NAME

Pod::Simple::RTF -- format Pod as RTF

SYNOPSIS

```
perl -MPod::Simple::RTF -e \
 "exit Pod::Simple::RTF->filter(shift)->any_errata_seen" \
 thingy.pod > thingy.rtf
```

DESCRIPTION

This class is a formatter that takes Pod and renders it as RTF, good for viewing/printing in MSWord, WordPad/write.exe, TextEdit, etc.

This is a subclass of *Pod::Simple* and inherits all its methods.

FORMAT CONTROL ATTRIBUTES

You can set these attributes on the parser object before you call `parse_file` (or a similar method) on it:

$parser->head1_halfpoint_size(*halfpoint_integer*);

$parser->head2_halfpoint_size(*halfpoint_integer*);

$parser->head3_halfpoint_size(*halfpoint_integer*);

$parser->head4_halfpoint_size(*halfpoint_integer*);

> These methods set the size (in half-points, like 52 for 26-point) that these heading levels will appear as.

$parser->codeblock_halfpoint_size(*halfpoint_integer*);

> This method sets the size (in half-points, like 21 for 10.5-point) that codeblocks ("verbatim sections") will appear as.

$parser->header_halfpoint_size(*halfpoint_integer*);

> This method sets the size (in half-points, like 15 for 7.5-point) that the header on each page will appear in. The header is usually just "*modulename* p. *pagenumber*".

$parser->normal_halfpoint_size(*halfpoint_integer*);

> This method sets the size (in half-points, like 26 for 13-point) that normal paragraphic text will appear in.

$parser->no_proofing_exemptions(*true_or_false*);

> Set this value to true if you don't want the formatter to try putting a hidden code on all Perl symbols (as best as it can notice them) that labels them as being not in English, and so not worth spellchecking.

$parser->doc_lang(*microsoft_decimal_language_code*)

> This sets the language code to tag this document as being in. By default, it is currently the value of the environment variable `RTFDEFLANG`, or if that's not set, then the value 1033 (for US English).

> Setting this appropriately is useful if you want to use the RTF to spellcheck, and/or if you want it to hyphenate right.

> Here are some notable values:

```
1033  US English
2057  UK English
3081  Australia English
4105  Canada English
```

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1034   Spain Spanish
2058   Mexico Spanish
1031   Germany German
1036   France French
3084   Canada French
1035   Finnish
1044   Norwegian (Bokmal)
2068   Norwegian (Nynorsk)
```

If you are particularly interested in customizing this module's output even more, see the source and/or write to me.

SEE ALSO

Pod::Simple, *RTF::Writer*, *RTF::Cookbook*, *RTF::Document*, *RTF::Generator*

SUPPORT

Questions or discussion about POD and Pod::Simple should be sent to the pod-people@perl.org mail list. Send an empty email to pod-people-subscribe@perl.org to subscribe.

This module is managed in an open GitHub repository, *http://github.com/theory/pod-simple/*. Feel free to fork and contribute, or to clone *git://github.com/theory/pod-simple.git* and send patches!

Patches against Pod::Simple are welcome. Please send bug reports to <bug-pod-simple@rt.cpan.org>.

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