Managing References in the Scientific Article

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Abstract

References is one of the main parts in a scientific article. It is a must to manage it well. Some of the writers manage their references manually. This paper tries to describe how to manage the references by applying the *References* tool and applying the free software, *Mendeley*. The tools can help the writers in managing their references automatically in their articles and it will help the writers in avoiding the typing mistakes. This paper tries to figure out the advantages by applying References tool and Mendeley and how to manage the references in the scientific articles.

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Introduction

In writing scientific articles, references is a must. By referring to the appropriate references, the paper could be considered as the scientific one or not. Since references is one of the main parts of the scientific articles, the writer must be careful in choosing the books or journal articles as the reference and manage them into References.

According to (Anderson & Poole, 1998), references is "A bibliography for a written assignment is an alphabetic list of all source material to which reference has been made". The followings are the essential information required for all references:

- 1. author's surname and initials and year of publication
- 2. the name of the article and/ or journal or book