name, abbreviated title if other works by same author are also cited in the paper, page numbers), except where the same source is cited again directly below a previous footnote on the same page, in which case the term “Ibid.” (short for Latin ibidem) is used alone if citing the same page number as above, or with different page number following a comma if not.

First citation:

All subsequent citations on different page or after a different citation:
2. Worth, Timucuan Chiefdoms, 60.

Any citation immediately following one of the citations above, for the same page:
3. Ibid.

Any citation immediately following one of the citations above, for a different page:
4. Ibid., 61.

Comparative Templates and Examples
The templates and examples provided on the following pages compare different bibliography and citation formats for the same four sources: (1) a single-author book, (2) a journal article, (3) a chapter in an edited volume, and (4) the edited volume itself. As a general rule, details of the formats shown in these examples can be extrapolated to other types of sources with appropriate adjustments.
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