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#### Internet sources:

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> James Kennedy: Liberal Nationalisms: Empire, State and Civil Society in Scotland and Quebec, Montreal & Kingston 2013, p. 9.

Otto Bauer: Die Nationalitätenfrage und die Sozialdemokratie, Wien 1907, republished by Marxist Internet Archive, at:

http://www.marxists.org/deutsch/archiv/bauer/1907/nationalitaet/index.html (accessed on 24 June 2013).

The Melbourne Anarchist Club: Aims & Principles (Ratified at the MAC Annual General Meeting, 28 October 2007), at: http://mac.anarchobase.com/about/ (accessed on 25 June 2013).

# Monograph:

Benedict Anderson: Imagined Communities: Reflections on the Spread and Origin of Nationalism, 2<sup>nd</sup> ed., London 1991.

# Book chapter in monograph:

David Harvey: The Right to the City, in: David Harvey: Rebel Cities: From the Right to the City to the Urban Revolution, London 2012, ch. 1.

## Book with more than one author or editor:

Stefan Berger/Angel Smith (eds.): Nationalism, Labour and Ethnicity, 1870-1939, Manchester 1999.

## Book chapter in edited volume:

Jie-Hyun Lim: Labour and the national question in Poland, in: Stefan Berger/Angel Smith (eds.), Nationalism, labour and ethnicity, *1870-1939*, Manchester 1999, pp. 121-144.

## Journal article:

Frank Bongiorno: "Real Solemn History" and its Discontents: Australian Political History and the Challenge of Social History, in: Australian Journal of Politics & History 56:1 (2010), pp. 6-20.

Please mention volume and issue number if available (...Australian Journal of Politics & History 56:1...).

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Westfälischer Kämpfer: 10 Jahre Kommunistischer Jugendverband Deutschland, 1 April 1926.

#### *If author is stated:*

Gerd Höhler: Die Frau in Rot, in: Westdeutsche Allgemeine Zeitung (WAZ), 8 June 2013.

## If online:

Aida Eedemarian: Noam Chomsky: 'No individual changes anything alone', in: The Guardian, 22 March 2013, at: http://www.guardian.co.uk/world/2013/mar/22/noam-chomsky-no-individual-changes-anything-alone (accessed on 25 June 2013).

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