

Managing anonymous work with biblatex

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1 Introduction

In some scholar fields, like history or philology, we have to work with anonymous work. This package provides facility to manage them with biblatex, with citation and bibliography style of the verbose family.

2 What does the package do?

This package does those things for @book, @bookinbook, @bookinarticle, @bookinincollection, @mvbook, @inbook:

1. Changing label name to author only, never editor.
2. For French, changing “dir.” by “éd.”.
3. Printing only the author name before the title, and never the editor, even if the book is anonymous.

3 Using the package

3.1 Loading

You must load the package after biblatex package:

```
\usepackage[...]{biblatex}  
\usepackage{biblatex-anonymous}
```

3.2 Sorting scheme

With this package, all anonymous works are printed before the works with author. The anonymous sorting scheme is kept only for backward compatibility.

3.3 Making exceptions

If you want to use the editor or translator for a entry concerned by this package (e.g. @book, @bookinbook etc.), you can use the useeditor=true or usetranslator=true option in the options field. However, in many case, such entry should be a @proceedings or @collection.

4 Credits

This package was created for Maïeul Rouquette’s phd dissertation¹ in 2014. It is licensed on the *LaTeX Project Public License*².

Its code was explained before (in French) on Maïeul Rouquette website³.

All issues can be submitted, in French or English, in the GitHub issues page⁴.

5 Change history

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Use less complex code, and more “biblatex friendly” code to suppress editor and translator.

Suppress anonymous sorting, kept only for backward compatibility.

Compatibility with @bookinincollection type.

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First public release.

¹<http://apocryphes.hypothese.org>.

²<http://latex-project.org/lppl/lppl-1-3c.html>.

³<http://geekographie.maieul.net/Gestion-des-sources-anonymes-avec>;<http://geekographie.maieul.net/Tri-des-oeuvres-anonymes>.

⁴<https://github.com/maieul/biblatex-multiple-anonymous/issues>.