Ren'Py Universal Player (Ren'Py UOST-Player) Install Guide

To install Ren'Py UOST-Player, you will need the following.

- 1. A new Ren'Py project
 - a. You can also place the added code in <u>screens.rpy</u> and add the <u>images</u> and <u>python-packages</u> folder to your projects' *game* folder.
- 2. The recent version of Ren'Py UOST-Player from the <u>RenPy-Universal-Player</u> Github repository.

Installation Steps

- 1. Drop all the contents in this ZIP file to your projects' game folder.
- 2. Open options.rpy and add this line after line **160** under the *init python:* block.
 - a. build.classify("game/RPASongMetadata.json", "all")
- 3. **(Optional)** Add some music to the <u>track</u> folder.
- 4. Run your project and enter the Music Room!

What can I customize in Ren'Py UOST-Player?

Pretty much anything. This is based off the auto-generated Ren'Py template so everything is good for you to use as-is.

• If you plan to change the <u>track</u> folder name to something else, do let people know about this change if they want to add tracks to your game with your projects' music files.

How do I manually define a song?

<u>manualtracks.rpy</u> has a small template to define songs manually if you need to do so. You have the following options to define these tracks.

- name | Name of Track
- full name | Full Name of Track
- path | Path to the file from the game folder
- priority | Priortization of track on the list.
- author | Artist
- description | Track description, comments, etc
- cover art | Path to the track's cover art (JPG/PNG Only)

How do I priortize a song or make a song the first one?

Set *organizePriority* to <u>True</u> and set the song priority by a value. 0 is the highest priority you can make a song be while 1, 2, etc. will be prioritzed lower in the list. i.e. 0 > 1 > 2 > ...

How do I organize the list alphabetically?

Turn on the A-Z Priority in the music player or default it on by setting *organizeAZ* to <u>True</u> in ost.py.

Can the organizations work together?

Yes.

Why is there files in the <u>python-packages</u> folder?

These handles handle the functions of the music room player and the metadata of songs sideloaded or those that have metadata in the game.

ost.py - Music Room Code

<u>tinytag.py</u> - Track Metadata Code

How do I add metadata info?

Right-click your song, Select <u>Properties</u>, go to <u>Details</u>, and fill the blank boxes you can.

Alternatively, use MusicBee or a similar music player, or MusicBrainz Picard and find your song.

- For MusicBee: Right-Click your song within the player, select <u>Edit</u> and edit away the info you want, then click <u>Apply</u> then <u>OK</u>.
- For MusicBrainz Picard: Add your song to Picard, select it, right-click the rectangle box that has 3 columns, select <u>Add New Tag</u>, select the tags you want to add like <u>Title</u>, <u>Artist</u>, <u>Comment</u>, <u>Album</u>, etc. There should be a blank box in the box area below, double-click it and edit away the info you want to add, then click <u>Save</u> and press the <u>Save</u> button near <u>Info</u>.

Why did you do this?

I wanted to expand the original project I made with **DDLC-OSTPlayer** to everyone else in Ren'Py. Originally made to see RWBY songs play within the Ren'Py engine. *Yang :P*

Credits

- Nikso Original Pre-DDLC-OSTPlayer Code
- Sam Kujo#9403 Original Pre-DDLC-OSTPlayer Design
- RyzekNoavek#0624 Adjustable Play Bar Code
- khaase (Pixabay) Refresh Icon
- eugenialcala (Pixabay) Replay Icon
- raphaelsilva (Pixabay) Shuffle Icon
- Josy Dom Alexis (Pixabay) Volume Icon
- Weiss Schnee Support (Weiss :D)

Priority and A-Z Buttons are made by the developer themselves.

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