MLA Annotated Bibliography Examples

Cook, Sybilla. Instruction Design. New York: Garland, 1986.

This book provides an annotated bibliography of sources concerning instructional patterns for research libraries. Written for an academic audience, the author provides information on how such a bibliography can be used. Although it does not provide information on how to compile an annotated bibliography, the book proves a good source for examples.

Harmon, Robert. "Elements of Bibliography." American Scholar 65 (1989): 24-36.

Although this article from a scholarly journal does not focus on annotated bibliographies, the author does a superior job of indicating the reason and process of general bibliography. Harmon writes this text for librarians who must focus on detailing books. The bibliography for this text is annotated and provides a good source of examples.

Mitchell, Jason. "PMLA Letter." 1991. 23 May 1996.

Mitchell protests the "pretentious gibberish" of modern literary critics in his letter to PMLA. He argues that "Eurojive" is often produced by English professors to show that their status is equal to that of math and science faculty. His sense of humor makes this letter a great read.