



GLAM-WIKI teams in the field

Ethnographic field documentation of folklore customs
Wikimedia Polska & National Museum of Ethnography,
Warsaw

The problem:

Copyright challenges => very few resources related to Polish ethnography and cultural anthropology on the Web

The solution:

A joint project in which Wikipedians, Museum staff and students create a large body of new documentary material and referenced background texts:

A Year of Folk Customs with Wikipedia

The team:

5+ Wikipedians

7 Museum researchers

7 students

The timeframe:

February to November 2015









The plan:

February: Planning, recruiting volunteers, requesting funding for Museum

March: Training workshops

April: Field documentation (4 locations across Poland)

May - June: Editing video, gathering sources, writing articles, uploads

July: Further workshops, editing

August - September: Field documentation (3 locations); uploads

October: Final edits, preparing Museum publication

November: Project conclusion at the Museum, workshop with residents

The outcome so far:

- 14 people trained in Commons upload and basic editing
 - 400 photographs uploaded to Commons
 - 20 video interviews with residents (to be uploaded)
 - 7 video recordings of rituals (in edit, t.b.u.)
 - list of articles to be expanded
 - bibliography
- Commons:Category:Rok obrzędowy z Wikipedią**

The outcome at conclusion:

- 1500 media on Commons, including video recordings, interviews, audio
- Set of 21+ articles on Polish Wikipedia and 1 long article on enwiki
- Museum book publication, BY-SA licensed
- 20 residents trained in Commons upload and Wikipedia basics

GLAM-Wiki projects at Wikimedia Polska

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