African Americans in STEM Wikipedia Edit-A-Thon

February 21 & 28, 2021

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While you wait, please login to Wikipedia (en.wikipedia.org) and the Outreach Dashboard. Links in chat.

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African Americans in STEM
Wikipedia Edit-A-Thon

Agenda

1. Welcome
2. Wikipedia Editing Training
3. Open editing
Wikimedia DC is the regional outreach organization for Wikipedia and the other projects of the Wikimedia Foundation. Our mission is to promote participation in Wikimedia projects in Washington, DC, Maryland, Virginia, West Virginia, Delaware and throughout the United States.

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Wikipedia Username: @Ariel Cetrone (WMDC)
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Access the full policy at WikimediaDC.org or on today’s wiki event page
Today’s Objectives and Goals

Attendees will:

- Gain an understanding of Wikipedia’s pillars and policies
- Learn how to:
  - edit existing Wikipedia articles
  - create new articles

With the goal of:

- Improving Wikipedia by adding and editing content related to African Americans in STEM fields
Today’s Objectives

Attendees will:

● Login to Wikipedia

● Use the event’s wiki page to access a list of useful secondary sources

● Use the Outreach Dashboard to select articles to edit
Event tools
Wikipedia, Event Page & Dashboard
Wikipedia, a that anyone can edit.

articles in English

featured article

(004) was a South African nurse who was the first wife of the anti-

Nationalist president Nelson Mandela, to whom she was married from 1944 to 1958. Mase moved to Johannesburg to train as a nurse, and there they had four children; three of them—Mandla, Makaziwe—survived into adulthood. In the 1950s, her relationship

In the news

- Porfirije is enthroned as the 46th Patriarch of the Serbian Orthodox Church.
- NASA's Perseverance rover, carrying the Ingenuity helicopter, successfully lands on Mars (pictured).
- A winter storm in North America leaves at least 70
## Event Management Tools

### Wiki Event Page


WikiMedia page with links to Wikipedia policies, practices, tools, and today’s slidedeck.
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- Tracking functions for organizers to measure outcomes

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African Americans in STEM Wikipedi... | Home | Editors | Articles | Uploads | Activity
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Last statistics update: 15 days ago. [See more]

**My Articles**

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Browse article list and view secondary sources

Release
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Dashboard
Reserve articles and begin editing using sources from the event page or others
Wikipedia

What exactly is it, anyway???
What is Wikipedia?

Wikipedia is a multilingual, web-based, free encyclopedia based on a model of openly editable content. It is the largest and most popular general reference work on the Internet. [Wikipedia] is supported by the Wikimedia Foundation, a non-profit organization which operates on money it receives from donors.

From Wikipedia (en)
“Imagine a world in which every single person on the planet is given free access to the sum of all human knowledge. That's what we're doing.”

-Jimmy Wales, co-founder, Wikipedia
About us

Free as in beer, Free as in freedom ... gratis et libre

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Overseen by nonprofit Wikimedia Foundation

All edits and versions recorded forever (revision history)

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- Wikimedia Commons, a data repository of media like images, videos and sounds.
- Wikidata, a common source of data, also accessible by the other projects
Wikipedia Basics, Policies, and Oversight
Wiki

- 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: Five Pillars

- Wikipedia is an encyclopedia
- Wikipedia is written from a neutral point of view
- Wikipedia is free content that anyone can use, edit, and distribute
- Wikipedia's editors should treat each other with respect and civility
- Wikipedia has no firm rules

WP:Pillars
Wikipedia Policies

- **Neutral Point of View** - written so all sides can agree (WP:POV)
- **Notability** - significant independent sources -> importance (WP:N)
- **Verifiability** - Using reliable sources to reference information (WP:V)
- **No original research** - point to existing scholarship (WP: NOR)
- **Assume good faith** - start with congenial spirit (WP:GF)
- **Conflicts of interest** - disclose and abide by terms of service (WP:COI)
If a topic has received significant coverage in reliable sources that are independent of the subject, it is presumed to be suitable for a stand-alone article or list.
In the English Wikipedia, verifiability means other people using the encyclopedia can check that the information comes from a reliable source.
Wikipedia: Reliable sources

Articles should be based on reliable, published sources. If no reliable sources can be found on a topic, an article should not exist.

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Wikipedia’s Gender Gap
Editor gender gap? Unsilence the silent

Only 1 out of 10 Wikipedia editors is female!
## Content gender gap? Make the invisible visible

### Percentage of women’s biographies

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How Can We Fix This?

- Partnerships with nonprofits, colleges/universities, government entities and beyond
- Engagement through edit-a-thons, training opportunities and Wikiprojects like Women in Red

WP:WIRED
Wikiprojects
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- A group of contributors who want to work together as a team to improve Wikipedia
- Often focus on a specific topic area (WikiProject Women scientists, WikiProject African diaspora) or a specific part of the encyclopedia (for example, WP:WikiProject Disambiguation), or a specific kind of task (for example, checking newly created pages).
- English Wikipedia currently has over 2,000 WikiProjects, about 1,000 of which are monitored by 30–2,000 editors
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.

WP:GLAM
Why Engage GLAMs?

- Gatekeepers of art, culture and history
- Subject matter experts
- Access to collections, libraries, images
- Engaged audiences and stakeholders
Set Editing Preferences
## Wikipedia Editing Tools

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VisualEditor is a "visual" way of editing Wikipedia that does not require editors to learn wiki markup. Until Visual Editor, editors had to learn wiki markup to make most edits.

VisualEditor works like a word processor. While is simpler to use, the Source Editor can be more effective for some tasks.

Source editor uses Wikitext, also known as Wiki markup or Wikicode, which consists of the syntax and keywords used by the MediaWiki software to format a page.
Set Editing Preferences: Activate Visual Editor

1. Open the Wiki event page or any Wikipedia article
2. Select ‘Preferences’ (Top right)
3. Select the ‘Editing’ tab

Preferences

For information about the settings on this page, see Help:Preferences.

User profile  Appearance  Editing  Recent changes  Watchlist  Search  Gadgets  Beta features  Notifications

Basic information

Username: Ariel Cetrone (WMDC)
Member of groups: Autoconfirmed users, Extended confirmed users, Users
Connected apps: Manage 3 connected applications
Set Editing Preferences: Activate Visual Editor

4. Scroll down to ‘Editor’

5. Select ‘Show me Both Editor Tabs’ from the ‘Editing Mode’ dropdown menu

6. Save (bottom left)
User Page
User Page

- All users/editors are assigned a user page
- Access user page by selecting your username (top right)
User Page

- Share information and interests
- Use is optional unless editing as part of official duties
User Page: Sample Conflict of Interest Statement
For those editing as part of their professional duties

About Me

I am a paid employee of XYZ organization. We are working to make our resources more accessible to the public by working directly with Wikipedia.

Conflict of interest statement

I am editing Wikipedia as part of my official duties at XYZ organization. I will abide by Wikipedia's accepted practices on conflicts of interest, neutrality, and notability. Because the mission of XYZ organization is in line with Wikipedia's mission to disseminate knowledge, I will not make edits that I do not believe are in accordance with Wikipedia's practices and procedures. If you believe I have made an error or violated Wikipedia’s norms, please let me know.
Talk Page

- Receive messages
- Communicate with other users
Tabs and Article Anatomy
Mae Jemison

Mae Jemison (born October 17, 1956) is an American engineer, physician, and former NASA astronaut. She became the first black woman to travel into space when she served as a mission specialist aboard the Space Shuttle Endeavour. Jemison joined NASA's astronaut corps in 1987 and was selected to serve for the STS-47 mission, during which she orbited the Earth for nearly eight days on September 12–20, 1992.

Born in Alabama and raised in Chicago, Jemison graduated from Stanford University with degrees in chemical engineering as well as African and African-American studies. She then earned her medical degree from Cornell University. Jemison was a doctor for the Peace Corps in Liberia and Sierra Leone from 1983 until 1985 and worked as a general practitioner. In pursuit of becoming an astronaut, she applied to NASA.

Jemison left NASA in 1993 and founded a technology research company. She later formed a non-profit educational foundation and through the foundation is the principal of the 100 Year Starship project funded by DARPA. Jemison also wrote several books for children and appeared on television several times, including in a 1993 episode of Star Trek: The Next Generation. She holds several honorary doctorates and has been inducted into the National Women's Hall of Fame and the International Space Hall of Fame.
Exploring Tabs: Article History
Exploring Tabs: Talk Page - Community Discussion

Talk:Mae Jemison

Mae Jemison has been listed as one of the Natural sciences good articles under the good article criteria. If you can improve it further, please do so. If it no longer meets these criteria, you can reassess it.


This is the talk page for discussing improvements to the Mae Jemison article. This is not a forum for general discussion of the article’s subject.

- Put new text under old text. Click here to start a new topic.
- Sign your posts by typing four tildes (~~~~).
- New to Wikipedia? Welcome! Learn to edit; get help.
- Assume good faith
- Be polite and avoid personal attacks
- Be welcoming to newcomers
- Seek dispute resolution if needed

Article policies
- No original research
- Neutral point of view
- Verifiability

Find sources: Google (books • news • newspapers • scholar • free images • WP refs) • FENS • JSTOR • NYT • TWL

Archives: 1

A fact from this article was featured on Wikipedia’s Main Page in the On this day section on September 12, 2009, September 12, 2010, September 12, 2011, September 12, 2017, and September 12, 2020.

This article must adhere to the biographies of living persons (BLP) policy, even if it is not a biography, because it contains material about living persons. Contentious material about living persons that is unsourced or poorly sourced must be removed immediately from the article and its talk page, especially if potentially libellous. If such material is repeatedly inserted, or if you have other concerns, please report the issue to this noticeboard.
Article Sections: Lead Paragraphs and infoboxes

Lead paragraph/s: Emboldened name, DOB, notability statement/s

Main photo or Infobox placement

Remainder is mostly chronological
See: WP:Manual of Style for guidance
Early life and education

Mae Carol Jemison was born in Decatur, Alabama, on October 17, 1956,[1][2] the youngest of three children of Charlie Jemison and Dorothy Jemison (née Green).[3] Her father was a maintenance supervisor for a charity organization, and her mother worked for most of her career as an elementary school teacher of English and math at the Ludwig van Beethoven Elementary School in Chicago, Illinois.[4][5] The family first lived in Woodlawn and later the Morgan Park neighborhoods.[6] Jemison knew from a young age that she wanted to be a scientist and someday go into space.[7] The television show Star Trek, and popular, African-American actress Nichelle Nichols’ portrayal of Lieutenant Uhura further stoked Jemison’s interest in space.[8][9][10]

References

5. Heise, Kenan (November 3, 1993). "Author Dorothy Jemison, 64, Mother of Astronaut".
Editing Existing Articles
Editing with Visual Editor

1. Open a Wikipedia article
2. Select ‘Edit’
3. Add and remove text as you would in a word processor

Unsure if you are in Visual Editor? Are you not seeing the ‘Edit’ button? Select ‘Edit Source’, select the Pencil (red), select ‘Visual editing’

Formatting buttons

Edit buttons
Edit = Visual Editor, Edit Source = Code
Citing Your Sources

1. Place cursor in desired location
2. Select ‘Cite’
3. Select ‘Automatic’ (for URLs, etc.), ‘Manual’ (to customize fields), or ‘Reuse’ (to cite a source that has already been used)
Adding Sections

Medical career

Jemison attended Cornell Medical School and during her training, traveled to Cuba, to conduct a study funded by American Medical Student Association and to Thailand, where she worked at a Cambodian refugee camp.[23][21] She also worked for Flying Doctors stationed in East Africa.[21] During her years at Cornell, Jemison continued to study dance by enrolling in classes at the Alvin Ailey American Dance Theater.[13] After graduating with an M.D. degree in 1981, she interned at Los Angeles County-USC Medical Center in 1982, and worked as a general practitioner for Ross–Loos Medical Group.[1][21]

Jemison joined the staff of the Peace Corps in 1983 and served as a medical officer until 1985. She was responsible for the health of Peace Corps volunteers serving in Liberia and Sierra Leone.[20][1]. Jemison supervised the Peace Corps' pharmacy, laboratory, medical staff as well as providing medical care, writing self-care manuals, and developing and implementing guidelines for health and safety issues. She also worked with the Centers for Disease Control helping with research for various vaccines.[24]

NASA career

Upon returning to the United States after serving in the Peace Corps, Jemison settled in Los Angeles, California. In Los Angeles, she entered into private practice and took graduate level engineering courses. The flights of Sally Ride and Guion Bluford in 1983 inspired Jemison to apply to the astronaut program.[4] Jemison first applied to NASA's astronaut training program in October 1985, but NASA postponed selection of new candidates after the Space Shuttle Challenger disaster in 1986. Jemison reapplied in 1987 and was chosen out of roughly 2,000 applicants to be one of the fifteen people in the NASA Astronaut Group 12, the first group selected following the destruction of Challenger.[11][25] The Associated Press covered her as the "first black woman astronaut" in 1987.[26] CBS featured Jemison as one of the country's "most eligible singles" on Best Catches, a
Adding Sections with Headings

1. Place cursor
2. Select ‘Paragraph’
3. Select ‘Heading’
4. Add heading text
5. Select enter/return to continue with regular font
Creating Links Between Wikipedia Articles

1. Select text

2. Select link icon

3. Select article and ‘Done’

*When adding an external link in an external links section, enter the title of what you are adding, highlight the text, select the link icon, paste a URL, and select ‘Done’.
Adding Photos with Wikimedia Commons

1. Place cursor in desired location (left or right)

2. Select: ‘Insert’ + Media’
Adding Photos with Wikimedia Commons

3. Enter search term

4. Select photo + ‘Use this image’
Adding Photos with Wikimedia Commons

5. Caption your image and add alternative text

6. Select ‘Insert’
Adding Categories

1. Leave Editing mode
2. Select +
3. Type the category name into the field, i.e. ‘African American scientists’. Only existing categories will appear in the list of options. You may create new categories.
4. Select ‘Apply Changes’

If you don’t see the + symbol, go to ‘Preferences’ (top right) then ‘Gadgets’. Scroll to ‘Editing’ section. Select ‘HotCat and ‘Save’.
 Publish changes

1. Select ‘Publish changes’
2. Add brief not in ‘Edit Summary’ field
3. Select ‘Publish changes’ once more

To quickly abandon changes made to an article, select ‘Read’ (next to Edit/Edit Source) and your edits will not be saved.
Additional tips

- ‘Copy and Paste’ is acceptable between WP articles as long as content is relevant
  - Original articles/editors should be credited using the ‘Edit Summary’ box
- New editors: Start with short articles (Stub and Start class)
- New, but short articles are still worth publishing
  - Prove notability by citing at least three verifiable, credible sources
  - Create hyperlinks
Creating New Articles
Three Methods
Method 1: Creating Articles with Sandbox

1. Select Sandbox (top right)

2. Select Edit or Edit Source

3. Write the article. (Tip: Publish often. Each ‘save’ will count towards a new editors’ edit count)
4. When ready, move the Sandbox article to Wikipedia main space
   ● From Sandbox, select ‘More’ then ‘Move’
Method 1: Creating Articles with Sandbox cont.

- Under ‘New title’, change ‘User’ to ‘Article’
- Change Sandbox title to the name of the article
- Select ‘Move page’
Method 2a: Start a Draft

1. Enter **Draft:Article title** into the WP search bar
2. Click the red link to start the article
3. Start writing and publish as you go
Method 2a: Start a Draft cont.

4. Move the draft to Wikipedia main space
   ● From the draft, select ‘More’ then ‘Move’
Method 2a: Start a Draft cont.

- Under ‘New title’, change ‘Draft’ to ‘Article’
- Remove ‘Draft:’ from the name of the article
- Select ‘Move page’
Or...
Method 2b: Start a Draft with Article Wizard

1. Search **Wikipedia: Article Wizard** in the WP search bar
2. Follow prompts
3. Publish in draft form
Method 3: Creating Articles in Wikipedia Mainspace

- Enter **Article title** into WP search bar
- Click the red link to start the article
- Create
- Publish
Uploading Photos or Files to Wikicommmons
Adding Images or Files

1. Go to commons.wikimedia.org
2. Select ‘Upload’
Adding Images or Files

3. Select media files to share
Adding Images or Files

4. Select ‘Continue’
Adding Images or Files

5. Select Address Copyright

Upload Wizard

Please visit Commons:Help desk if you need to ask questions about uploading files.

Learn | Upload | Release rights | Describe | Add data | Use

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- [ ] This file is my own work.
- [ ] This file is not my own work.

Back
5a. Release the rights if it is your own work

This site requires you to provide copyright information for this work, to make sure everyone can legally reuse it.

This file is my own work.

I, Ariel Cetrone (WMDC), the copyright holder of this work, irrevocably grant anyone the right to use this work under the Creative Commons Attribution ShareAlike 4.0 license (legal code).

(Anyone may use, share or remix this work, as long as they credit me and share any derivative work under this license.)
5b. If not your own work, name the source and select the appropriate Creative Commons license or another reason why it is license-free or in the public domain (Pre-1925, published for the US government, etc.)
Adding Images or Files

6. Describe the image

Image title
Create a unique descriptive title using plain language with spaces. Omit the file extension, if any.

Angler's Footbridge C&O Canal Potomac, Maryland

Caption
Add a one-line explanation of what this file represents, including only the most relevant information.

Optional

English

Angler's Footbridge C&O Canal Potomac, Maryland

Description
Provide all information that will help others understand what this file represents.
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7. Add metadata (optional), i.e. Depicts Footbridge

8. Publish
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Wikipedia, Event Page & Dashboard
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# Event Page: WP:WikiSTEM

**Article work list: February 21 (Includes articles to edit and links to potential sources)**

Sub-headings (Stub, Start, etc.) refer to article quality ratings according to the Article Quality Assessment Scale. List is organized lowest to highest quality followed by article for creation.

Select 'Show'(right side) to view potential sources.

**For creation**

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Event Dashboard: Reserving Articles

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