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# Abstract

**T**HE focus of this template is to give the thesis writer a kick-start on developing their thesis in  $\text{\LaTeX}$  by providing a template that satisfies the University of Melbourne's requirements (at the time of writing), that also happens to look gorgeous.



# Declaration

This is to certify that

1. the thesis comprises only my original work towards the PhD,
2. due acknowledgement has been made in the text to all other material used,
3. the thesis is less than 100,000 words in length, exclusive of tables, maps, bibliographies and appendices.

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# Preface

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# Acknowledgements

I'd like to thank John Papandriopoulos, for providing a wonderful template—my thesis now looks gorgeous!



*To my templator, John Papandriopoulos.*



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# Chapter 1

## Introduction

**A** LONG long time ago, in a galaxy far, far away...



Part I

# The Original Trilogy



## Introduction to Part I

**I**T ALL started in 1977 with a film called Star Wars—later retitled to “Star Wars Episode IV: A New Hope”. Two sequels were later released, titled “The Empire Strikes Back” and “Return of the Jedi”.





# Chapter 2

## A New Hope

*In this chapter...*

### 2.1 Introduction

**F**LYING above is a rebel ship carrying some very important cargo, followed by a star destroyer on its tail...



## Chapter 3

# The Empire Strikes Back

*Synopsis.*

### 3.1 Introduction

**U**SE the force Luke...



# Chapter 4

## Return of the Jedi

*Synopsis.*

### 4.1 Introduction

**U**SE the force Luke...



## Part II

# The Prequels





## Introduction to Part II

**I**N THE year 1999, the first episode of the prequels were released, titled “Star Wars Episode 1: The Phantom Menace”... it was followed by Episodes 2 and 3 in the years 2002 and 2005 respectively.



# Chapter 5

## The Phantom Menace

*Synopsis.*

### 5.1 Introduction

**U**SE the force Luke...



# Chapter 6

## Attack of the Clones

*Synopsis.*

### 6.1 Introduction

**U**SE the force Luke...



# Chapter 7

## Revenge of the Sith

*Synopsis.*

### 7.1 Introduction

**U**SE the force Luke...





# Chapter 8

## Conclusion

### 8.1 Summary of Contributions

**T**HIS thesis template has given the user a solid foundation for developing their manuscript in  $\text{\LaTeX}$ .

### 8.2 Future Research

Well, that's up to you, my young paduan apprentice.



# Appendix A

## The Making of...

### **A.1 Behind the scenes**

No smoke and mirrors here... you've got the source, Luke!



# Bibliography