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Agenda

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- Housekeeping: Wifi, Wiki event page
- Introduction: What is Wikipedia?
- Wikipedia and gender
- Basics and policies
- Create and username/Sign-in
- Article anatomy
- Let's practice
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- Let's edit!



Thank you



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Housekeeping

Navigate to the wiki event page.

Go to Wikipedia.org and enter the following shortcut into the search bar.

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Bookmark this page. We will use it throughout the day.

Introduction

Wikipedia: the 21st-century encyclopedia



“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

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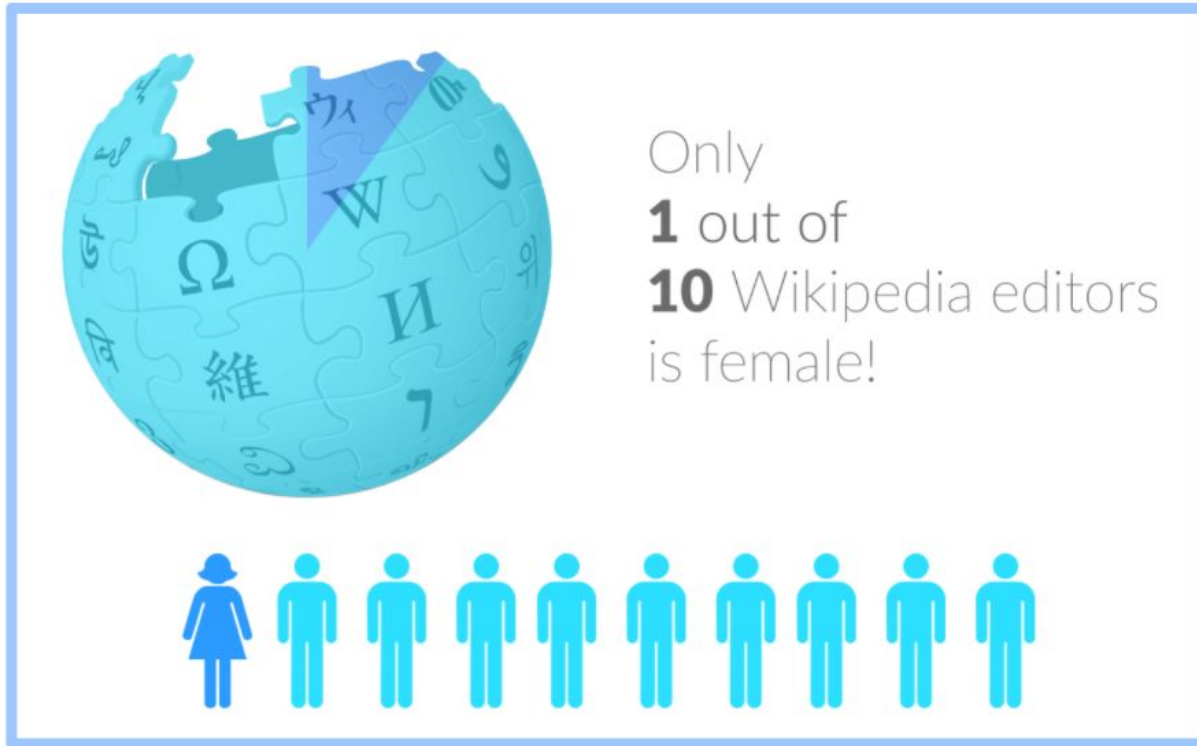
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Wikipedia and Gender

Editor gender gap? Unsilence the silent



Content gender gap? Make the invisible visible

Percentage of women's biographies

1957	November 2014	May 2017
3.6%	15%	16.97%
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](#).
- 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*,

Basics and Policies

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

Create A Username/Sign-in

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1. Create account

<https://en.wikipedia.org/w/index.php?title=Special:CreateAccount>

- Individuals only; no institutional, shared accounts
- Advantages
 - Signals membership in community
 - Facilitates discussion
 - Preferences and privacy

2. Sign in on wiki meetup page

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3. Let's learn to edit!

Article anatomy

- Select to an article from our worklist and follow along
- The worklist can be found on our wiki event page.

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- Ensure that you are logged-in



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Alicia Vikander [edit | edit source]

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Lead paragraphs

Main photo or
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Alicia Amanda Vikander (/əˈliːsiə vɪˈkændər/;[[]^l] Swedish: [aˈliːsɪa vɪˈkɑ̃ndər] (listen)); born 3 October 1988) is a Swedish actress and former dancer. Born and raised in [Gothenburg](#), she began acting as a child in minor stage productions at [The Göteborg Opera](#) and trained as a ballet dancer at the [Royal Swedish Ballet School](#) in [Stockholm](#) and the [School of American Ballet](#) in [New York](#). She began her professional acting career by appearing in Swedish short films and television series and first gained recognition in [Northern Europe](#) for her role as Josefin Björn-Tegebrandt in the TV drama *Andra Avenyn* (2008–10).

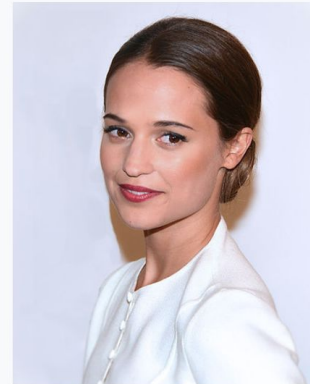
Vikander made her feature film debut in *Pure* (2010), for which she won the [Guldbagge Award for Best Actress](#). She attracted widespread recognition in 2012 for portraying [Princess Ekaterina "Kitty" Alexandrovna Shcherbatskaya](#) in [Joe Wright](#)'s film adaptation of *Anna Karenina* and [Queen Caroline Mathilde](#) in the acclaimed Danish film *A Royal Affair*, starring [Mads Mikkelsen](#). She went on to star in the 2013 Swedish drama film *Hotell* and appeared in the [Julian Assange](#)-biopic *The Fifth Estate* that same year.

In 2014 and 2015, Vikander achieved global recognition for her roles as activist [Vera Brittain](#) in *Testament of Youth*, a humanoid robot in *Ex Machina* (for which she was nominated for the [Golden Globe](#) and [BAFTA Award for Best Supporting Actress](#)) and painter [Gerda Wegener](#) in *The Danish Girl*, for which she received the [Academy Award](#) and the [Screen Actors Guild Award for Best Supporting Actress](#), among other awards. She will star as [Lara Croft](#) in the 2018 film *Tomb Raider*.

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Early life [[edit](#) | [edit source](#)]

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Vikander started her career as an actor at the age of seven, starring in a production of *Kristina från Duvemåla* at [The Göteborg Opera](#), which was written by the *Mamma Mia!* creators, [Björn](#) and [Benny](#) from [ABBA](#); she performed in the play for three-and-a-half years.^[6] She appeared in several musicals at the Opera, such as *The Sound of Music* and *Les Misérables*. In 1997 she participated in the [TV4](#) kids' singing show *Småstjärnorna*; she performed the [Helen Mirren](#) song "Du måste finnas".^[9] She won her episode with praise by the judges for her stage presence.^[10]

Vikander trained in [ballet](#) from the age of nine with the *Svenska Balettskolan i Göteborg* (1998–2004). At the age of 15, Vikander moved to [London](#) to train at the ballet's upper school in [Stockholm](#); she lived on her own, working to become a [principal dancer](#).^[8] She traveled around the world for auditions, training one summer at the [School of American Ballet](#) in [New York City](#).^[11]

At the age of 16, she almost left school to commit fully to the television series she worked on with director [Tomas Alfredson](#), realizing her acting.^[11]

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It's up to administrators - as much as I understand - to add pictures. Neither this nor its Swedish counterpart has a photo of the actress. — Preceding [unsigned](#) comment added by [Eb00kie](#) ([talk](#) · [contribs](#)) 15:55, 1 August 2011

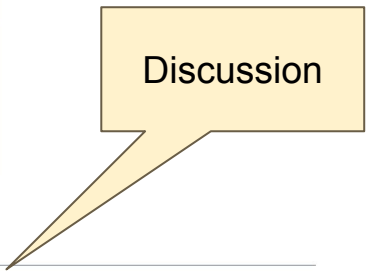
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Is it really that necessary to list all of her short films in the filmography section? Not only are they too unknown to have their own Wikipedia pages, but I also feel that they take away too much focus from the feature films on the list. // [Jonipoon](#) ([talk](#))



Let's Practice...

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

1. Locate article
2. Select 'Edit'
3. Unsure if you are in Visual Editor?
Select the Pencil (red arrow), select 'Visual editing'
4. Edit as you would in a word processor

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Alicia Amanda Vikander (/əˈliːsiəˈviːkændər/^[1] Swedish: /aˈliːstɑˈviːkændər/ listen); born 3 October 1988) is a

Alicia Vikander

Cite your sources

1. Place cursor in desired location, select 'Cite'
2. Follow prompts

The screenshot shows the Wikipedia editor interface. The 'Cite' button in the top toolbar is circled in red. Below it, the 'Add a citation' dialog box is open, also circled in red. The dialog box has three tabs: 'Automatic', 'Manual', and 'Re-use'. Under 'Automatic', there are options for 'Website', 'News', and 'Basic form'. Under 'Re-use', there are options for 'Book' and 'Journal'. The background text is partially obscured by the dialog box.

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Early life

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Vikander's first film role was in a production of *Kristina från Duvemåla* at the [Royal Swedish Opera](#), alongside [Björn](#) and [Benny](#) from *ABBA*; she performed the song "I Sing a Song" at the Opera, such as *The Sound of Music Live!* in 2013. She also performed in the singing show *Småstjärnorna*; she performed the [Helen Sjöholms](#) song "Du måste finnas".^[10]

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Residence	London , England, United Kingdom
Alma mater	Royal Swedish Ballet School School of American Ballet
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Years active	2002–present
Height	166 cm (5 ft 5 in)
Weight	53 kg (117 lb)
Spouse(s)	Michael Fassbender (m. 2017)

Create links between articles

1. Select text
2. Select link icon
3. Select article and 'Done'

The screenshot shows a text editor interface. The top toolbar includes a 'Link' icon (a chain link) which is circled in red. Below the toolbar, the text reads: "Supporting Actress) and painter [Gerda Wegener](#) in *The Danish Girl*, for which she received the [Academy Award](#) and the [Screen Actors Guild Award for Best Supporting Actress](#), among other awards. She will star as [Lara Croft](#) in the 2018 film *Tomb Raider*."

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Vikander trained in [ballet](#) from the age of 5 at the ballet's upper school in [Stockholm](#).

Link dialog box: A dialog box titled "Link" is open, showing a search for "Sweden". The "Done" button is circled in red. The search results show "Sweden" (constitutional monarchy in Northern Europe) and "Sweden national football team" (men's national association football team represent...).

Right sidebar (Alicia Vikander):

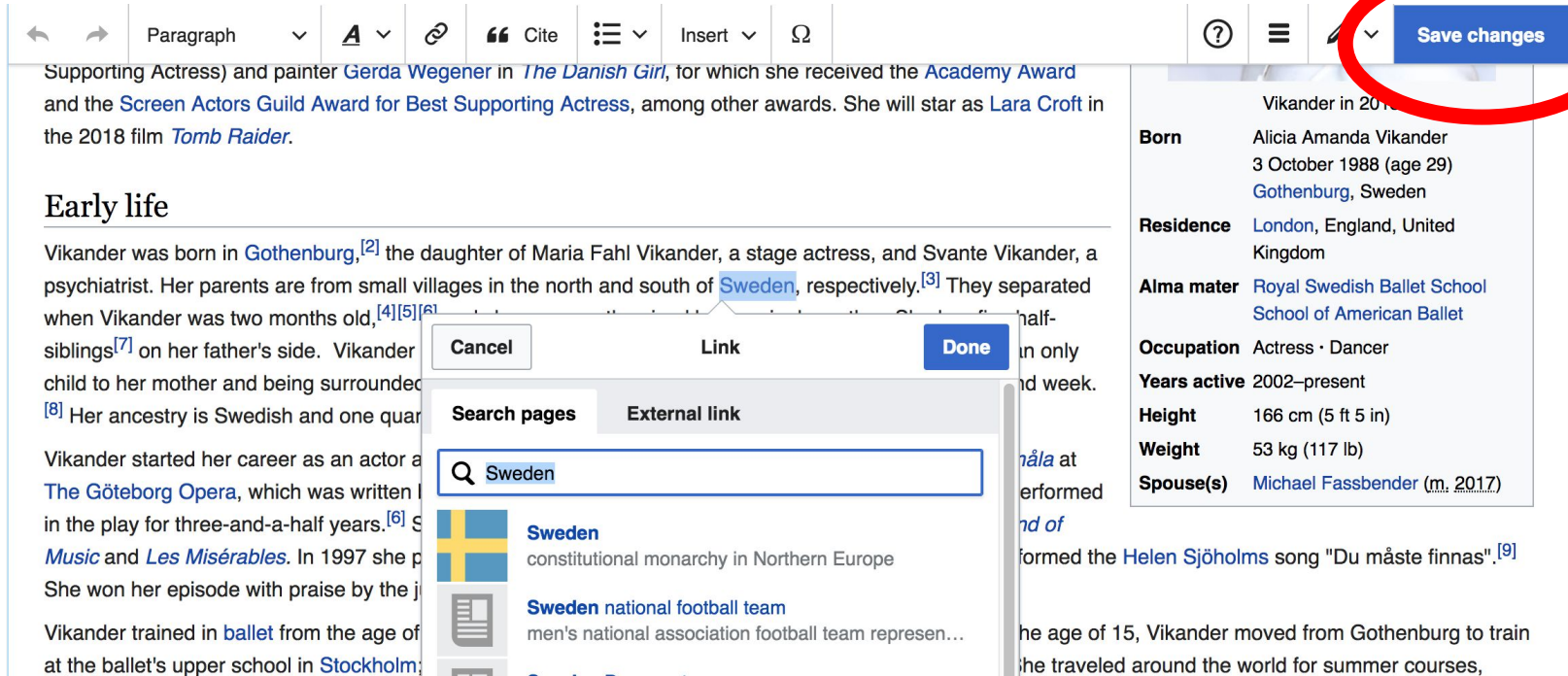
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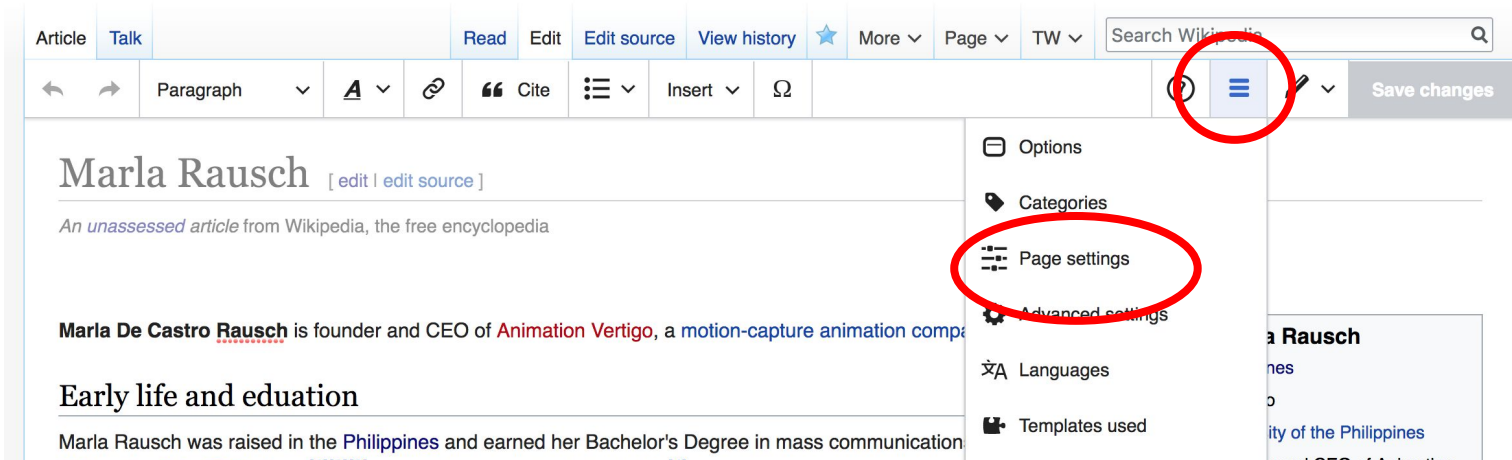
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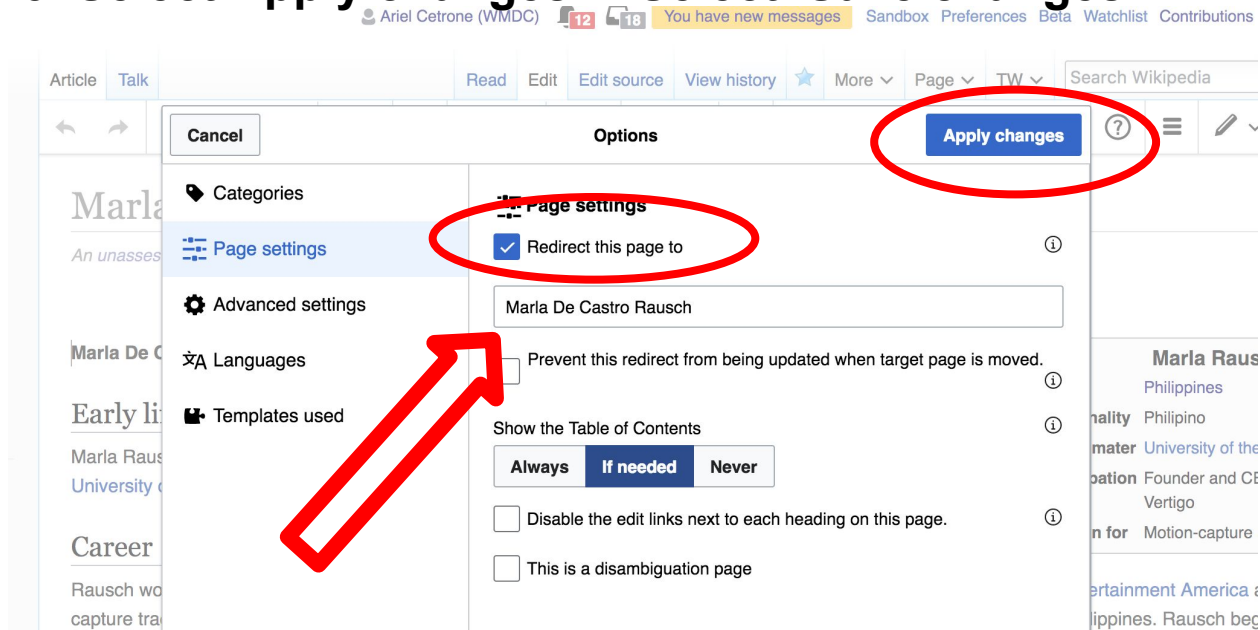
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2. Create a new article. Name it the alias.
3. To Redirect, select icon w/ three lines. 2. Select Page settings.



The screenshot shows the Wikipedia interface for the article 'Marla Rausch'. The top navigation bar includes 'Article', 'Talk', 'Read', 'Edit', 'Edit source', 'View history', 'More', 'Page', and 'TW'. A search bar is on the right. The main editing toolbar contains icons for undo, redo, paragraph, bold, link, cite, list, insert, and help. A dropdown menu is open on the right side of the toolbar, with the 'Page settings' option highlighted by a red circle. The article content shows the title 'Marla Rausch' with edit links, a note that it is an unassessed article, and the start of the lead paragraph: 'Marla De Castro Rausch is founder and CEO of Animation Vertigo, a motion-capture animation compa...'. Below the lead is the section 'Early life and education' with the start of the text: 'Marla Rausch was raised in the Philippines and earned her Bachelor's Degree in mass communication...'. A sidebar on the right shows a preview of the article content.

Redirects cont.

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4. Select 'Save changes'



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