

1. Create a folder that contains all personal tex files that your working on. For example, C:\localtex
 - a. Copy all the install files to this directory
2. Install MikTeX
 - a. Installation is automatic to C:\Program Files\MikTeX
3. Install TeXnicCenter
 - a. During first us, specify LaTeX exe directory: C:\Program Files\MikTeX\MikTeX\Bin
4. Install Jabref
 - a. Create a folder in that directory called bibtex\bib to contain your JabRef files and install your jabref.bib file there
5. Go to Miktex settings (Start\Miktex\Settings → Roots → Click add → Select C:\localtex) → Click apply. MikTeX will now have access to everything in this folder
6. Go to Miktex settings (Start\Miktex\Settings →General) and press the FNDB refresh button
7. APA cite
 - a. Open Program/MikTek/apacite, click apply Settings through the start menu, go to BibTex/packages/
8. Try opening the sample .tex file. Make sure the drop down menu at the top says Latex => pdf then hit F5.

I've found that if something is not working in your pdf, it helps to return to the original tex file, resave it. Then go to the program controlling whatever isn't working (e.g., if you citations appear as ?,?,? then use Jabref) and resave the files stored there. For some reason, this works.

Convert Endnote library to Jabref library

This only works for Endnote 7 – see notes below about how to convert Endnote 9 to Endnote 7

1. Open library in Endnote 7
2. Copy “BibTeX Export to JabRef.ens” and “BibTeX Export to JabRef2.ens” to C:\Endnote\Styles folder
 - a. For notes on what these files do and some problems/benefits of them see “Readme.txt” in the “Endnote-JabRef filters” folder
3. In Endnote, click Edit→Output Styles→Open Style Manager
 - a. Place a tick in the added BibTeX Styles (see point number 2)
 - b. Click File→Export
 - c. Save the file as *****.txt
4. Open Jabref
 - a. Click File → Import into new database (or current)
 - b. Select *****.txt but leave “Files of type:” menu set to “All Files”
 - c. Click OK
 - i. This should work
5. Generate Bibtextkey’s for all of your files
 - a. Highlight all files (Ctrl-A)
 - b. Select Tools→ Autogenerate Bibtext keys
 - c. Save your Jabref library as *****.bib

To convert Endnote 9 to Endnote 7

1. Export the EndNote 9 library to a plain text file (.txt) using the Refer Export format:
 - a. Open the library in EndNote 9 and make sure all references are showing.
 - b. Select "Refer Export" as the output style.
 - c. Select File -> Export, enter a file name, and save the file to a convenient location such as your desktop.
2. Import the Refer Export text file into the earlier version of EndNote:
 - a. In the older version of EndNote create a new library or open an existing one.
 - b. Select File -> Import.
 - c. Click the "Choose File" button and select the text file you just created.
 - d. Under "Import Option" select "Refer/BibIX"
 - e. Click the "Import" button.

N.B. URL's will be imported into the Notes field in your older version.