

Evaluating Websites Assignment

Librarian: _____

Due Date: _____

Professor: _____

Website URL: _____

Please answer ALL of the question on this list. For this assignment, you may not work in groups or share answers.

As you explore the website, answer all of the following questions in complete sentences.

Accuracy :

1. Who wrote the page and how can you contact the author?
2. How is this person qualified to write this document?

Authority:

3. What institution publishes and maintains this website?
4. Is the publisher making a profit off this site and how can you tell?
5. Is there a history of the organization/company, or a mission statement? If so, summarize.

Objectivity:

6. What are the stated goals of this page and are they met?
7. Why was this page written and for whom?

Currency:

8. When was the site produced and when was it last updated?
9. Are there any links that are broken or do not work?

Your Conclusion:

10. Would this page would be an appropriate source for a research project? Briefly, explain why or why not.

Feedback:

Are there any points from this lesson that are still unclear?

What did you learn from this lesson?