General Instructions for Authors

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References (Citations)

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Author, ‘Title of article’, in Editor’s name (Ed.), *Title Volume*, Place of publication, Publisher, Year, Page.


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Author, ‘Title of article’, *Paper*, Date, Page.


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J. Smith, *German Reunification* (LLM theses on file at the EUI, Florence).

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A. EU Court of Justice
First quote: full name of the parties, short form in brackets, ECLI (if available).


Subsequent quotes:

Example: Case 43/75, Defrenne II, in particular Rec. 14 of the judgment.

B. ECHR

C. Other International Courts/Tribunals
Examples: UNCIO XV, 335; amendments by General Assembly Resolution in UNTS 557, 143/638, 308/892, 119.
GA Res. 42/133, 4 December 1986.
SC Res. 181, 7 August 1963.

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