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# **pyiiif Documentation**

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# CHAPTER 1

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## Introduction

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pyiiif is a library for working with

It provides a pythonic interface to generating IIIF Presentation API records. The purpose is to reduce the amount of typing required and reduce amount of errors in creating large numbers of IIIF records.

A person with a nominal amount of programming experience can create a IIIF record by simply typing the following:

And, you have a properly formatted IIIF Manifest record with the correct @context, @type and @id attributes as well as a label and a description. The sequence list will be empty for now. From here, you just need to write the string into a dicitonary



# CHAPTER 2

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## Auto Docs

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pyiiif: Library code for working with the IIIF specifications

`pyiiif.utils.convert_context_url_into_lookup(a_url)`

tries to look up a IIIF context url in the key value of the valid\_contexts dict

If cannot find the url will return None else will return the right key for defining a context value on a record

:rtype None or str

`pyiiif.utils.escape_identifier(identifier)`

Escapes a string identifier for inclusion in a URL

**Parameters** `identifier(str)` – The identifier to escape

**Return type** str

**Returns** The identifier, escaped

`pyiiif.utils.unescape_identifier(identifier)`

Unescapes a string escaped by `escape_identifier()`

**Parameters** `identifier(str)` – The escaped identifier

**Return type** str

**Returns** The identifier, unescaped

`exception pyiiif.exceptions.ParameterError`

Raised when a IIIF Image API Parameter is incorrect

`__init__`

Initialize self. See help(type(self)) for accurate signature.

`with_traceback()`

Exception.with\_traceback(tb) – set self.\_\_traceback\_\_ to tb and return self.



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