

Work and Movement Scripts

v1.0

For iTunes 12.5+
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This script will enable you to view the **Love** or **Dislike** settings for all your iTunes Playlists and batch-change these settings for one or more Playlists at a time.

For OS X 10.10 or later.

This script is Donationware. If you use it and like it please consider making a donation to support my AppleScripting efforts. [Click here for more info.](#)

Installation:

Put AppleScripts in your iTunes "Scripts" folder. This is located in your *[user name] / Library / iTunes /* folder.

*The user Library directory is hidden by default. To make it visible, hold down the Option key on your keyboard and select **Go > Library** from the Finder.*

If there is no folder named "Scripts" in the *[user name] / Library / iTunes /* folder then create one and put the script(s) in it. AppleScripts will then appear in iTunes' Script menu, and can be activated by selecting by name and clicking. Be sure to also save this Read Me document in a safe and convenient place.

See the online Download FAQ for more info and video on downloading and

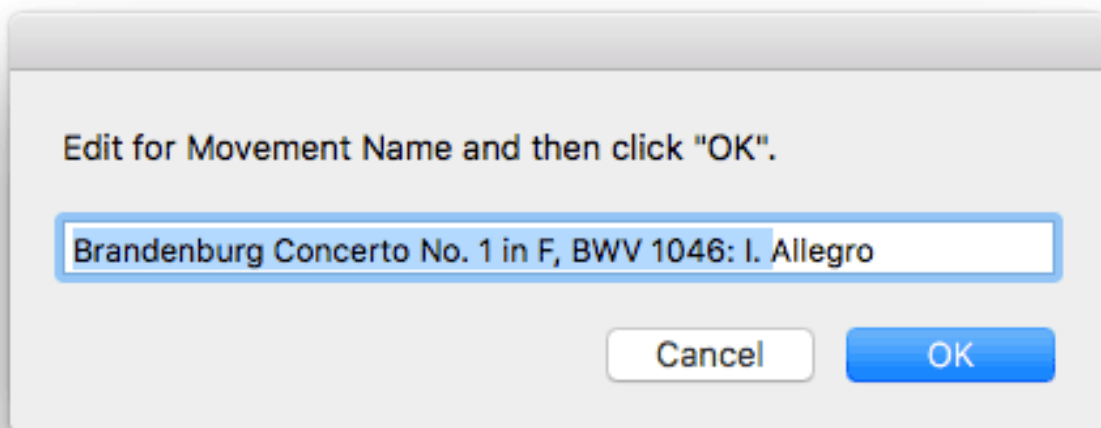
installing AppleScripts.

How to use:

Note: these scripts access tags that are only available in iTunes 12.5 and later. They will not work with earlier versions of iTunes.

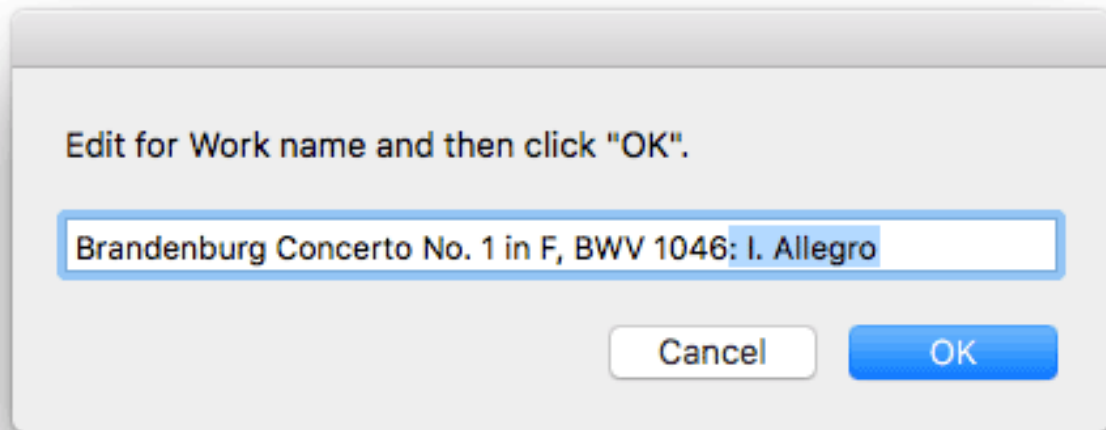
You may want to edit your track tags to take advantage of the Work and Movement tags. What I found was that most of what I wanted to use in those tags was already in the Song Name (eg: "Brandenburg Concerto No. 1 in F, BWV 1046: I. Allegro"), but the Get Info panel won't display the Song Name field together with the Work and Movement fields in order to copy some text from the former to one of the latter. I want to be able to copy "Brandenburg Concerto No. 1 in F, BWV 1046" to the Work tag and "Allegro" to the Movement tag. But the Song Name isn't visible.

Song Name to Movement - Displays the Song Name text of the **single selected** track so you can edit it and apply the result to the Movement Name:



In this case, I would be deleting the highlighted text. Then, click "OK" to apply the text to the selected track's Movement tag. (The Song Name text is not changed.)

Song Name to Work - Like the script above, it displays the Song Name text of the *first* track of a selection of tracks belonging to the same Work. Delete the text you don't need, click "OK", and the text you edited will be applied to the Work tag of each of the selected tracks. (Again, the Song Name text is not changed.)



Copy Grouping to Work - Simple enough: copy the Grouping tag to the Work tag of each of the selected tracks. Conventionally, the Grouping tag has been used as the "Work" tag since its first appearance in iTunes 4.2.

Helpful Links:

Information and download link for this script is located at:

<http://dougscripsts.com/itunes/scripts/ss.php?sp=workandmovement>

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