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Agenda

- Housekeeping
- What is Wikipedia?
- Why edit?
- Engaging GLAMS
- Wikipedia's gender gap
- Basics and policies
- Article anatomy
- Let's practice
- Other ways to edit
- Review of resources



Housekeeping

Wifi, wiki event page, username creation



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Wikipedia

What exactly is it, anyway???

What is Wikipedia?

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-Jimmy Wales, co-founder, Wikipedia

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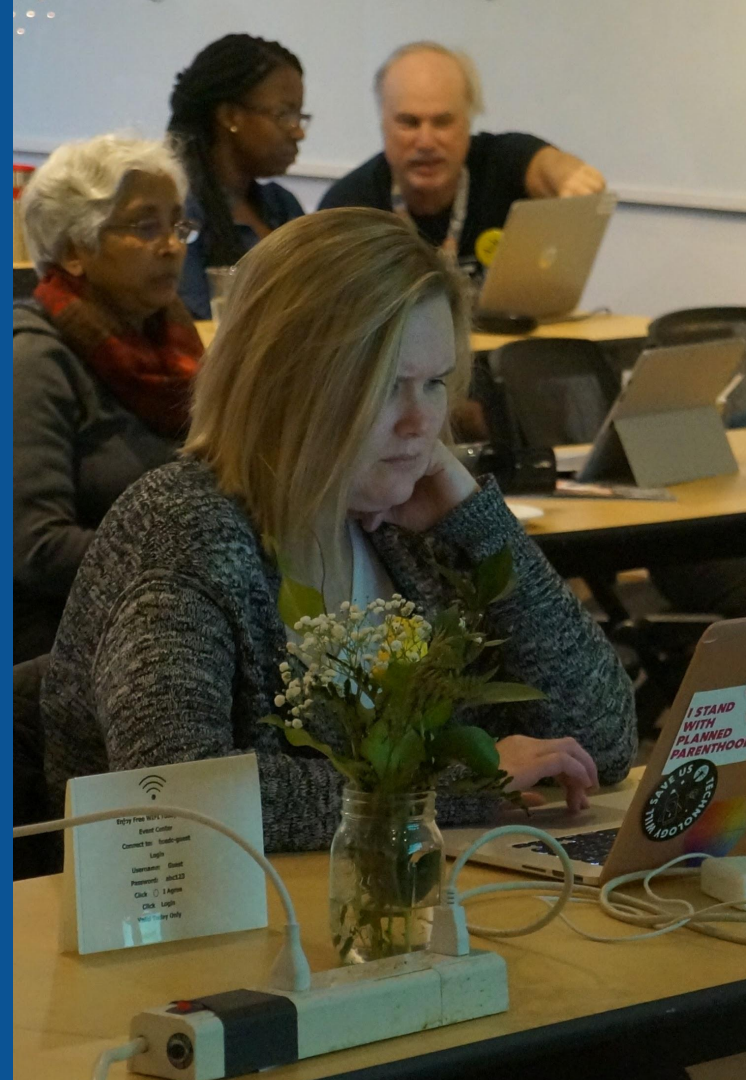
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Why Edit?

Because #FactsMatter

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=xQ4ba28-oGs>

Engaging GLAMS

Galleries, Libraries,
Archives and Museums

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The **GLAM–Wiki initiative** ("galleries, libraries, archives, and museums" with Wikipedia; also including botanic and zoological gardens) helps cultural institutions share their resources with the world through collaborative projects with experienced Wikipedia editors.

Why Engage GLAMs?

- **Gatekeepers of art, culture and history**
 - **Subject matter experts**
- **Access to collections, libraries, images**
- **Engaged audiences and stakeholders**

Why Partner with Wikipedia

- **Mission fulfillment
(education, community engagement,
interpretation)**
- **Share resources and collections
with the world**
- **Drive millions of WP page views per day**
- **Measure impact by monitoring article views**

*Be mindful of the [Conflict of Interest Policy](#)



Why Partner with Wikipedia

- Document collections in case of emergency
- Quickly mobilize the Wikimedia community

See Article:

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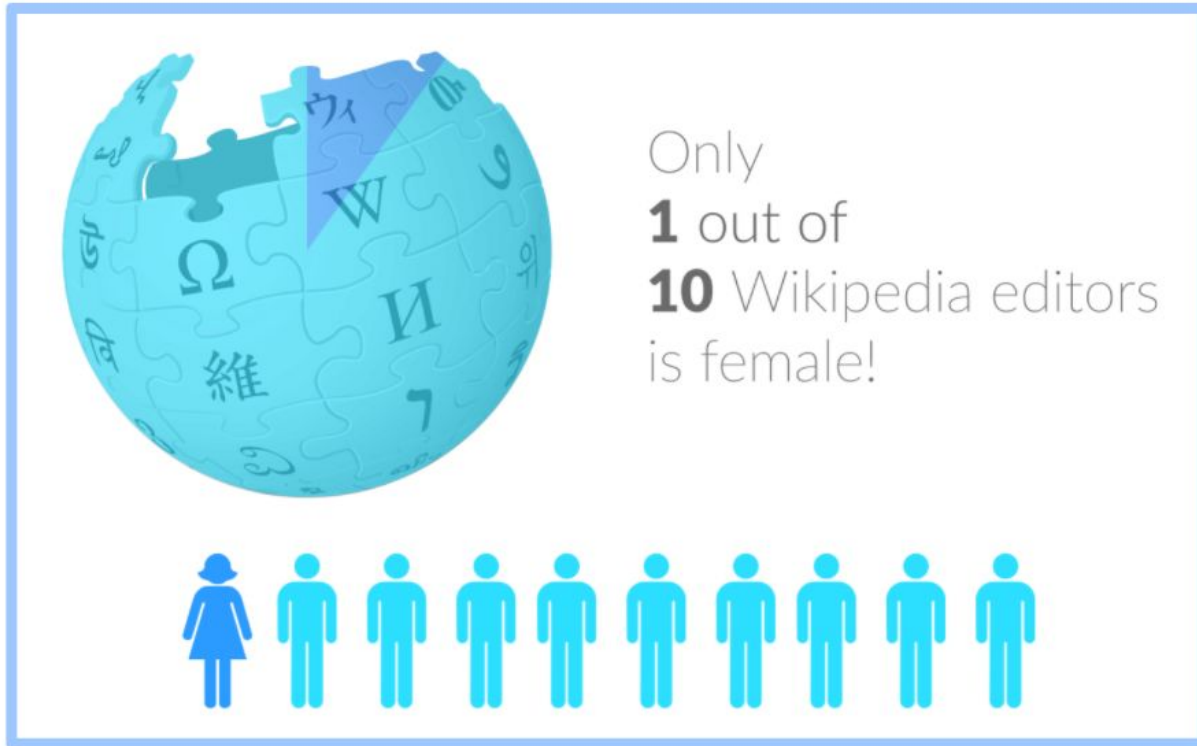
Wikipedia's Gender Gap

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Editor gender gap? Unsilence the silent



Content gender gap? Make the invisible visible

Percentage of women's biographies

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Ramón Armando Rodríguez. <i>Diccionario Biográfico, Geográfico e Histórico de Venezuela</i>	English language Wikipedia	English language Wikipedia

How Can We Fix This?

- Engagement through edit-a-thons, training opportunities and [Wikiprojects like Women in Red](#). ([Example: NMWA event featured the the BBC](#))
- Ideal Partners Are: Nonprofits*, colleges/universities, government entities and beyond

***75% of nonprofit employees are female.
These nonprofits include educational, scientific and literary organizations. It's time to engage these 'gatekeepers'.**

*Source The White House Project's 2009 report, *Benchmarking Women's Leadership*,

Wikipedia Basics and Policies

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Wikis

- A website where anyone can edit any page at any time
- Meant to be "quick"
- Remembers all versions (nothing ever destroyed)
- Hyperlinks between pages

Wikipedia policies

- **Neutral Point of View** - written so all sides can agree
- **Notability** - significant independent sources -> importance
- **Verifiability** - Using reliable sources to reference information
- **No original research** - point to existing scholarship
- **Assume good faith** - start with congenial spirit
- **Conflicts of interest** - disclose and abide by terms of service

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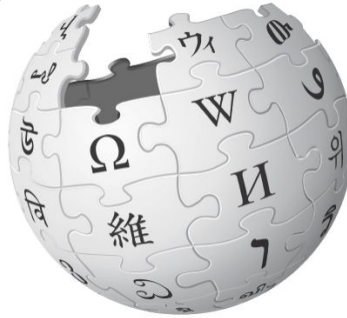
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In the news

- The British construction and services company [Carillion](#) goes into [compulsory liquidation](#).
- The oil tanker *MV [Sanchi](#)* sinks with the loss of all 32 crew eight days after [colliding with another ship](#).



Mudflow damage in Santa Barbara County

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 - Signals membership in community
 - Facilitates discussion
 - Preferences and privacy

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The [Virginia Company](#) brought eight [Polish](#)^[5] ^[6] and [German](#) colonists in 1608 in the [Second Supply](#), some of whom built a small glass factory—although the Germans and a few others soon defected to the Powhatans with weapons and supplies from the settlement.^{[7][8][9][10]} The Second Supply also brought the first two European women to the settlement.^{[7][8]} In 1619, the first documented Africans came to Jamestown—about 50 men, women, and children aboard a Portuguese slave ship that had been captured in the West Indies and brought to the Jamestown region. They most likely worked in the tobacco fields as indentured servants, but they became slaves as time went on.^[11] The modern conception of [slavery in the United](#)

Jamestown, Virginia

Jamestowne, Virginia

Fort (1607); Town (1619)



The ruined tower of the 17th century [Jamestown Church](#); the [nave](#) was reconstructed in 1907 on the original foundations



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Additional Sections

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- [APVA web site for the Jamestown Rediscovery project](#)
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 - [Jamestown 1607](#)
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Additional Sections

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Article policies

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Jamestown, Virginia has been listed as a **level-5 vital article** in History. If you can improve it, [please do](#). This article has been rated as **B-Class**.



This article is within the scope of **WikiProject Virginia**, a collaborative effort to improve the coverage of the **U.S. state of Virginia** on Wikipedia. If you would like to participate, please visit the project page, where you can join the [discussion](#) and see a list of open tasks.



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Let's Practice

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Edit w/ Visual Editor = What you see is what you get (mostly)

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The screenshot shows the Wikipedia edit interface for the article "Jamestown, Virginia". The page title is "Jamestown, Virginia" with a green checkmark and "[edit | edit source]". Below the title is a sub-header "A B-class article from Wikipedia, the free encyclopedia". The main text begins with "The **Jamestown**^[1] settlement in the Colony of Virginia was the first permanent English settlement in the Americas. It was located on the east bank of the Powhatan (James) River about 2.5 mi (4 km) southwest of the center of modern Williamsburg. William Kelso writes that Jamestown "is where the British Empire began".^[2] It was established by the Virginia Company of London as "James Fort" on May 4, 1607 O.S.;(May 14, 1607 N.S.),^[3] and was considered permanent after brief abandonment in 1610. It followed several failed attempts, including the Lost Colony of Roanoke, established in 1585".

Annotations on the screenshot include:

- A yellow callout box labeled "Formatting buttons" points to the top toolbar containing icons for undo, redo, paragraph, text color, link, cite, list, insert, and help.
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- A red circle highlights the "Visual editing" option in the dropdown menu that appears when the pencil icon is clicked.

The bottom right of the screenshot shows a sidebar for "Jamestown, Virginia" with a sub-header "Jamestowne, Virginia" and a section "Fort (1607); Town (1619)".

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and early efforts were failures—most notably the [Roanoke Colony](#) which vanished about 1590.

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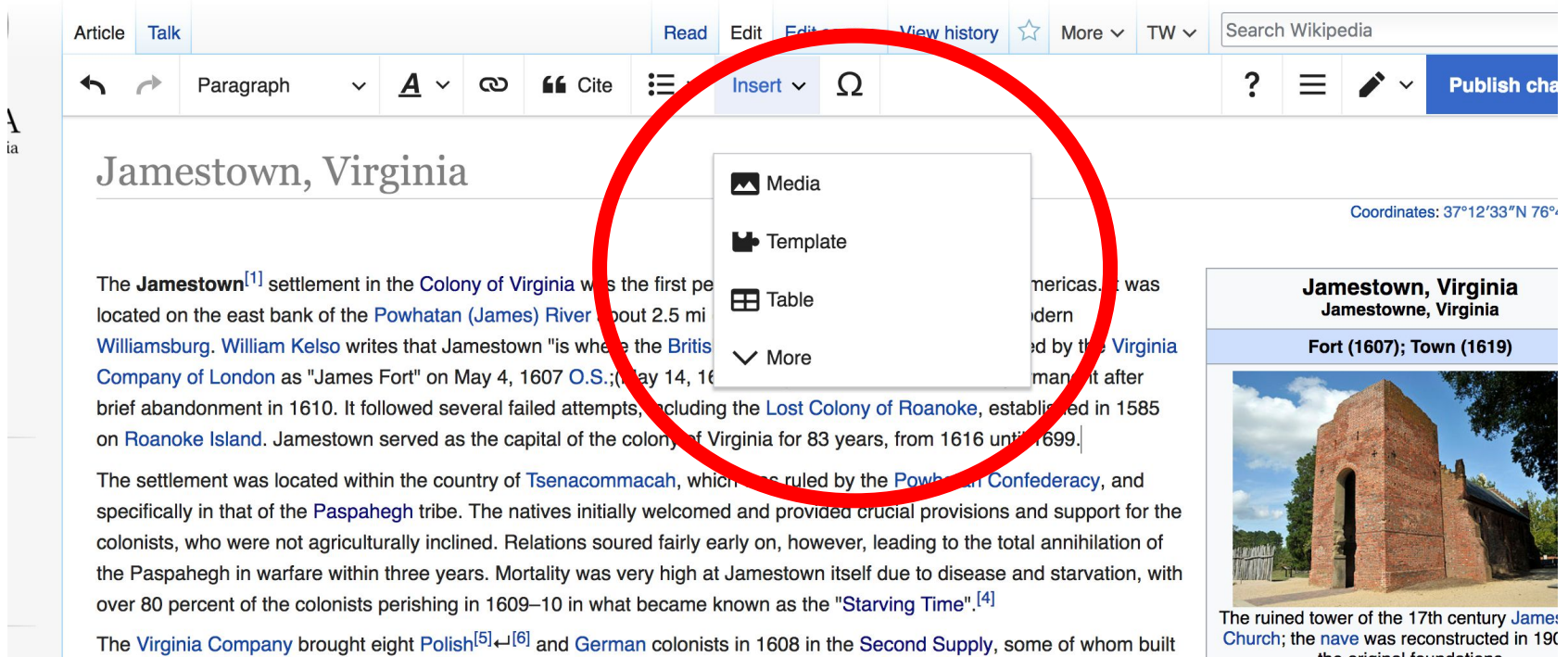
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Adding Photos with Wikimedia Commons



The screenshot shows the Wikipedia article for 'Jamestown, Virginia'. The 'Insert' menu is open, and the 'Media' option is highlighted with a red circle. The article text describes the settlement's location on the east bank of the Powhatan (James) River, its founding by the Virginia Company of London in 1607, and its role as the capital of the colony. A sidebar on the right shows a photo of the ruined tower of the 17th century Jamestown Church, with a caption indicating it was reconstructed in 1904.

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The **Jamestown**^[1] settlement in the [Colony of Virginia](#) was the first permanent English settlement in North America. It was located on the east bank of the [Powhatan \(James\) River](#) about 2.5 miles (4.0 km) from the modern city of [Williamsburg](#). [William Kelso](#) writes that Jamestown "is where the [British](#) [Company of London](#) as "James Fort" on May 4, 1607 O.S.; (May 14, 1607 N.S.) was founded by the [Virginia](#) [Company](#). It was abandoned after a brief abandonment in 1610. It followed several failed attempts, including the [Lost Colony of Roanoke](#), established in 1585 on [Roanoke Island](#). Jamestown served as the capital of the colony of Virginia for 83 years, from 1616 until 1699.


The settlement was located within the country of [Tsenacommacah](#), which was ruled by the [Powhatan Confederacy](#), and specifically in that of the [Paspahugh](#) tribe. The natives initially welcomed and provided crucial provisions and support for the colonists, who were not agriculturally inclined. Relations soured fairly early on, however, leading to the total annihilation of the Paspahugh in warfare within three years. Mortality was very high at Jamestown itself due to disease and starvation, with over 80 percent of the colonists perishing in 1609–10 in what became known as the "[Starving Time](#)".^[4]

The [Virginia Company](#) brought eight [Polish](#)^[5]←^[6] and [German](#) colonists in 1608 in the [Second Supply](#), some of whom built

Jamestown, Virginia

Jamestowne, Virginia

Fort (1607); Town (1619)



The ruined tower of the 17th century [Jamestown Church](#); the nave was reconstructed in 1904 on the original foundations.

1. Place cursor
2. Select: 'Insert' + 'Media'
3. Enter search term
4. Select photo + 'Use this image'

Adding Categories

Categories (+⁺): Populated places established in 1607 (-) (±) | Archaeological sites in Virginia (-) (±) | Former English colonies (-) (±) | History of Bermuda (-) (±)
| Populated places on the James River (Virginia) (-) (±) | Populated places in colonial Virginia (-) (±) | Populated places in James City County, Virginia (-) (±)
| James River (Virginia) (-) (±) | Former colonial and territorial capitals in the United States (-) (±) | 1607 establishments in Virginia (-) (±) | Jamestown, Virginia (-) (±)
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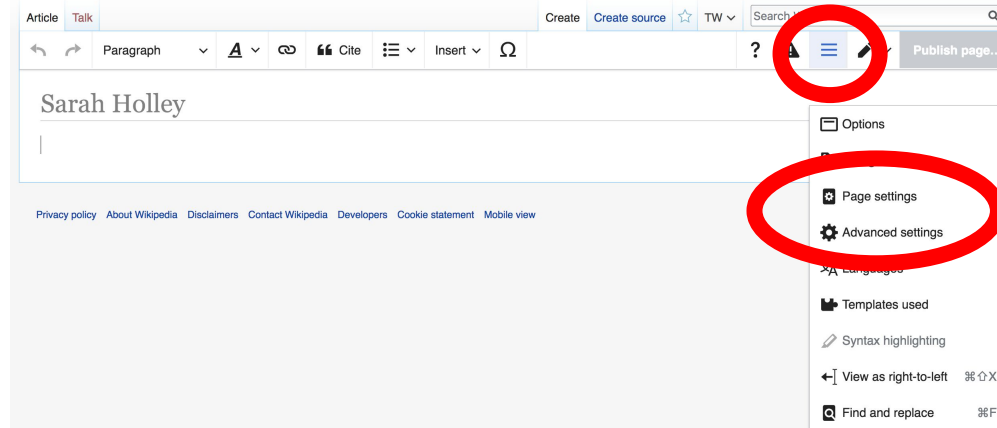
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2. Type the category name into the field, i.e. **Former English Colonies** Only existing categories will appear in the list of options. You may create new categories.
3. Select **'Apply Changes'**

Explore linked articles

- Search linked articles for relevant information
- ‘Copy and Paste’ is acceptable between WP articles as long as content is relevant and credit is given
 - Also a good way to find new sources

Redirects

1. Identify target article: **Sallie Holley**
2. Create a new article. Name it the alias.
‘Sarah Holley’
3. To Redirect, select icon w/ three lines.
4. Select Page settings.



Redirects cont.

4. Select 'Redirect page to'

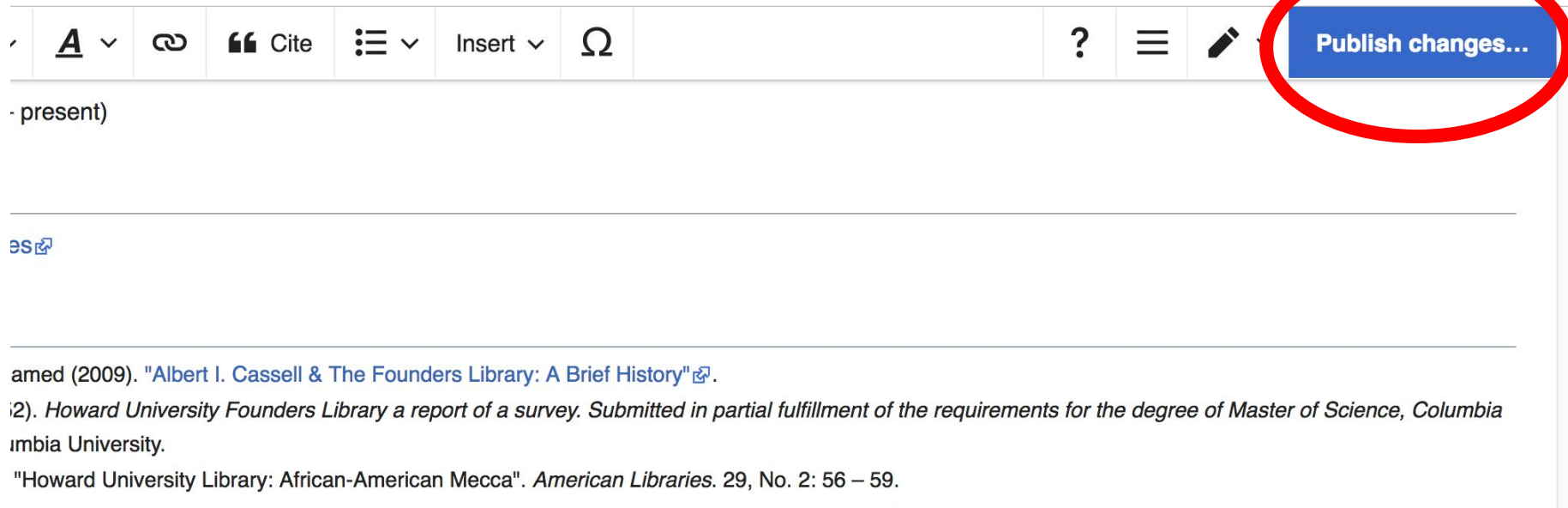
5. Enter name of the target article

(Ex. **Sallie Holley**)

3. Select Apply changes 4. Select 'Apply changes

The screenshot shows the 'Options' dialog box in Wikipedia. The 'Page settings' section is selected in the left sidebar. In the 'Page settings' area, the checkbox 'Redirect this page to' is checked and circled in red. Below it, the text 'Sallie Holley' is entered in the input field and also circled in red. The 'Apply changes' button in the top right corner is circled in red. Other options visible include 'Prevent this redirect from being updated when target page is moved.', 'Show the Table of Contents' (with buttons for 'Always', 'If needed', and 'Never'), 'Disable the edit links next to each heading on this page.', and 'This is a disambiguation page'.

Don't forget to 'Publish Changes'



The image shows a screenshot of a document editor's toolbar. The toolbar includes icons for text formatting (bold, italic, underline), linking, citation, list creation, insertion, and a search icon. On the right side of the toolbar, there is a blue button labeled "Publish changes..." which is circled in red. Below the toolbar, the text "- present)" is visible. Further down, there is a small icon resembling a document with a magnifying glass. At the bottom of the screenshot, there are two lines of text: "amed (2009). \"Albert I. Cassell & The Founders Library: A Brief History\"". and "i2). Howard University Founders Library a report of a survey. Submitted in partial fulfillment of the requirements for the degree of Master of Science, Columbia mbia University." followed by "Howard University Library: African-American Mecca". American Libraries. 29, No. 2: 56 – 59.

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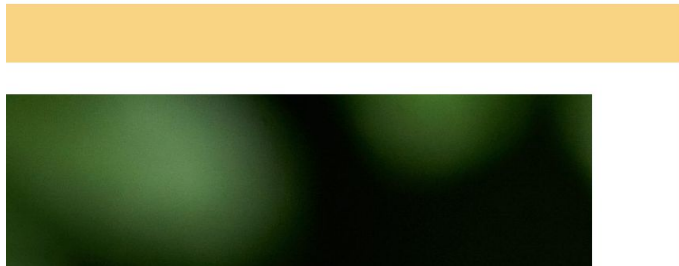
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
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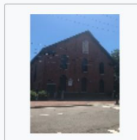
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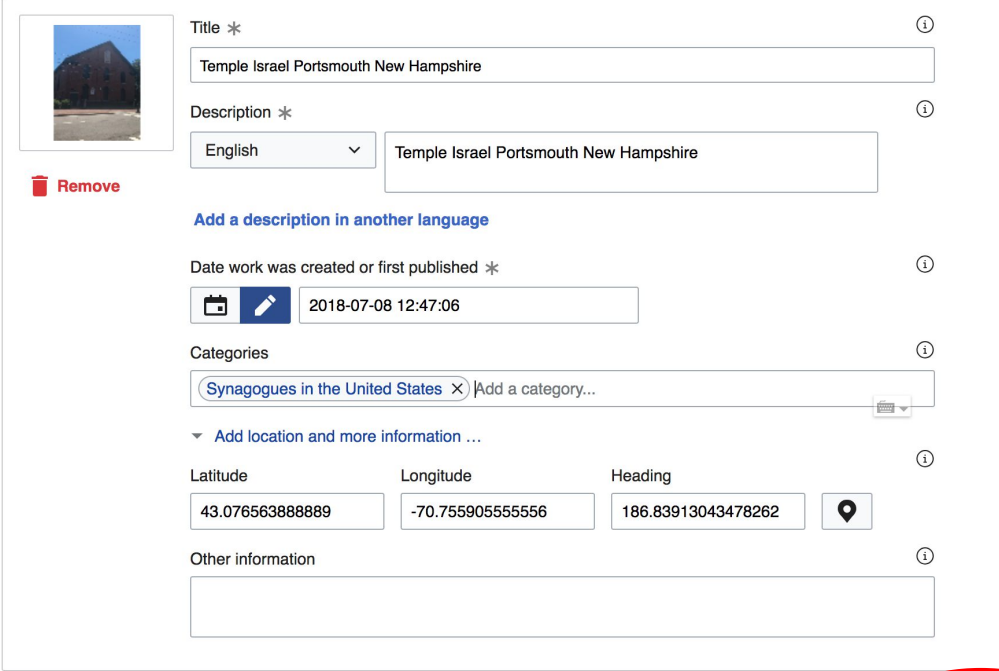
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4. Name and caption your photo, add category



The screenshot shows a form for adding a photo. On the left, there is a photo of a building with a red 'Remove' button below it. The form fields are as follows:

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- Date work was created or first published ***: 2018-07-08 12:47:06
- Categories**: Synagogues in the United States (selected), Add a category...
- Add location and more information ...**:
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 - Longitude**: -70.755905555556
 - Heading**: 186.83913043478262
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At the bottom, there are two buttons: 'Back' and 'Next'. The 'Next' button is circled in red.