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#### **Academic Journal Article**

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Musgrave, Gerald L. "Taxing Ourselves: A Citizen's Guide to the Debate over Taxes, 4th ed." *Business Economics* 43.2 (April 2008): 78(2). Print.

## Article or eBook from an Online Subscription Database

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Tyre, Peg. "Standardized Tests in College?" Newsweek. Newsweek, 16 Nov. 2007. Web. 14 Aug. 2009.

### An On-line Image, Video or Sound (See MLA7: 5.6.2d for additional information.)

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Max, Ernst. The Hat Makes the Man. 1920. Drawing. MoMA. Web. 14 Aug. 2009.

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