

# 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. Providing a sorting scheme to put all anonymous work at the begining of a bibliography. This sorting scheme is derived from nyt scheme.
3. For French, changing “dir.” by “éd.”.
4. 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 with anonymous scheme

If you want your bibliographies to have all anonymous works at the begining, you can pass option `sorting=anonymous`:

- To biblatex package, to apply it to all bibliographies.
- To `\printbibliography` command, to apply it to a single bibliography.

### 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 dissertation<sup>1</sup> in 2014. It is licensed on the *TeX Project Public License*<sup>2</sup>.

Its code was explained before (in French) on Maïeul Rouquette website<sup>3</sup>.

All issues can be submitted, in French or English, in the GitHub issues page<sup>4</sup>.

## 5 Change history

### 2.1.0 2014-10-30

Coming back, and improve, the anonymous sorting scheme.

### 2.0.0 2014-10-27

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

Compatibility with `@bookinincollection` type.

### 1.0.0 2014-07-23

First public release.

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<sup>1</sup><http://apocryphes.hypotheses.org>.

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

<sup>3</sup><http://geekographie.maieul.net/Gestions-des-oeuvres-anonymes>.

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