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1 Emacs Configuration



This is my personal Emacs configuration (2020-current). I have used this configuration every day for the last 3-4 years during my time as a Computer Science undergraduate at the University of Maine (2019-2023).

1.1 Packages used

This is a short list describing some of the major packages used in this Emacs configuration. Some are operating system specific, such as the packages built for OSX (now MacOS). Some package modifications, such as for Helm and Org, are from Dr Roy Turner's Emacs configuration.

Make sure the package manager Melpa is installed for this configuration.

- Helm
- Sly
- Doom Emacs Theme Pack
- Elcord
- Dired Sidebar
- Org Mode
- Yasnippet

- Company
- Elpy Mode
- Emacs Racer
- Eldoc
- Magit
- Spaceline
- OSX-Trash
- OSX Browse
- Org-ref
- Doom Modeline
- Diminish
- Rainbow Delimeters
- Reveal.js

1.2 How to setup

Replace the init.el file in your Emacs directory with the one in this repository. If a init.el file does not already exist, move the init.el file in this repository to your Emacs directory. Make sure the library folders are also moved into the Emacs folder. If your Emacs uses the emacs file to load configuration, copy the contents of the init.el into the emacs file.

1.3 Suggested Installs

In order for this configuration to work correctly for Latex in Org-mode, it requires the use of LuaTex (https://www.luatex.org/download.html). In order for Common Lisp to work correctly with Sly, it is recommended that SBCL (https://www.sbcl.org/platform-table.html) be installed.

1.4 Known Issues

Due to the modifications to allow the mini-buffer frame to be in the middle of the screen, sometimes it malfunctions and changes the buffer to the size to the size of the mini-buffer. To prevent this from happening, make sure the mini-buffer is properly exited with C-g.

1.5 Special Thanks

• Dr Roy Turner: A special thanks to Professor Roy for allowing use of his configuration code.