

Sunny Side Up

How GLAM Wiki Saved My Bacon



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So...we want to do Wikipedia...



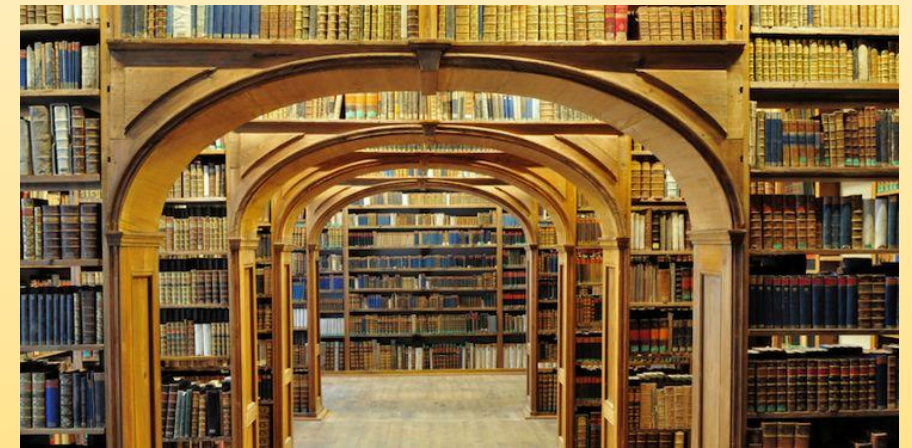
Into the frying pan...



GLAM /Connect

GLAM Connect is a space where cultural professionals can find Wikimedians who can assist with GLAM-WIKI partnerships.

- **Cultural professionals:** Browse the below sections to see who might be the best fit for your project.
- **Wikimedians:** Sign up in the sections that relate to your interests or help by creating an [information page for your country](#).



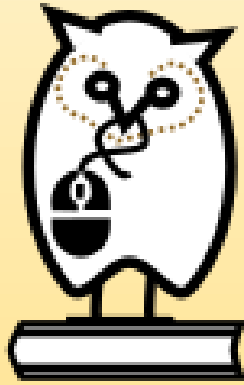
The **GLAM**  **WIKI**
initiative

GLAM Resources

- Success stories
- Model projects
- Online Volunteers
- Institutional contacts
- Bookshelf
 - listing of guides and outreach materials that are relevant to the cultural sector. Resources include handouts, presentations, Wikipedia how-to guides, and videos
- Beginner's Guide to Editing Wikipedia
- GLAM/Newsletter



Even More Wiki Resources



Wikipedia + Libraries Better Together

Wikipedia + Libraries: Better Together

[Overview](#)[Build Community](#)[Extend Librarianship](#)[Amplify Stories](#)[Teach Literacies](#)

Libraries and Wikipedia share a common purpose: to provide free public access to knowledge and resources. Wikipedia + Libraries: Better Together was an 18-month OCLC project to strengthen the ties between US public libraries and English Wikipedia. The project ended in May 2018 and the connections, learning materials, stories, and outcomes are still unfolding. Library staff are leveraging Wikipedia to better serve their communities.

Learn from the pathways that library staff have taken with Wikipedia and how you can get involved, too.

Build Community



Extend Librarianship



Amplify Stories



Teach Literacies



Training curriculum

Access the full training curriculum to learn how to confidently use, edit, and teach Wikipedia at your library.

[Training Curriculum](#)

Learn more

Learn about the Wikipedia + Libraries: Better Together project's history and activities.

[Project Background](#)

Sign up for Crossroads

Sign up to receive WebJunction's email newsletter for library



wiki Identity

400,000+

This user has made over 400,000 contributions to Wikimedia projects.



This user has contributed 13,761 *Images* to Wikipedia & Commons.



This user helped promote 5 good articles on Wikipedia.



This user has 72 DYK credits.



This user has been awarded 15 *Barnstars* on Wikipedia.



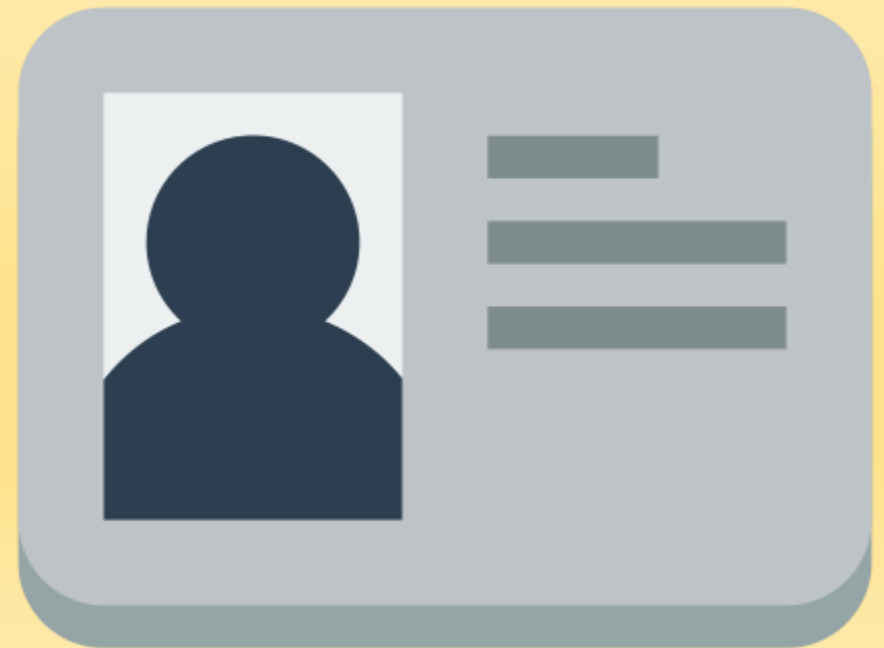
This user has been on Wikipedia for 12 years, 5 months and 23 days.



This user is one in 34,618,682.



This user is a recipient of the Editor of the Week award.



Can't make an omelet without breaking a few eggs



October 2017 [[edit source](#)]

Hello, I'm [Zackmann08](#). Thank you for your recent contributions to [Etta Hulme](#). I noticed that when you added the image to the [infobox](#), you added it as a [thumbnail](#). In the future, please do not use thumbnails when adding images to an infobox (see [WP:INFOBOXIMAGE](#)). What does this mean? Well in the infobox, when you specify the image you wish to use, instead of doing it like this:

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|image=[[File:SomeImage.jpg|thumb|Some image caption]]
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Instead just supply the name of the image. So in this case you can simply do:

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|image=SomeImage.jpg .
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There will then be a separate parameter for the image caption such as `|caption=Some image caption`. Please note that this is a generic form message I am leaving on your page because you recently added a thumbnail to an infobox. The specific parameters for the image and caption may be different for the infobox you are using! Please consult the Template page for the infobox being used to see better documentation. Thanks! [Zackmann08](#) ([Talk to me](#)/[What I been doing](#)) 17:45, 30 October 2017 (UTC)



Thank you [Zackmann08](#). I appreciate the help. This was my first ever attempt at adding an image to a page. I was actually in the process of trying to fix the error when I got your message. Again, thanks for the tips! [Doddsam09](#) ([talk](#)) 17:50, 30 October 2017 (UTC)

All part of the learning process. :-) Keep up the good work. --[Zackmann08](#) ([Talk to me](#)/[What I been doing](#)) 18:01, 30 October 2017 (UTC)

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WikiLove – Send a message of appreciation to another user

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Barnstars



Let's get started!

Some stroopwafels for you! [\[edit \]](#)



Hi and thanks for the welcome! Definitely count me in for your Edit-a-thon this spring. I'm looking forward to it! [SaturdayLibrarian \(talk\)](#) 15:31, 15 November 2017 (UTC)



Goats



Make your own

Bringing home the bacon

Barnstars [\[edit \]](#) [\[edit source \]](#)



15. *The Writer's Barnstar*

[ComputerJA](#) (🗨️ • 🌐)

22 March 2017



14. *The Original Barnstar*

[DR. BLOFELD](#)

15 October 2015



13. *The Technical Barnstar*

[Granata92](#) [Talk!](#)

14 June 2015



12. *The Barnstar of Diligence*

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10 May 2015



11. *The Original Barnstar*

[Soossu](#) (talk)

22 January 2015



10. *The Original Barnstar*

[Bearian](#) (talk)

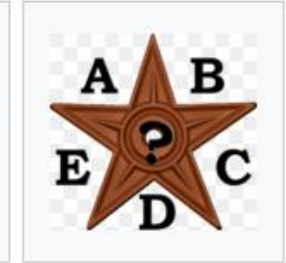
24 September 2013



9. *The Teamwork Barnstar*

[Smallman12q](#) (talk)

24 May 2013



8. *The Categorization Barnstar*

[INeverCry](#)

15 November 2012



7. *Transfer to Commons Drive
Leaderboard Barnstar*

[Cloudbound](#) (talk)

29 April 2012



6. *The Commons Ambassador Barnstar*

[Cloudbound](#) (talk)

27 April 2012



5. *The Tireless Contributor Barnstar*

[Cloudbound](#) (talk)

1 April 2012



4. *The Special Barnstar*

[Quadell](#) (talk)

2 October 2011



3. *Transfer to Commons Drive
Leaderboard Barnstar*

[Quadell](#) (talk)

2 October 2011



2. *The Working Wikipedian's Barnstar*

[stcdst_gxl](#) (talk me standst)

19 July 2010



1. *The Red Maple Leaf Award*

[DOUBLEBLUE](#) (talk)

24 November 2008

Into the Wikiverse



**Wake up and smell the coffee...
HerStory was TheStory!**



http://www.theshorthorn.com/news/uta-libraries-hosts-wikipedia-editing-event-to-honor-women-s/article_a722f6c4-3088-11e8-aa6f-133fa8b49245.html

UTA Libraries hosts Wikipedia editing event to honor Women's History Month

By Reese Oxner, The Shorthorn senior staff Mar 25, 2018



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Research indicates that less than 20 percent of Wikipedia editors are women. UTA Libraries aims to change that.

The HERstory Edit-a-thon event will be held 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. Wednesday in Central Library. It's a come and go event where participants will learn the basics of Wikipedia editing and gain skills to updating Wikipedia pages about women, special collections archivist Samantha Dodd said. Refreshments are provided throughout, and no previous knowledge of Wikipedia editing is necessary.

The event aims to increase the number of female editors and articles about women on Wikipedia. There is a discrepancy in the amount of female editors versus male editors, Dodd said.



Welcome to the Wiki-Verse

