# The apatitlepage package

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### **Abstract**

This package provides a title page based on the APA journal style of the apa6 document class. This allows an APA formatted title page to be used in another document class.

# 1 Introduction

This package arose out of a question asked on the StackExchange website: Manually create APA journal cover page The question asked how easy it would be convert use class title page functionality in another document. This package is the result of that discussion.

# 2 Package use

To use the package just load it like any other package:

\usepackage{apatitlepage}

#### 2.1 New commands

The package renames some of the apa6 commands to avoid name clashes and adds three formatting hooks for the title, authors and affiliations in case those need to be changed.

All other commands for entering authors and affiliations are identical to those described in the apa6 class. Please consult its documentation for details.

Command	Explantion
	replaces
	<pre>replaces </pre>
\APAshorttitle	replaces \shorttitle
\APAmaketitle	replaces \maketitle
	replaces \abstract
	replaces \keywords
	replaces \authornote
	replaces \note
$\APAtitleformat$	defaults to \LARGE
	use \renewcommand to define as needed
$\APAauthorformat$	defaults to \large
	use \renewcommand to define as needed
$\APAaffilformat$	defaults to {}
	use \renewcommand to define as needed

# 2.2 Unchanged commands

All other titling commands relating to authors and affiliations have been retained.

#### 2.3 Eliminated commands

Other than the titling commands, all other commands from the apa6 class have been removed. There is also no anonymization code included in the package.

## 2.4 Bugs

You are welcome to report bugs and submit feature requests, but I should warn you that this package is extremely low priority for me in terms of maintenance, as I do not use it at all. If you are interested in taking it over, please get in touch with me.

# 3 Sample document

The following is a sample document showing how the package is used. It can be found in the documentation folder for the package.

```
\documentclass{article}
\usepackage{apatitlepage}
\usepackage{kantlipsum}
\twoauthors{An Author}{Another Author}
\twoaffiliations{A Big University}{Another Big University}
\APAtitle{This is the title of my paper}
\APAkeywords{philosophy, unreadable, Continental, gibberish, boring}
\APAabstract{\kant[1]}
\renewcommand{\APAtitleformat}{\LARGE\bfseries}
\begin{document}
\pagestyle{empty}
\APAmaketitle
\kant
\end{document}
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