

ijusra – bib_{La}T_EX-style of the journal *International Journal of Student Research in Archaeology**

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Abstract

Bibliographical style called *ijusra* which is done for the journal *International Journal of Student Research in Archaeology* (IJSRA).

1 Usage

ijusra The name of the bib_{La}T_EX-style is *ijusra* has to be activated in the preamble.

```
1 \usepackage[style=ijusra,%  
2   <further options>]{biblatex}  
3 \bibliography{<bib-file.bib>}
```

At the end of your document you can write the command `\printbibliography` to print the bibliography. Further information are found below (section 3). The documentation uses the dummy bibliography file `biblatex-ijusra-test.bib`.

2 Overview

`\cite` As always citing is done with `\cite`:

```
1 \cite[<prenote>][<postnote>]{<bibtex-key>}
```

`<prenote>` sets a short preliminary note (e. g. “e. g.”) and `<postnote>` is usually used for page numbers. If only one optional argument is used then it is `[<postnote>]`.

```
1 \cite[<postnote>]{<bibtex-key>}
```

The `<bibtex-key>` corresponds to the key from the bibliography file.

`\cites` If one wants to cite several authors or works a very convenient way is the following using the `\cites`-command:

*The development of the code is done at <https://codeberg.org/lukascbossert/biblatex-ijrsa>.

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```

1 \cites (pre - prenote) (post - postnote) [{(prenote)][(postnote)]{<bibtex-key>}%
2                                     [(prenote)][(postnote)]{<bibtex-key>}%
3                                     [(prenote)][(postnote)]{<bibtex-key>}...

```

`\parencite` Sometimes a citation has to be put in parentheses. Therefore we implemented the command `\parencite`:

```

1 \parencite [(postnote)]{<bibtex-key>}

```

This cite command takes care of the correct corresponding parentheses and brackets. Especially in @Inreference citations the parentheses are changing to (square) brackets.

`\parencites` Of course there is also the possibility to cite several authors/works in parentheses. This is done with `\parencites`:

```

1 \parencites (pre - prenote) (post - postnote) [(prenote)][(postnote)]{<bibtex-key>}%
2                                     [(prenote)][(postnote)]{<bibtex-key>}%
3                                     [(prenote)][(postnote)]{<bibtex-key>}...

```

`\textcite` Beside the listed `\cite` commands above there is a third way of citing: `\textcite` is useful if the author should be mentioned in the text and the remaining components such as year and page will immediately follow in parentheses.

```

1 \textcite [(postnote)]{<bibtex-key>}

```

`\textcites` And again there is also a `\textcites` in case of several authors:

```

1 \textcites (pre - prenote) (post - postnote) [(prenote)][(postnote)]{<bibtex-key>}%
2                                     [(prenote)][(postnote)]{<bibtex-key>}%
3                                     [(prenote)][(postnote)]{<bibtex-key>}...

```

`\citeauthor` Furthermore and additionally to the ›normal‹ `\cite`-commands one can also cite only the author or the work title in the text and in the footnotes.

```

1 \citeauthor [(prenote)][(postnote)]{<bibtex-key>}

```

and for the works

```

1 \citetitle [(prenote)][(postnote)]{<bibtex-key>}

```

3 Bibliography

`\printbibliography` But first we define the heading of the whole bibliography:

```

1 \printbibheading [%
2     heading=bibliography,%
3     %heading=bibnumbered,% if you want it numbered
4     title={Bibliography}] %heading for bibliography

```

You can give any title you would like to give (title = {<any title>}).

Finally the bibliography:

```
1 \printbibliography [%  
2     heading=subbibliography ,  
3     %heading=subbibnumbered,% if you want it numbered  
4     title={Secondary literature}]
```

3.1 Dummy Style Test

The following citations use the dummy bibliography file `biblatex-ijrsra-test.bib` to exercise the citation and bibliography style:

Doe, 2024:12; (Public, 2023:45); Roe (2022:103); Muster, 2021:9; Lookup, 2019:77; Example; *Objects in Context*.

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