

TO: Joint Steering Committee for Development of RDA

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SUBJECT: Revision to RDA 2.4.1.8 (Noun Phrase Occurring with a Statement of Responsibility)

The text below reflects the decisions made by the Joint Steering Committee during its November 2014 meeting. The changes will appear in the April 2015 release of RDA Toolkit.

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#### **2.3.1.5 Names of Persons, Families, and Corporate Bodies**

*[1<sup>st</sup>-2<sup>nd</sup> paragraphs and their example boxes unchanged; two paragraphs added]*

For instructions on recording a name that is not an integral part of the title as a statement of responsibility, see 2.4.1.

For instructions on recording a name that is not an integral part of the title as the name of a producer, publisher, distributor, etc., see 2.7–2.10, as appropriate.

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#### **2.3.4.3 Recording Other Title Information**

*[1<sup>st</sup> paragraph and its example box, exception, 3<sup>rd</sup>-4<sup>th</sup> paragraphs and their example boxes unchanged; a paragraph added]*

If the sequence, layout, or typography on the source of information indicates that a noun or noun phrase occurring with a statement of responsibility is intended to be part of the statement of responsibility, apply the instructions at 2.4.1.8.

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#### **2.4.1.8 Noun Phrase Occurring with a Statement of Responsibility**

*If:*

the sequence, layout, or typography on the source of information indicates that a noun or noun phrase is intended to be part of the statement of responsibility

*and*

the noun phrase is indicative of the role of the person, family, or corporate body named in the statement of responsibility

*then:*

treat the noun or noun phrase as part of the statement of responsibility.

#### EXAMPLE

the author John Milton

**Title proper:** Paradise lost

pesquisa histórica e redação, Monica Musatti Cytrynowicz, Robey Cytrynowicz

**Title proper:** Paralelos

maps by Rand McNally

photographs by David Muench

**Title proper:** Rand McNally's America

dessin de la couverture par Jacques Gagnier

**Title proper:** Adagio

a novelization by David Levithan

**Title proper:** The perfect score. **On the source of information, "a novelization" appears on the same line and in the same font as "by David Levithan"**

Text und Musik von Albert Ellmenreich

**Title proper:** Der Auferstandene

a novel by John Rechy

**Title proper:** The coming of the night. **On the source of information, "a novel by" appears on one line and "John Rechy" appears on a separate line below**

**but**

by Lord Byron

**Resource described:** Manfred : a dramatic poem / by Lord Byron. **On the source of information, "a" and "dramatic poem" appear on separate lines, and "by Lord Byron" is printed between two horizontal bars**

by Jane Austen

**Resource described:** Pride and prejudice : a novel / by Jane Austen. **On the source of information "a novel" appears below the title proper and "by" and "Jane Austen" appear**

**on separate lines**

In case of doubt, treat the noun or noun phrase as part of the statement of responsibility.

For instructions on recording names appearing with noun phrases as part of the title, see 2.3.1.5.