Zotero plugins for master's students

A PLUGIN PACK FROM ZOTEROPLUGINS.ORG · CHECKED 10 NOV 2026

Six plugins for writing a thesis: PDFs kept in your own cloud folder, a clean bibliography, linked notes, and a check that your literature review hasn't missed anything.

Each is graded B or better after a check of its code, and works with Zotero 10.

1 Keep PDFs in your own cloud folder

A **ZotMoov**

Moves attachments into a folder you choose, such as OneDrive or Dropbox, so a growing thesis library doesn't fill Zotero's free storage.

`zoteroplugins.org/p/zotmoov`

2 Keep one copy of each source

A+ **Zoplicate**

A thesis library grows from many searches, and duplicates creep in. Zoplicate catches them as you import and merges them without losing attachments or notes.

`zoteroplugins.org/p/zoplicate`

3 Clean up references before you submit

A **Linter for Zotero**

Fixes title capitalisation, journal abbreviations, dates and DOIs, so a long bibliography is consistent without checking every entry by hand.

`zoteroplugins.org/p/zotero-format-metadata`

4 Write notes you can find again

A **Better Notes for Zotero**

Builds notes from your highlights with templates, links them with backlinks, and exports an outline to Word when you start writing.

`zoteroplugins.org/p/zotero-better-notes`

5 Check your literature review for gaps

A **Inciteful Zotero Plugin**

Starts from the papers you've collected and finds others in the same citation network, so a key source doesn't slip past you.

`zoteroplugins.org/p/inciteful-zotero-plugin`

6 Track what you've read

B **Zotero Reading List**

A status column (To Read, In Progress, Read) for every source, so you know where you are in a reading list of hundreds.

B because a zotero:// link (a web page can open one) can make it install add-ons without asking you (from zotero-plugin-toolkit), and 1 more finding

`zoteroplugins.org/p/zotero-reading-list`

Install: download each plugin's .xpi file from its page, then in Zotero choose Tools › Plugins, click the gear, and Install Plugin From File. Step by step: zoteroplugins.org/install

Grades come from a check of each plugin's code: A+ Recommended, tested in Zotero · A Recommended · B Use with care, read why first.

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