

md2pdf

A small script to convert markdown to pdf using pandoc with custom settings

Dependencies

Arch based Distributions

```
sudo pacman -S pandoc ttf-dejavu texlive-core
```

Debian based Distributions

```
sudo apt install pandoc fonts-dejavu texlive-xetex
```

Other

You can probably figure it out yourself, based on the two commands above

Manual Installation

1. Download the md2pdf file:
`wget https://raw.githubusercontent.com/RubixDev/md2pdf/main/md2pdf.sh`
2. Replace 'YOUR NAME HERE' at the top with your actual name. This will appear in the header of the exported PDFs:
`sed -i 's/YOUR NAME HERE/<name>/g' md2pdf.sh`
3. Rename it to md2pdf without .sh:
`mv md2pdf.sh md2pdf`
4. Make the file executable:
`chmod +x md2pdf`
5. Move the file to /usr/local/bin
`sudo mv md2pdf /usr/local/bin/`

Automatic Installation

Alternatively, you can also use the automatic install script, which asks for your name (which will appear in the header of the PDFs) and places the file in /usr/local/bin, which should be in your PATH.

For fish users:

```
wget https://raw.githubusercontent.com/RubixDev/md2pdf/main/install.sh
bash install.sh
rm install.sh
```

For the rest:

```
bash "$(curl -fsSL https://raw.githubusercontent.com/RubixDev/md2pdf/main/install.sh)"
or
bash "$(wget -O- https://raw.githubusercontent.com/RubixDev/md2pdf/main/install.sh)"
```

Usage

```
md2pdf <input file> <output file> \
-l|--left-head [header left text] \
-c|--center-head [header center text] \
-r|--right-head [header right text] \
-n|--name-location [left|center|right]
```

Examples

md2pdf README.md README.pdf

YOUR NAME HERE

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Installation

md2pdf README.md README.pdf -l " "

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Installation

md2pdf README.md README.pdf -l 29.08.2021 -n right

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Installation

md2pdf README.md README.pdf \
--center-head "Text with spaces" \
--right-head 29.08.2021 \
--name-location left

YOUR NAME HERE

Text with spaces

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