# <u>Base</u>

# A Podficcer's Guide to the {Star Wars} Galaxy

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## Challenge text:

Create a podfic-centered tour of your fandom. What are some podfic-friendly authors or places? What quirks of the canon or fanon might pose challenges or cool opportunities when recording? What resources might podficcers in this fandom find useful? What challenges welcome podfic, or what are some other podficcers or specific podfics that are great to listen to?

## **Podfic-friendly authors**

See <u>Author Directory</u> tab

# Podfic-friendly places

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#### Quirks of the canon

- Sometimes, canon does not agree with itself on how to pronounce things.
  - Leia pronunciations counted video
- 10 Origins Of Star Wars Props You Won't Believe
- 34 Celebrities You Probably Didn't Know Were in 'Star Wars' Movies
- Actors With Multiple Roles in Star Wars

## Quirks of the fanon

- LEGO's Build A Bounty Hunter Hangout competition
  - o If you only look at one, look at this one

#### Resources

See <u>Resources</u> tab

## Challenge/events that welcome podfic

- Star Wars Big Bang: <a href="https://www.tumblr.com/swbigbang">https://www.tumblr.com/swbigbang</a>
- Star Wars Rare Pairs: https://www.tumblr.com/swrarepairs
- RebelCaptain Fix-it Week:
  - https://www.tumblr.com/therebelcaptainnetwork/782180042042163200
- Obikin Big Bang: <a href="https://obikinbb.tumblr.com/">https://obikinbb.tumblr.com/</a>
- This isn't a specific event/specific for podfic but a resource to new and old events that are happening: <a href="https://swfandomevents.tumblr.com/">https://swfandomevents.tumblr.com/</a>
- 212th Appreciation Week: <a href="https://www.tumblr.com/212thappreciation">https://www.tumblr.com/212thappreciation</a>

Codywan Week:

https://www.tumblr.com/codywanweek/648222158560149504/everything-you-need-to-know-hello-this-post-will

# Other podficcers

- Flowerparrish Pods
- kbirb pods
- Korechthonia
- reena jenkins
- Sisi rambles
- WanderPods
- Fullofhope137

# **Specific podfics**

• See Podfic Recs! tab

# Places to find fandom friends

- Reddit: <a href="https://www.reddit.com/r/StarWars/">https://www.reddit.com/r/StarWars/</a>
- Discord
  - Star Wars (General): <a href="https://discord.gg/starwars">https://discord.gg/starwars</a>
  - Wookieepedia: <a href="https://discord.com/invite/4EeKT6epzH">https://discord.com/invite/4EeKT6epzH</a>
  - Andor & Rogue One: <a href="https://discord.gg/2uTFcKrC">https://discord.gg/2uTFcKrC</a>
- Tumblr: www.swfandomevents.tumblr.com

# **Author Directory**

# Podfic-friendly authors:

# SW Podfic Friendly Authors

Add new ones on the "Info" sheet. Can be resorted there. The links here lead to their work page sorted to Star Wars - All Media Types to make it easier to find them.

You can also add notes on the sheet as it shows here.

Username	Permission	Notes
ace din djarin	Blanket	
adiduck (book_people)	Blanket	
aimmyarrowshigh	Notify First	Fastest response on Tumblr, but also replies on AO3
<u>anaraine</u>	Blanket	
Angel_Islington	Ask first	Answered Comment - Fast
<u>Argentee</u>	Blanket	
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Blackkat	Blanket	
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catboydogma	Blanket	
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chancecraz	Blanket	
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Copperbadge	Blanket	
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MapleOwl18	Blanket	
Marie_Fanwriter	Ask first	
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mosylu	Blanket	
Night_Fury	Blanket	Not on FPS
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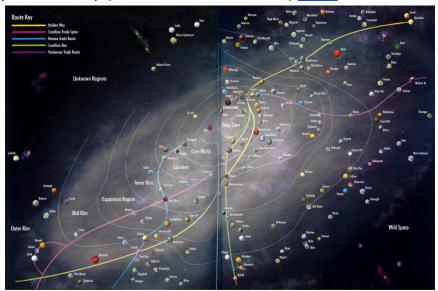
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<u>Scarletjedi</u>	Blanket	
schweinsty	Blanket	
<u>Sefiru</u>	Ask first	Answered comment - fast
Serie11	Blanket	
<u>Shadowmatic</u>	Ask first	Answered comment - fast
<u>Siderea</u>	Blanket	
<u>smilebackwards</u>	Blanket	
Soft_but_gremlin	Blanket	
<u>SpaceWall</u>	Blanket	
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<u>Starofwinter</u>	Ask first	Answered comment - fast
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Sunfl0wer78	Blanket	
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<u>TheSecondBatgirl</u>	Mystery Blanket	Mentioned having BP, I still have not found it
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<u>Tielan</u>	Blanket	
<u>Trixree</u>	Blanket	

wanderingjedihistorian (RangerJedi67)	Blanket	
willowcrowned	Blanket	
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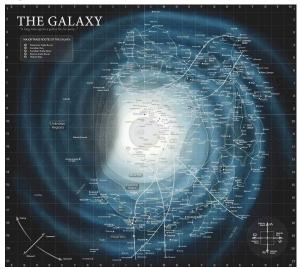
# Resources

# Maps

Hyperspace Lane Map (with a bunch of worlds on it) <u>HERE</u>



• Another hyperspace map HERE



## Mando'a Resources

- Mando'a pronunciation and words: <u>Mandoa.Org</u>
- The Wookiepedia Mando'a page in Legends has a lot of vocab and info about grammar:
   Mando'a | Wookieepedia
- There's an intro to Mando'a grammar tumblr post here: <u>Basics of Mando'a Grammar</u>
- There's also a YouTube channel of Mando'a Lessons which has a lot of examples on how it sounds spoken: <u>Mando'a Lessons - YouTube</u>
- This spreadsheet gives some of the most information & references of any Mando'a guide: 
   ■ Mando'a (version 2).xlsb.xlsx

#### **Huttese Resources**

- Huttese website with some words, notes on pronunciation, and links to other dictionaries:
   The Complete Wermo's Guide to Huttese (and other Star Wars languages)
- There's a fan-made guide of words and phrases (taken from the above resource) via gdocs here: ☐ Huttese language guide
- All Jabba scenes for reference on how it sounds in canon:
  - □ Jabba the Hutt Scenes (Ep 1, Clone Wars, 4, 6)
- Fan-made video with a few phrases and counting (good example of how to pronounce stuff!): How to Speak Huttese!

#### **Dai Bendu Resources**

- An entirely fanon conlang for the Jedi created by @aroacejoot, @ghostwriterofthemachine and @loosingletters
- Tumblr featuring many fanworks, descriptions of language creation, and offering support for translations and such via ask: <a href="https://dai-bendu-conlang.tumblr.com/">https://dai-bendu-conlang.tumblr.com/</a>
- Official spreadsheet for the language, including dictionary and IPA notation:
  - Dai Bendu Public View

#### Star Wars Fic Reference Wiki!

- https://swficreference.fandom.com/wiki/Star Wars Fic Reference Wiki
- An amazing reference archive for fic authors. Curious how many dresses Padmé wears?
   Are you looking for a specific droid? Are you curious what canon LGBTQIA+ characters exist? This place has your back.

## **Star Wars Slang**

- Phrases and slang
  - https://starwars.fandom.com/wiki/List\_of\_phrases\_and\_slang
  - Looking to spice up your dialog or to understand what's happening? This is a great resource to peruse.
- Insults and Expletives
  - https://www.starwarsrp.net/ams/star-wars-insults-and-expletives-learn-how-to-curse-in-the-star-wars-universe.25/
  - Looking for insults and expletives from canon? You're in luck!
- Pilot Slang
  - https://starwarslivinghistory.com/2024/05/04/inner-persona-pilot-slang/
  - A great way to find in-universe vocab for any pilots you might be writing.
- Star Wars Vocabulary that differs from our world
  - https://writebetterstarwars.tumblr.com/vocabulary
  - A resource great for remembering if there's a Star Wars equivalent for random stuff we have - ie. transparisteel instead of glass

### **Additional Resources**

• r/StarWarsLore Wiki: A Guide to Expanded Universe Resources

• This is a wiki page for learning more about Star Wars Lore. It contains information such as lists of books, games, shows, etc.

#### **Sound & Voice Effects**

- Darth Vader helmet effect for audacity Sound Like Darth Vader For FREE in Audacity
- C-3PO effect (any editing software, very easy!)
  - How To Do C3PO's Voice Effect (With Any Software)

Audacity specific: Tutorial for how to make a Star Wars C3PO voice effect and sou...

- Helmet effect in Audacity (especially useful for Clone Troopers, Stormtroopers, & Mandalorians) | Credit: GodOfLaundryBaskets
  - High Pass Filter → Frequency (Hz): 2000.0 | Roll-off (dB per octave): 12 db
  - o **Low Pass Filter** → Frequency (Hz): 2000.0 | Roll-off (dB per octave): 12 db
  - o Adjust your amplification as needed as this will lower the volume of these lines
- Looking to get a bit of gravel in your voice for Maul? In Audacity, it's just two effects:
  - Bass and Treble → Bass (dB): 4.0 | Treble (dB): -2.0 | Volume (dB): 0.0
  - Change Pitch → Percent Change: -3.000 {individualized, if this is too deep or too high pitched still, play around with it!}
- B1 Battledroid effect for Audacity / Adobe Audition
  - How to make a Star Wars B1 Battledroid Voice in Audacity Free! (Roger Roger Ro...)
  - Adobe Audition Tutorial Star Wars B1 Battledroid Voice effect
- <u>Droid SFX SoundBoard (Offers Downloads)</u>
- How to make a STAR WARS DROID sound on AUDACITY with Noise Reduction f...
  - Note: this effects requires your file to have background ambient noise to make use of the Noise Reduction feature for the effect; if you have silenced background noise in your main file (which I usually do) just save a copy of the original file so you can run the effect on the relevant lines and cut them in flowerparrish

# Podfic Recs!

## A Lonely Company

 Summary: Conversations between Rey and Leia while Rey puts the Falcon back together.

# A Gilded Cage (is still a cage)

 Summary: Before the Mandalorian, Cobb Vanth was a slave and Boba Fett, a bounty hunter. When their first lives intersected it caused a chain reaction that changed them both forever.

## • an end, a start

Summary: After the war against the First Order ends, everyone seems to want something from Rey, but all she wants is time to figure out what she wants. Finn and Poe propose a marriage that will keep everyone at bay until she's ready, and it seems like a good idea. The only danger is that she's really in love with them.

## every choice a thousand times

 Summary: Chirrut and Baze die and wake up in the Jedhan desert on the day the Empire rises. They have twenty years to make sure it all happens better this time.

# have you heard

Summary: "I heard FN-2187 was a Stormtrooper."
 Finn sparks a revolution.

## • I have acquired a child.

0	Summary: "How can I ensure its welfare without having it become attached to
	me? Thank you.
	☐ 17 comments → Share ☐ Save ☐ Hide ► Report
	(The r/Parenting AU some people wondered about but technically did not ask
	for )"

### Like Fire in Our Bones

 Summary: "With all of the most important things in the galaxy literally exploding around her, Leia is given the chance to go back and help keep a promise she never personally made.

But then, for Skywalkers, saving the galaxy was always a family matter."

# More Awake Than I've Ever Been Before

 Summary: Bodhi tries to learn how to talk to Jyn Erso and how to sleep without nightmares.

## Of Queens, Knights, and Pawns

- Summary: "I went to sleep on the worst day of my life and woke to find myself in the past on the second worst day of my life. As experiences go, I don't recommend it."
- Sometimes a family is a cultural anthropologist, a PoliSci PhD, a snippy sophomore, a golden cat, a Snorkie, and a guy who just wants to build a really smart robot
  - Summary: "Hi, I'm Anakin Skywalker and welcome to Waffle or Waffle Not."
     Anakin's therapist told him he needed a hobby with achievable goals.

## • The Last Poem of Jedha

• **Summary:** How Bodhi Rook temporarily misplaced the two most important things in the galaxy, and how he found them again (with a little help).

# • The Way of Conquest

- Summary: All Din wanted to do was find the Child a sorcerer teacher, pick up a
  job or two, and follow his Creed.
  - Three out of three is good, right? Right?
- Waffle or Waffle Not (series)
  - Summary: An AU where Anakin Skywalker is a grad student/engineer with a
    vlog titled "Waffle or Waffle Not," in which he puts foods into a wafflemaker that
    would not conventionally be put into a wafflemaker in pursuit of the knowledge of
    what, besides waffle mix, can be made into a waffle.
- Waste Management
  - Summary: "Uh, hi," says Finn. "We're here to rescue you?"
- What to Expect When You Aren't Actually Expecting (a Tiny, Green Sorcerer Baby)
  - Summary: When Din had the time and inclination to consider what he'd thought his life would be like, the possibility of raising an unknown species' lost toddler with mystical powers wasn't anywhere on the list.
- Whiskey Letters
  - Summary: Cobb sends off the letter before he can think better of it, the sour taste of whiskey heavy on his tongue. Old West AU.