

Steps from Scrivener to Word with Live Citations

Preparations

1. Save all the following files into one folder
2. Download the zotero.lua filter from <https://retorque.re/zotero-better-bibtex/exporting/pandoc/#from-markdown-to-zotero-live-citations> (<https://retorque.re/zotero-better-bibtex/exporting/pandoc/#from-markdown-to-zotero-live-citations>), save it into this folder
3. Install Pandoc
4. Export your Zotero library (choose to keep it updated)
5. Prepare a **custom-reference-doc.docx** file, which has your preferred style settings (you can create one following this explanation <https://quarto.org/docs/output-formats/ms-word-templates.html>)
6. Adjust this reference file according to your wishes, using windows styles

Export process

1. Write your text in Scrivener, insert citations from Zotero in this format: [@Mulder.2014, 251] (You need the Better BibTeX plugin installed, and choose **Better BibTeX Quick Copy** under Quick copy settings)
2. Compile your draft for **Multi Markdown**, choosing the **Basic Pandoc** format (in the right pane). It will be saved as .md file.
3. Save this file into the above-mentioned folder
4. Open the terminal (just type "Terminal" into Windows quick search)
5. Navigate to the above-mentioned folder using the command "cd"

```
cd C:\Users\Name\Dissertation\PhD_Draft
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7. To export from the .md file into a .docx with live citations type the following command

```
pandoc --lua-filter=zotero.lua test.md -s -o success.docx --bibliography "references.bib"
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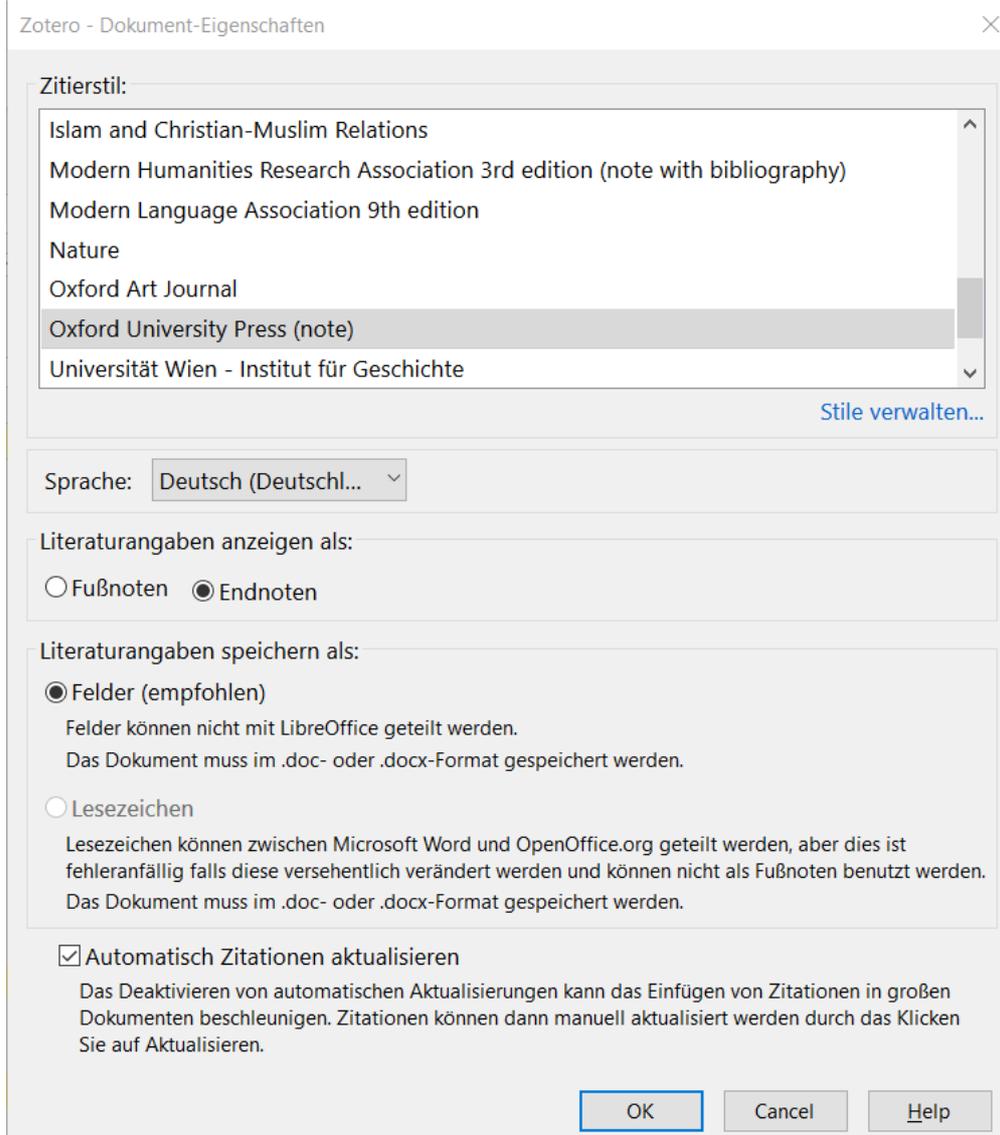
8. If you want the created success.docx to be formatted according to your liking, you have to link to above-created reference document, just add an element to the code

```
pandoc --lua-filter=zotero.lua test.md -s -o success.docx --reference-doc "custom-reference-doc.docx" --bibliography "references.bib"
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9. To turn the citations in live citations in Zotero, you have to refresh them. First, choose one citation:

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· dfaas

10. Then once change citations to endnotes and then back to footnotes:



11. Et voilà! Here you are. Hopefully.