

Wikimedia Foundation metrics meeting

25 May 2017



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Agenda

- **Welcomes, theme introduction**
- **Movement update**
- **New filters for edit review**
- **The Keilana Effect**
- **Executive update**
- **Questions and discussion**
- **Wikilove**



Welcome

Requisition hires:

- Eileen Hershenov - Legal - SF
- James Buatti - Legal - SF (conversion)
- Valonna Fowler - T&C - SF (conversion)

Contractors, interns & volunteers:

- Soohyun Pae - Product - South Korea
- Dina Ljekperic - Legal - SF
- Diana Lee - Legal - SF
- Alex Shahrestani - Legal - SF
- Lisa Hiraide - Talent & Culture - SF

Anniversaries

A close-up photograph of a dragonfly perched on a thin, light-brown wooden branch. The dragonfly has a dark blue and black segmented body with yellow markings on its abdomen. Its four transparent wings are spread out, showing intricate vein patterns. The background is a soft, out-of-focus green, suggesting a natural outdoor setting.

Roan Kattouw (8 yrs)

Pats Pena (6 yrs)

Maggie Dennis (6 yrs)

Daniel Zahn (6 yrs)

Katie Horn (6 yrs)

Subbu Sastry (5 yrs)

Anna Lantz (4 yrs)

Alexandros Kosiaris (4 yrs)

Filippo Giunchedi (3 yrs)

Bernd Sitzmann (3 yrs)

Mukunda Modell (3 yrs)

Abigail Ripstra (3 yrs)

Maria Cruz (3 yrs)

Elena Goliy (3 yrs)

Daniel Duvall (3 yrs)

Dylan Kozlowski (3 yrs)

Volker Eckl (2 yrs)

Casey Dentinger (2 yrs)

Jaime Crespo (2 yrs)

Samantha Lien (2 yrs)

Benoît Evellin (2 yrs)

Darian Anthony Patrick (2 yrs)

Ed Erhart (2 yrs)

Johan Jonsson (2 yrs)

Joe Sutherland (2 yrs)

Vahid Masrouf (1 yr)

Leon Ziemba (1 yr)

Joe Walsh (1 yr)

Movement update



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Wiki-Med: An Academic Elective Course in Israel

By Shani Evenstein ([[user:Esh77]])

Consider the following:

- Wikipedia - **#1 source of medical information.**

But -- no good coverage in **all languages***

* [Number of med articles per language](#)

- Wikipedia - **helps develop skills, literacies & competencies.**

But -- to fulfil potential, we need **time**.



Wiki-Med, Class of 2013-2014
At Sackler School of Medicine, Tel Aviv University

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Wiki-Med: Results so far



- The 1st semester-long, for credit, elective course*
- Opened in Oct 2013; 4 iterations
- 106 students wrote 210 articles.
- ~ 8% of the medical content in He-Wiki.
- ~ 4 million page views.
- Focus on:
 - Digital & academic literacies
 - Collaborative skill
 - Medical competencies
 - Active learning
- **Result in:** Positive, impactful learning experience.



Small groups workshop:
discussing NPOV & Copyrights violations

* [Wiki-Med at Tel Aviv University](#)

Inclusivity in Wiki-Med

- Native speakers: He, Ar, Ru, Fr.
- ~ 50% women.

- **Not only Wikipedia!**
- **Collaborations with:**
 - WikiProject Medicine Foundation
 - WikiWomen

- **2015: 2nd course at TAU - open to all undergraduates from all disciplines.**

- **Next year: Wiki Interest Group** for American Med program - focus on WP, WD, Academic Research.



Wiki-Med, Class of 2016-2017, January, 2017, TAU.

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Representation matters.



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Wikimedia Foundation highlights

- **Mediawiki Documentation. Write the Docs SF meetup** (May 4), which offered a chance to share experiences about the importance of documentation for Mediawiki; (2) **1st ever Mediawiki Documentation day** (May 12), an online event to list high-priority documentation needs requests, and addressing those.
- **2017 Board elections.** Voting closed on May 14. Thanks to all who voted! **Your voice matters.** Welcome to our new Board members!
- **Hackathon.** May 19 - 21 in Vienna, Austria.
- **Wikimedia Foundation Engagement survey.** The survey closed on May 20. It is meant to identify ways to increase individual and organizational engagement at the Foundation.



Coming up in June

- **Funds Dissemination Committee elections.** The FDC is a group of Wikimedians who make recommendations to the Wikimedia Foundation Board about Annual Plan Grant proposals and fund allocation. Deadline for candidates' submissions is **May 28**, questions go on until **June 2**, voting is held on **June 3 - 11**.
- **Iberoconf 2017. June 10 - 12.** The regional knowledge exchange conference for Wikimedia affiliates from Italy, Spain, and seven Latin American countries.

New filters for edit review



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New Filters for Edit Review

Joe Matazzoni
Product Manager, [Collaboration Team](#)



Things I learned from Aaron Halfaker

Good is more common than **bad**



Good is ^{much} more common than **bad**

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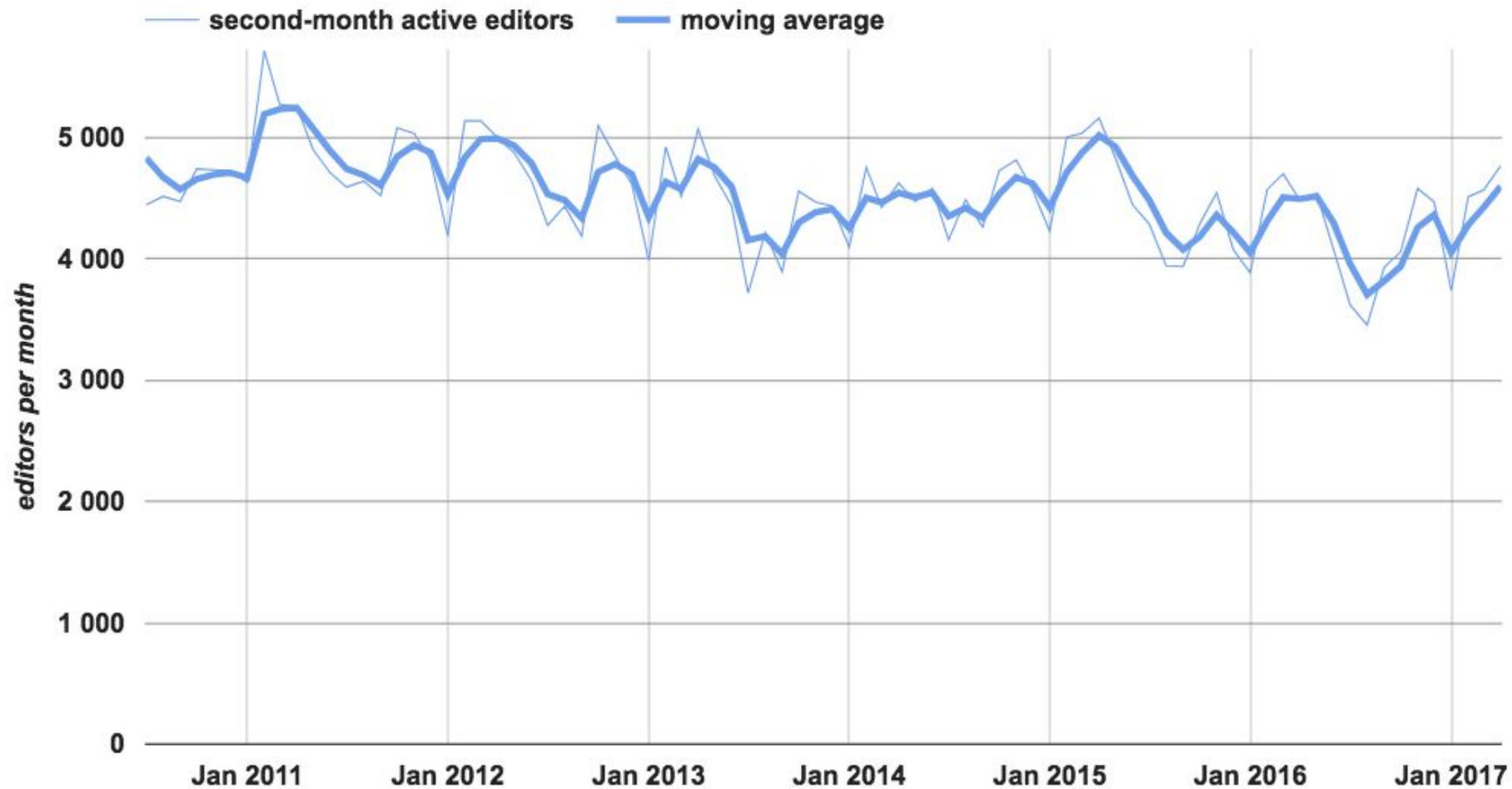
[On English Wikipedia]

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Goals

1. Increase reviewer efficiency
2. Protect good-faith newcomers

Improvements to Recent Changes page

1. Interface: Friendlier yet more powerful
2. New features and filters (lots!)
3. Fully leverage machine learning

Demo!



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More to come

- Save settings
- “Reverted” filter
- Real-time updates
- Bring new UI & tools to Watchlist
- Much more...

Collaboration!



New filters for edit review links

- [Collaboration Team](#)
- [Project & help pages](#)
- [Talk page—tell us what you think!](#)
- [Project to-do list on Phabricator](#)

Thanks!

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The Keilana Effect



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Meet Emily Temple-Wood!

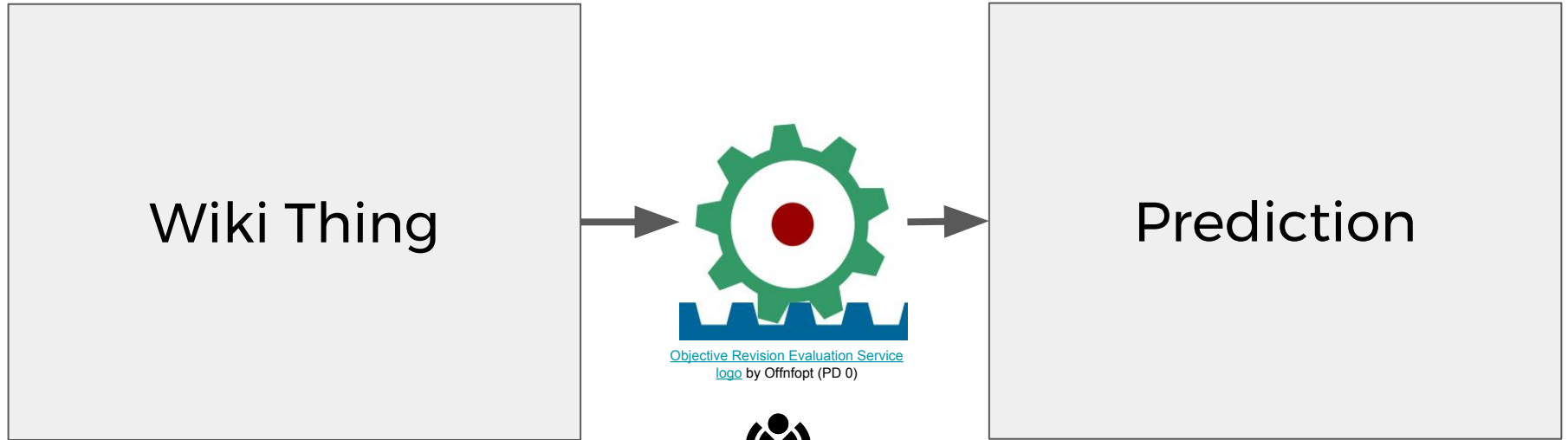


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- 2. The story**
- 3. Take-aways**

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Measuring the “Keilana Effect”

...with ORES



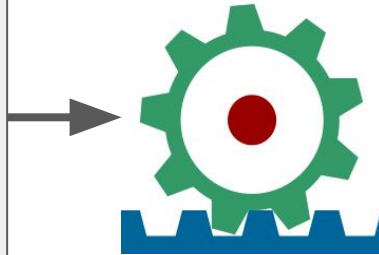
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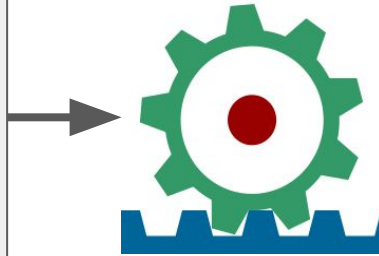
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<https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Biology>



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
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
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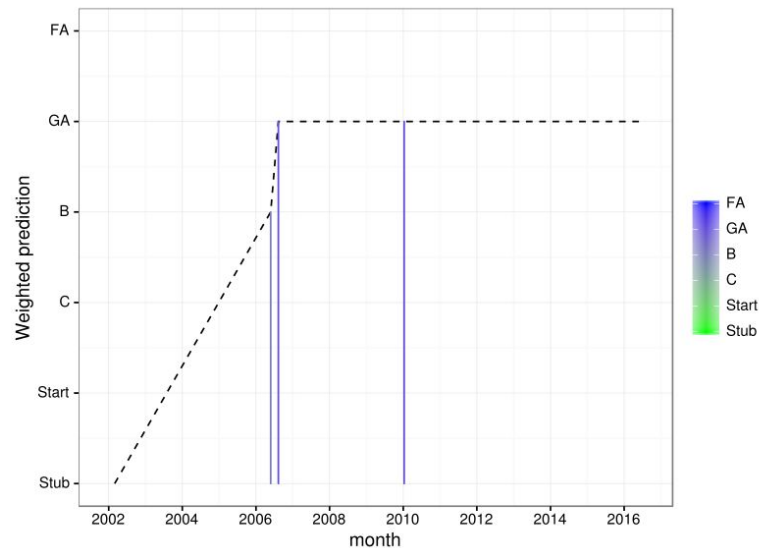
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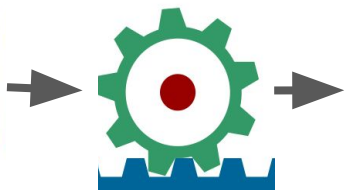
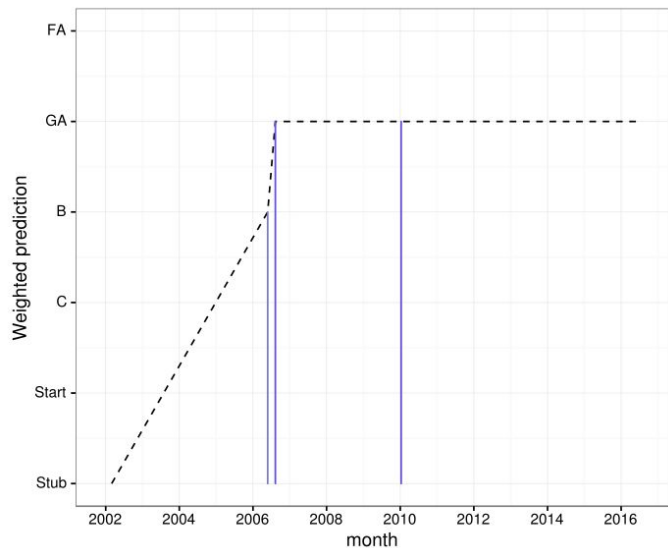




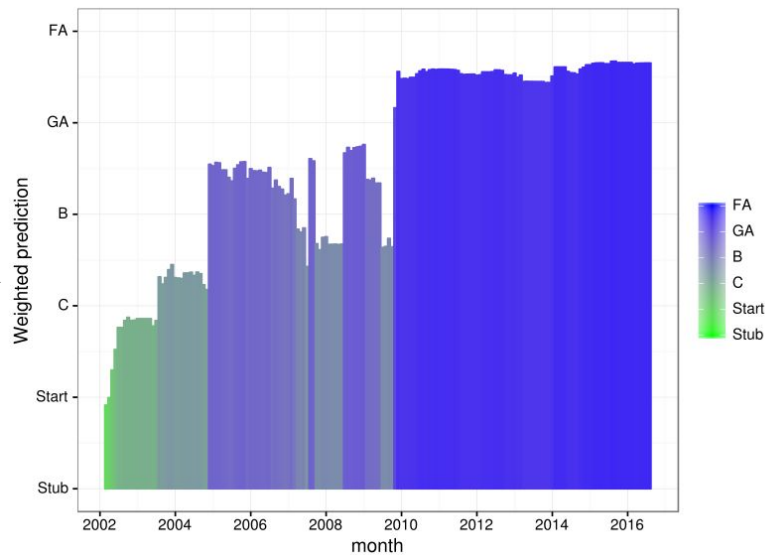
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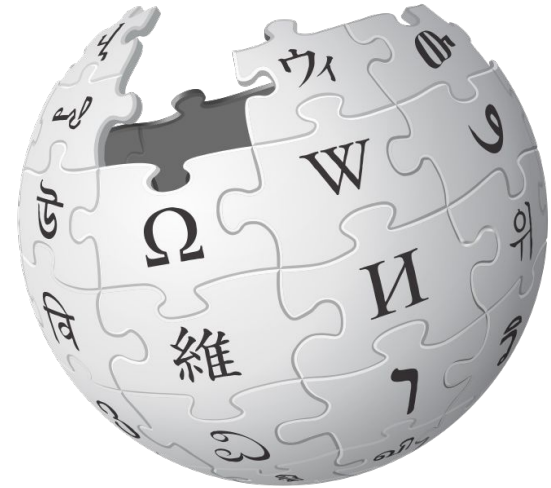


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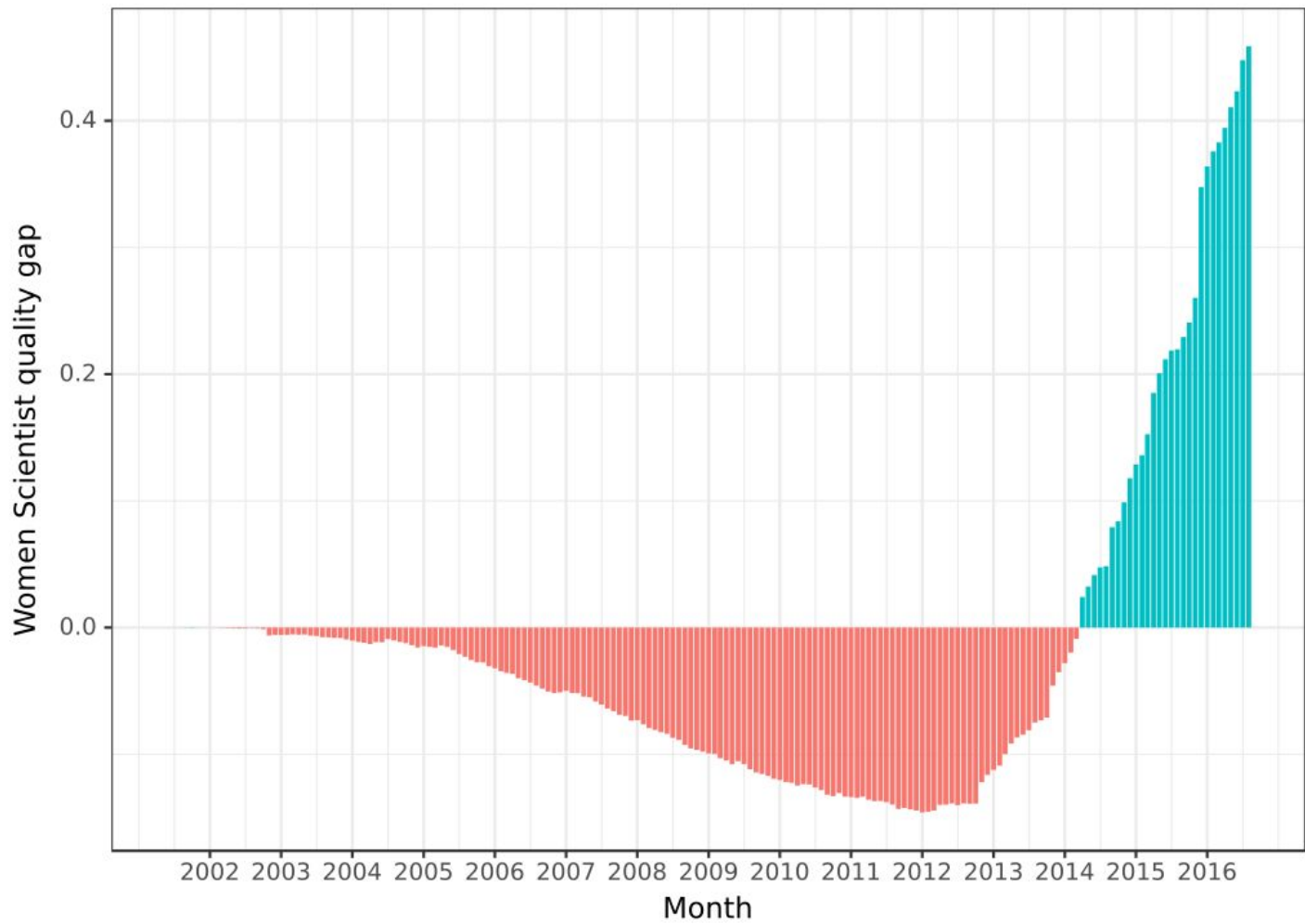


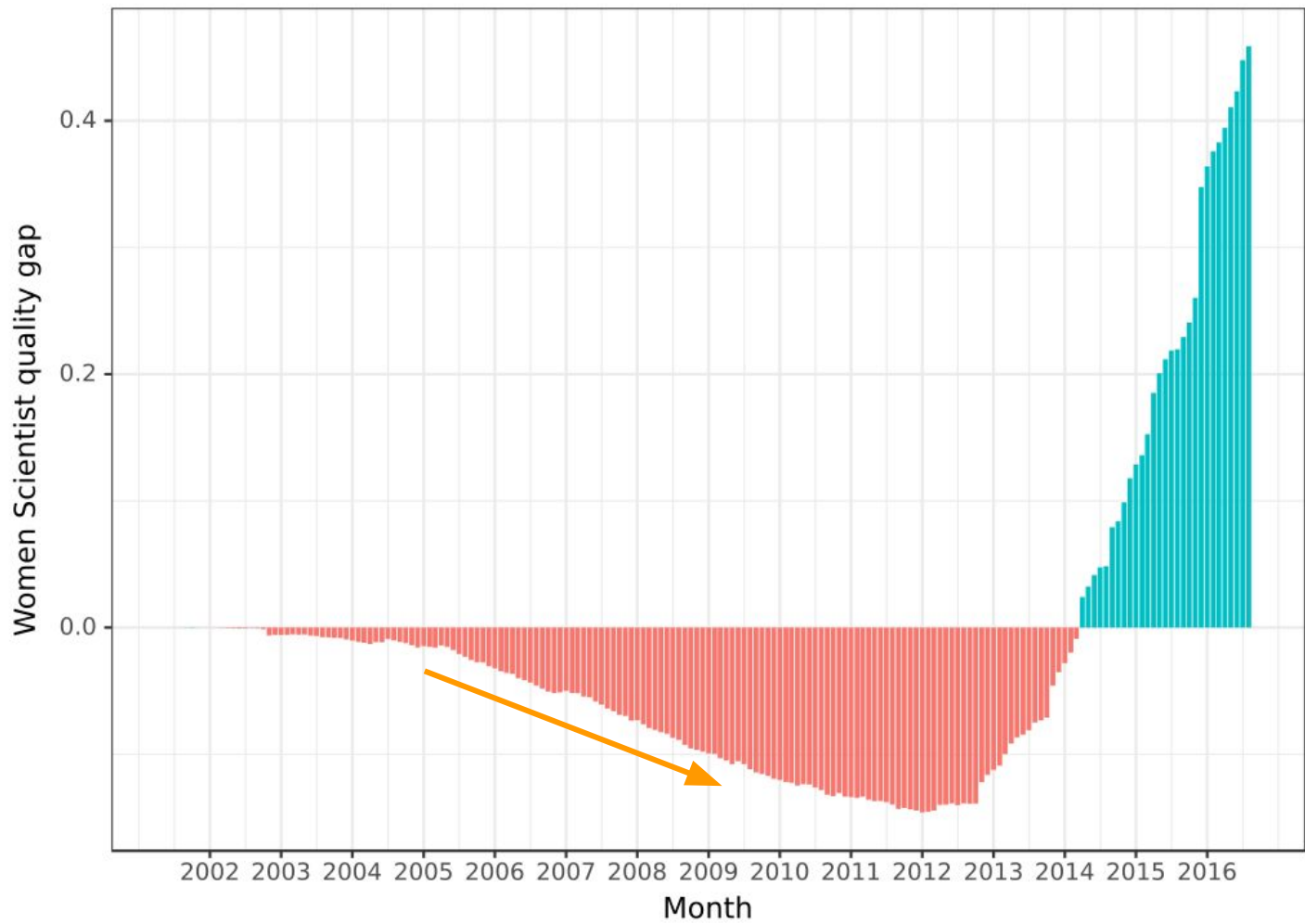
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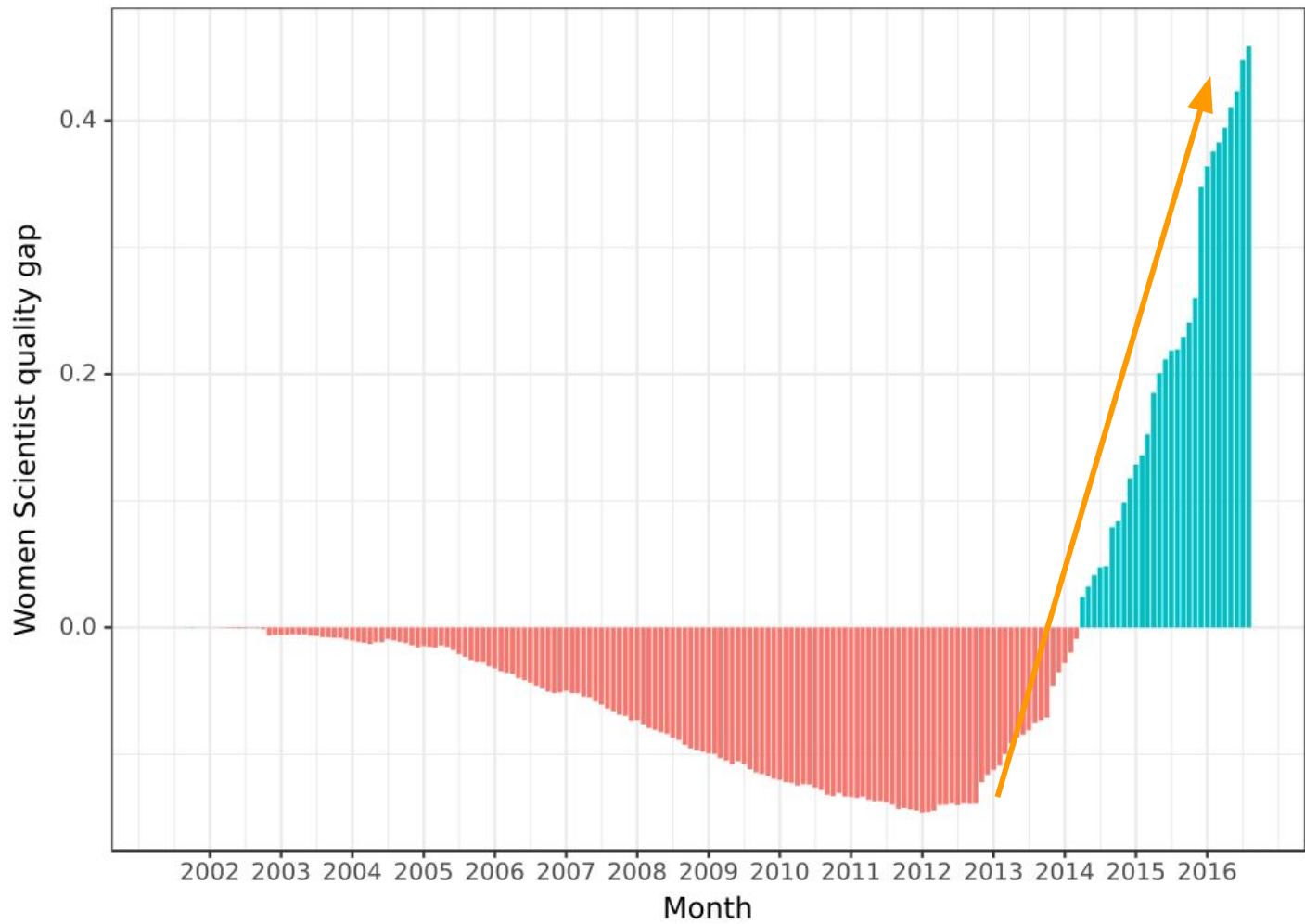
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[\[:mw:Wikimedia Research/Showcase\]](#) (Dec. 2016)

“English Wikipedia Quality Dynamics and the Case of WikiProject Women Scientists”



2. The story

Ann Bishop (biologist)



From Wikipedia, the free encyclopedia

Ann Bishop (19 December 1899 – 7 May 1990) was a [British biologist](#) from [Girton College](#) at the [University of Cambridge](#) and a [Fellow of the Royal Society](#), one of the few [female Fellows of the Royal Society](#). She was born in [Manchester](#) but stayed at Cambridge for the vast majority of her professional life. Her specialties were [protozoology](#) and [parasitology](#); early work with [ciliate](#) parasites, including the one responsible for [blackhead disease](#) in the [domesticated turkey](#), lay the groundwork for her later research. While working towards her [doctorate](#), Bishop studied parasitic [amoebae](#) and examined potential [chemotherapies](#) for the treatment of amoebic diseases including [amoebic dysentery](#).

Her best known work was a comprehensive study of [Plasmodium](#), the [malaria](#) parasite, and investigation of various chemotherapies for the disease. Later she studied [drug resistance](#) in this parasite, research that proved valuable to the British military in [World War II](#). She discovered the potential for [cross-resistance](#) in these parasites during that same period. Bishop also discovered the protozoan [Pseudotrichomonas keilini](#) and

Ann Bishop



Born

19 December 1899
[Manchester, England](#)

Women in science

From Wikipedia, the free encyclopedia

Women have made significant contributions to [science](#) from the earliest times. Historians with an interest in [gender](#) and science have illuminated the scientific endeavors and accomplishments of women, the barriers they have faced, and the strategies implemented to have their work [peer-reviewed](#) and accepted in major scientific journals and other publications. The historical, critical and [sociological](#) study of these issues has become an academic discipline in its own right.

The involvement of [women in the field of medicine](#) occurred in several early civilizations and the study of [natural philosophy](#) in [ancient Greece](#) was open to women. Women contributed to the [proto-science](#) of [alchemy](#) in the first or second centuries AD. During the Middle Ages, [convents](#) were an important place of education for women, and some of these communities provided opportunities for women to contribute to scholarly research. While the eleventh century saw the emergence of the [first universities](#), women were, for the most part, excluded from university education.^[1] The attitude to educating women in medical fields in Italy



"Woman teaching geometry"

Illustration at the beginning of a [medieval translation of Euclid's *Elements*](#) (c. 1310 AD)

WikiProject Women Scientists invites your participation

By [Sarah Stierch](#)

December 18th, 2012

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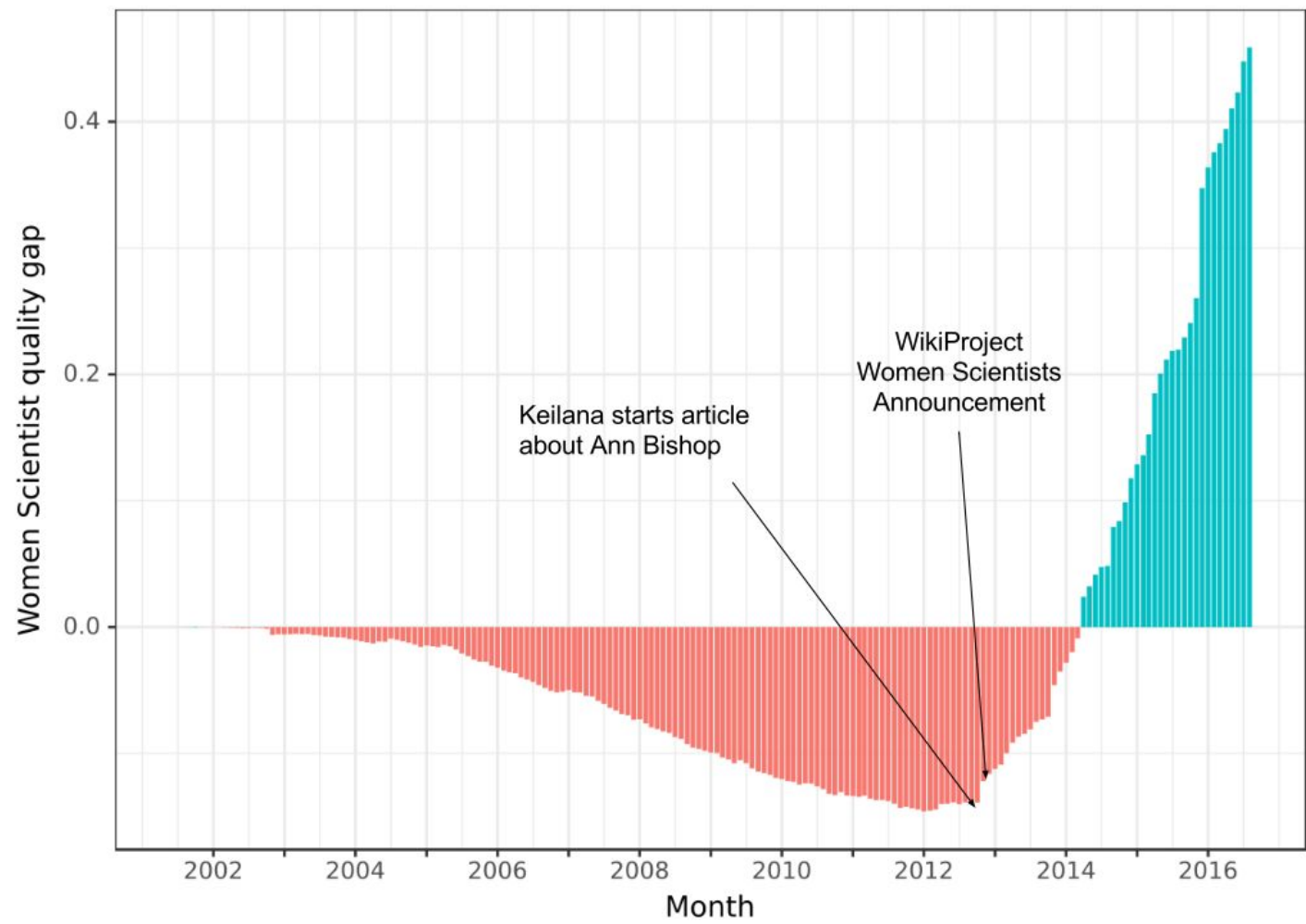
Women Scientists Workshop
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**“This has been a long hard road
but I've greatly enjoyed
engaging with the grants team
and the grants.”**

https://meta.wikimedia.org/wiki/Grants:IEG/Women_Scientists_Workshop_Development/Renewal/Final

The Keilana Effect



Read more about the measurement

[\[:m:Research:Interpolating quality dynamics in Wikipedia and demonstrating the Keilana Effect\]](#)

3. Take aways

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https://meta.wikimedia.org/wiki/Grants:IEG/Women_Scientists_Workshop_Development (CC BY SA 3.0)

Are there other projects like Keilana's?

With ORES, we can find other inflection points.

Questions and discussion



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WikiMed

- January 2017 marked the completion of the **4th iteration** of the course.
- **106** medical students participated in the course, almost **50% of them women**.
- The majority of participants were **Hebrew** native speakers, but many were **Arabic** native speakers, and some **Russian** and **French** native speakers.
- On average, each student wrote 2 articles during the semester, collectively contributing over **200 new articles** (about 8% of the medical content on Hebrew Wikipedia), which by now got over **4 millions page views**.
- Read more:
https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Wikipedia:Sackler_Faculty_of_Medicine_at_Tel_Aviv_University



Art + Feminism

- March 2017 marked the completion of the **4th annual Wikipedia edit-a-thon**.
- **2,500** participants across **200** events in 42 countries around the world created or improved **6,500 articles**. Almost double the outcomes from the 2016 campaign.
- Anyone can participate, by joining an event, or organizing their own with their local community. To this end, there is an **organizer's kit** available for consultation.
- Read more:
<https://artandfeminism.tumblr.com/post/159717690675/the-results-are-in-over-2500-participants-at>



Wikiquote at the hospital

- A project to work with **patients from a mental institution**. Coordinated by User:Jaluj, funded with a Rapid Grant.
- Editing skills as a way to **construct a more inclusive society**: *“[He found the workshop] useful because the negative thoughts, which told him that he would not be able to do anything, disappeared when he managed to began to edit.”*
- Many valuable lessons on how to work with patients from a mental health institution, and how it can influence their relationship to other people.
- Read more: https://meta.wikimedia.org/wiki/Grants:Project/Rapid/Jaluj/Wikiquote_at_the_hospital/Report

