Chapter 15 General Introduction to Citations

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1. To give credit
2. To assure the validity of facts
3. To contextualize your research
4. To help readers follow or extend your research

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