

The background image shows two women sitting at a table, looking at laptops. The woman on the left is wearing a grey hijab and a grey sweater, looking intently at a laptop. The woman on the right has brown hair and glasses, wearing a green and yellow striped shirt, also looking at a laptop. There are other people and laptops in the background, suggesting a busy workshop or conference environment.

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Building a Sustainable Future for Wikimedia Contributors

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Welcome!

We are the Contributors Group!





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Contributors group's features

Growth

Homepage

Suggested Edits

Mentorship

Community

Configuration

Community Updates

Module **[new]**

Editing

Wikitext and visual
editors

Talk pages project

Reference check **[new]**

Multi check **[new]**

Tone check **[in progress]**

Paste check **[future]**

Moderator tools

PageTriage

Automoderator **[new]**

Special:Nuke

Recent changes
improvements **[in progress]**

Moderator onboarding **[in
progress]**

Connection

Event registration

Collaboration List

Invitation Lists

Collaborative
contributions **[in progress]**

What we offer

Gentle advice: be ready,
take photos of the slides. ;-)

Newcomer Homepage

Hello, Eetzie!

[Homepage](#) [User page](#) [Talk](#)

 [Add email](#)

Suggested edits →

1 of 32,519 suggestions



Qing official headwear
Headwear of officials during the Qing dynasty of China

 [Find references](#)

[See all suggestions](#)

Your impact →

84 edits to articles
Views from recent edits (last 60 days): **487**

Your mentor →

We've assigned you an experienced editor to answer your questions about editing.



[Rotideypoc41352](#)
Active today

Get help with editing

Ask the help desk or read help pages.

Impact module

← **Your impact**

 **62**
Total edits

 **3**
Thanks received 

 **2 weeks ago**
Last edited

 **3 days**
Best streak 

Your recent activity (last 60 days)

8 Edits



Dec 4 Feb 1

1,309 Views on articles you edited



Views on articles you've edited



Canelé **505** ✓



Pavlova **231** ✓



The Australian Women's Weekly... **173** ✓



Le Cordon Bleu **120** ✓



Monosodium glutamate **72** ✓

[View all your edits \(23\)](#)

Growth

Newcomer Homepage

A clear place to get started, where newcomers access the most important things they need.

Viewable on Wikipedias at **Special:Homepage**

Current version contains the following:

- Add email module
- Suggested edits module*
- Impact module
- Your Mentor module*
- Help module*
- Community Updates module

**Depending on the community configuration*



Mentor module

Your mentor

We've assigned you an experienced editor to answer your questions about editing. [Learn more about mentors.](#)



Raylio

0 edits • Active today

I've been editing on Wikipedia and Commons for 10 years. Ask me for help with editing!

Ask your mentor a question

Your recent questions

- [Hi Mentor, can you please help me?](#)
Posted 1 year and 29 weeks ago
- [Hi Mentor, can you please help me add an image to the Lam...](#)
Posted 1 year and 40 weeks ago

[View your mentor's other conversations](#)

Guru Anda

Kami menugaskan kontributor berpengalaman untuk menjawab pertanyaan Anda terkait penyuntingan. [Pelajari lebih lanjut tentang mentor.](#)



Mars Julian

26.205 suntingan • Aktif 293 hari yang lalu

"Jangan ragu untuk bertanya. Berminat terhadap musik dan film. Pertanyaan di luar topik tsb akan saya bantu jawab."

Tanya pertanyaan kepada guru Anda

[Lihat percakapan lain oleh guru Anda](#)

Wikipedia Bahasa Indonesia example

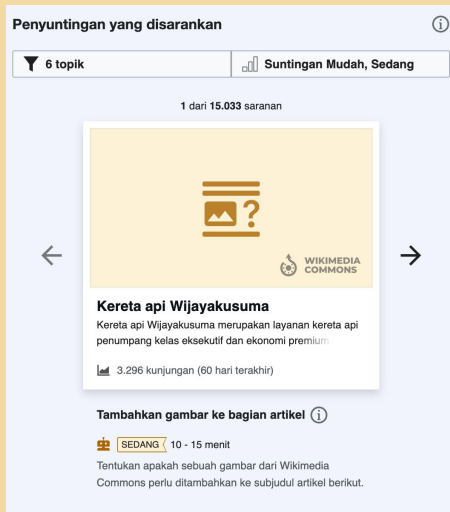
Growth

Mentorship

- Provides new account holders with **human-to-human help and support.**
- Mentorship is *available* at all Wikipedias
However, community set-up is required:
 - Volunteers to join as mentors via **Special:EnrollAsMentor**
 - An Admin to turn Mentorship on via **Special:CommunityConfiguration/Mentorship**

More at [MW: How to configure the mentors' list](#)





Wikipedia Bahasa Indonesia example

Growth

Suggested edits a.k.a. “Newcomer tasks”

- Newcomers need support getting started and want to know “what to do next”
- Newcomers are asked if they are interested in doing small “Suggested edits” (like copy editing or adding links) on articles.
- Able to filter to topics of interest to edit, and select tasks by easy/med/hard difficulty
- Some tasks provide guidance, but aren’t structured (Newcomer Tasks), while other are more guided (Structured Tasks)

More at [MW: Newcomer tasks](https://www.mediawiki.org/wiki/Newcomer_tasks)



Community configuration

Special page that allows each community to easily configure different features

- Simple format usable by less tech-savvy folks
- Empowers each community to customise features to fit their culture and needs
- Systems of empowerment: potential for many products beyond Growth
- *Special:CommunityConfiguration*

More at [MW:Community_configuration](#)

Copyedit

☐ The task is disabled.

Copy editing: templates to find articles that need copy editing, such as spelling, grammar, and punctuation improvements.

Awkward ×

Inappropriate person ×

Peacock ×

Cleanup tense ×

Copy edit section ×

Awkward ×

Colloquialism ×

Sentence fragment ×

Expand acronym ×

Verify spelling ×

Add more...



Contribuciones del usuario Automoderador

Resultados para [Automoderador](#) ([discusión](#) · [registro de bloqueos](#) · [subidas](#) · [registros](#) · [reg](#))
Usuario con 8592 ediciones. Cuenta creada el 22 may 2025.

▼ Búsqueda de contribuciones

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- 14:07 29 jul 2025 (difs. · hist.) . . (+95) . . [Eva Perón](#) (Revertido el cambio de [203.54.142](#)) (reportar un falso positivo) (Etiqueta: [Reversión](#))
- 14:04 29 jul 2025 (difs. · hist.) . . (+827) . . [Pablo Bustinduy](#) (Revertido el cambio de [77.1](#)) (reportar un falso positivo) (Etiqueta: [Reversión](#))
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Moderator Tools team

Automoderator

Automated anti-vandalism tool available to all language Wikipedias

- Hypothesis: relieving users from basic anti-vandalism tasks so that they can focus on higher valued tasks.
- Based on the Revert Risk machine learning models
- Community configurable by administrators

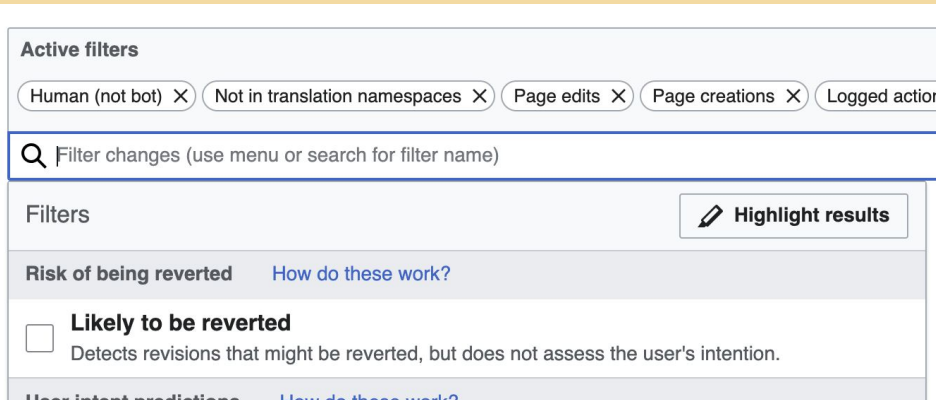
More at [MW:Moderator Tools/Automoderator](#)

Prediction filters

A new filter for Recent Changes: Likely to be reverted

- Filter or highlight edits which might need to be reverted
- Uses the Revert Risk machine learning model
- Deployed on some Wikipedias, more to come

More at <https://w.wiki/EV2i>



The screenshot shows the 'Active filters' section of the Wikipedia Moderator Tools interface. It includes a search bar with the text 'Filter changes (use menu or search for filter name)'. Below the search bar, there is a list of filters. The 'Likely to be reverted' filter is highlighted, showing a checkbox and the description: 'Detects revisions that might be reverted, but does not assess the user's intention.' Other filters visible include 'Human (not bot)', 'Not in translation namespaces', 'Page edits', 'Page creations', and 'Logged actions'.



Talk pages usability improvements

Make it easier for newcomers to experience talk pages

- Visual editing on talk pages
- Distinguishing talk pages from content pages
- Subscribe to topic
- Reply button
- Meta-information

More at

[MW:Talk pages project/Feature summary](https://www.mediawiki.org/wiki/Talk_pages_project/Feature_summary)

외부 링크 수정됨 (2019년 2월) [edit]

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In-context Thanks

Offering better opportunities to **show gratitude**

- Part of the Usability Improvements
- A space for more actions related to discussions (Incident Reporting System)

To be deployed soon at your wiki.

More at [MW:Edit check](#)



Edit check

Vor der Veröffentlichung

Änderungen veröffentlichen ...

zu früheren Zeiten wird die Astronomie als
schaft heute streng abgegrenzt von der Astrologie, die
nd Lauf der Gestirne auf irdische Geschehnisse
Die Abgrenzung erfolgt auch, da die Astrologie eine
schaft ist - während die Astronomie auf empirischer
haffenheit, Bewegungen und Beziehungen von
untersucht. Dennoch werden, wohl wegen der
der Bezeichnungen, Astrologie und Astronomie von
ten verwechselt.

und Beziehungen von Himmelskörpern untersucht.
en, wohl wegen der Ähnlichkeit beider Bezeichnungen,
Astronomie von Laien nicht selten verwechselt.

sitäten wurde die Astronomie um etwa 1800 zu einer
enrichtung, wird heute aber oft dem Physikstudium

Änderungen überprüfen

⚠ Einen Beleg hinzufügen

Hilf den Lesern zu verstehen, woher diese Informationen stammen, indem du einen Beleg hinzufügst.

☒ Ja
 ☐ Nein

Bring policies into the editing environment, reacting to actions.

- At the moment:
 - **References** check
 - Link check and Reference reliability
- Coming:
 - **Tone** check
 - **Paste** check

Only on visual editing (desktop/mobile).

More at [MW:Edit check](#)



Event:Tyap Wikimedians User Group/Mentorship/August - December 2025

Add languages

Event Discussion Read Edit Edit source View history ☆ Page

Online and in-person event 17:27, 9 August 2025 – 16:27, 12 December 2025 8 participants
Timezone: America/Los_Angeles

More details

Register for event

Mentor Me!

Mentor Me! is a mentorship programme created by the [Tyap Wikimedians User Group](#) to support all Wikimedians, both within the community and the Movement entirely. This year's edition runs from August - December 2025.

Online [edit | edit source]

Dates:

- A week-long introduction to wiki online: 10/08/2025, 11/08/2025, 12/08/2025, 13/08/2025, 14/08/2025, 15/08/2025, and 16/08/2025
- Weekly classes: 23/08/2025, 30/08/2025, 06/09/2025, 20/09/2025, 04/10/2025, and 18/10/2025
- Wikidata online sessions: 26/10/2025, 27/10/2025,



Event registration

Enhance the management & visibility of events, with user privacy support.

- On-wiki registration (public or private)
- Registration confirmation emails
- Mass email support to participants
- Integration with the Programs & Events Dashboard
- Optional demographic data on participants, with data retention policy
- Collects structured data on events, so other people can find them

More at [Help:Extension:CampaignEvents](https://help:extension:campaignevents)



Collaboration list

Find events or WikiProjects that interest you

- Events tab
 - Automated global list of events
 - Displays upcoming & ongoing events
 - 8 search filters for events: keyword, event type, start date, end date, participation options, country, wikis, and topics
- Communities tab
 - List of WikiProjects on local wiki
 - Includes: WikiProject description, link to WikiProject page, link to Wikidata item
- Any editor can transclude the Events and/or Communities tab on any editable wiki page

Collaboration list Help

Events Communities

Filter events

Search keyword Event types

From To

Participation options Country

Wikis Topics

☐ Include events open to all wikis

Apply filters

✓ **Ongoing events**
Ongoing events: Events that start before but continue within the selected dates

^ **Upcoming events**
Upcoming events: Events that start within the selected dates

August 2025

8 **AfroCreatives WikiProject+Film 2025 au Togo**
 8 August 2025 – 6 September 2025
 In-person event
 Togo
 Training / seminar, Workshop
 English Wikipedia, Ewe Wikipedia and French Wikipedia
 Africa, TV and film
 Akouete

15 **Pool strategic**
 15 August 2025 – 15 December 2025
 Online and in-person event
 Congo - Kinshasa
 Editing event, Workshop
 Wikimedia Incubator
 Africa
 BOKOBA veroly, Africany and 2 more



More at <Help:Extension:CampaignEvents>

Invitation list

Demo: Invitation list

14 editors found, based on the following criteria: the bytes they contributed to the articles, the number of edits they made to the articles, their overall edit count on the wikis, and how recently they have edited the wikis.

^ Highly recommended to invite

These editors received a high invitation list ranking, so they are more likely to be interested in joining your activity.

Jdlrobson

Dom walden

ET13

Georgemikesell

▼ Recommended to invite

These editors received a mid-range invitation list ranking, but they still may be interested in joining your activity.

▼ View article list

Find editors to invite to an event or WikiProject based on their edit history

- Generates an “Invitation list” based on a worklist provided by the user
- Editors added to invitation lists based on the following criteria: bytes contributed to articles, number of edits made to the articles, overall edit count on the wikis, and how recently they edited the wikis.

More at [Help:Extension:CampaignEvents](https://help:extension:campaignevents)



Our strategy

How will the future look like?



A clearer, more engaging path for participation

Why?

The **internet is changing** and **active editor** numbers are **declining**

What?

A **long-term strategy** meant to enable WMF product teams to provide **technology for fuelling volunteer growth**



A strategy for four teams, for the upcoming years

Based on what?

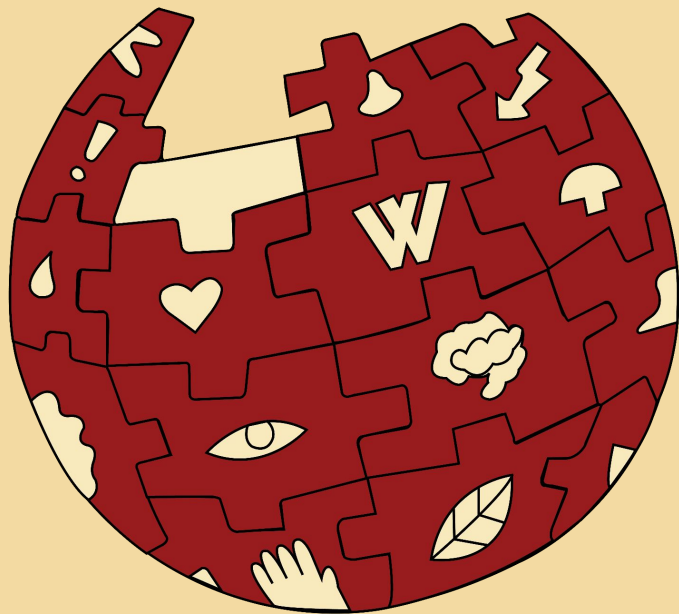
Community Wishlist, conversations with the **Product and Tech Advisory Council**, **qualitative research**, **experimentation** and **data**, and **many discussions** (Discord, Meta, past projects feedback...)

For the long term?

For **multi-generational** communities, based on the identified **contribution trends**, to address the **decline of editors**.

3 strategic pillars

1. **Simplify** how volunteers find new things to work on, track their impact, and stay organized.
2. **Appropriately structured tasks** to help volunteers make the most of their time
3. **A more meaningful experience** centered around human connections and impact





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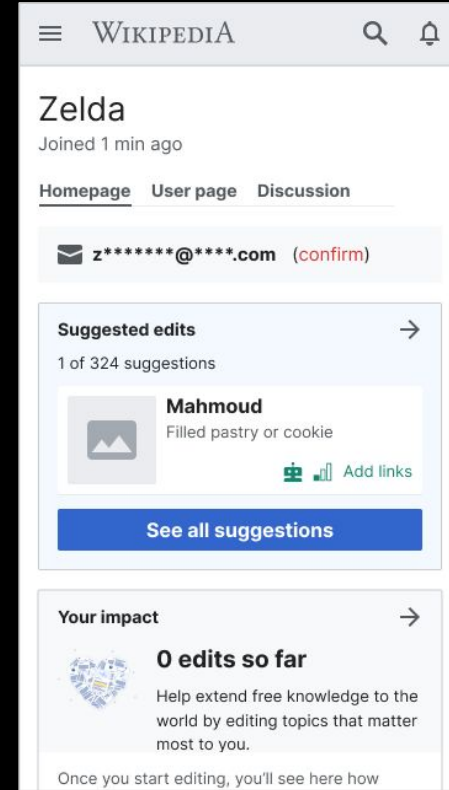
Your perspective

As it is done for you
and the next generations of editors.

Simplify how volunteers find new things to work on, track their impact, and stay organized

- **Homepage** for volunteers to receive recommendations and see their impact
- **Modular and customizable** experience to suit diverse community needs
- **Enable communities** to direct volunteers to where they're needed most

"Many editors have way too many tasks with no way to offload some of them to other contributors looking for tasks." Editor, [Community Wishlist](#)



Mockup of Newcomer Homepage



What features or tools could we build to advance this pillar?

10-15 minutes discussion

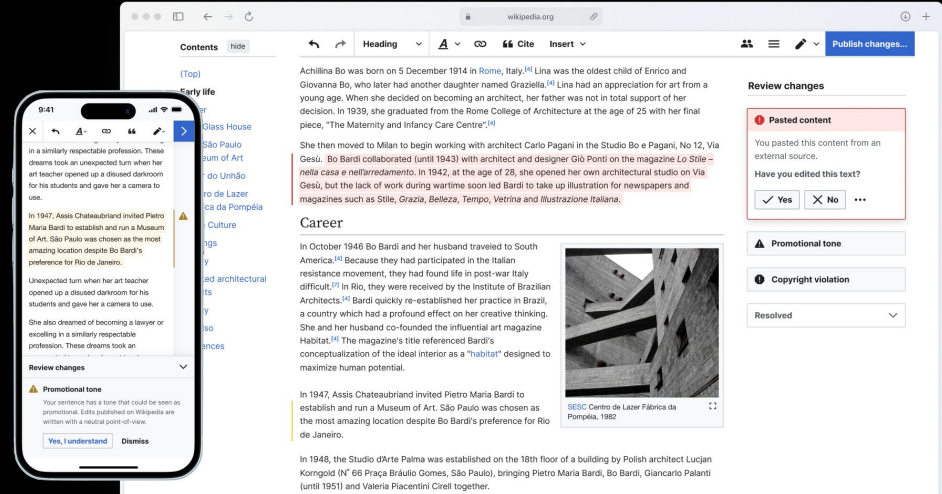
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- **Mobile first** approach



Mockup of Paste Check



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A more meaningful experience centered around human connections and impact

- More surfaces for contributors to **understand their impact**
- More avenues for **human connection** and **feedback / recognition**
- **Goal setting** and **collaboration**

"I love being able to track my name throughout the internet and see where people are using my photographs that I uploaded to Wikimedia Commons."
English Wikipedia editor,
WMF Research

[<](#) Save your changes [Publish](#)

☒ This edit is part of an event

Wiki Loves Pride 2025 [v](#)


1,235
Edits made


54
Active editors

Progress to goal 62%

The organizers of this event have set a goal of 2,000 edits — and you're helping make it happen.

Edit summary (Briefly describe your changes)

Describe what you changed

☐ This is a [minor edit](#)

☒ Watch this page

Review your changes



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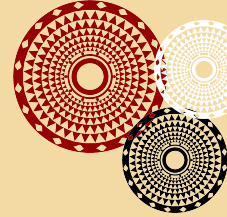
[draft] Contributor Strategy

[\[\[mw:Contributors/Strategy\]\]](#)



Contact us: [\[\[mw:Talk:Contributors\]\]](#)

**Asante. Gracias. Woliwon.
Gangans. Thank you.**



Growth Features

Growth features are standard for newly created accounts, but not default for older accounts.

To test Growth features, adjust **Special:Preferences**

Newcomer editor features

- ☒ Display newcomer homepage
- ☒ Default to newcomer homepage from username link in personal tools
- ☒ Enable the editor help panel

