



So, what on earth is a Wikipedian in Residence?

.....and what can they do for you!?

- You've probably all heard now that YMT has a Wikipedian in Residence for the next six months.
- You've also probably heard about the fact that the museum will be uploading around 300 of Tempest Anderson's photographs to Wikimedia Commons (the image bank)

Well, first of all, introductions.

I'm Pat Hadley, I trained as an archaeologist, have been editing Wikipedia for a few years and am very keen to help YMT share some of its best content more widely through Wikipedia (and its relations!).

Second - what am I for?

- Well, I'm NOT going to be editing YMT related articles on Wikipedia (except in a few circumstances).
- I'm here to facilitate the improvement of YMT related content by helping:
 - Train curators, volunteers and other staff in contributing to Wikipedia
 - Help Wikipedians - across the world - improve content related to YMT
 - Reach topic experts - locally and beyond for both YMT and Wikipedia

How will things start?

- I'd like to offer you all some training in Wikipedia! Any thoughts on how to make this most convenient would be great: Drop in sessions? Talks? Short 1-to-1?
- If you could find one article on Wikipedia - related to your material at YMT - which has something wrong with it! That will provide a great point for discussion!
- I'm adding content, resources and things-to-do to our project page:

<http://tiny.cc/YMTwiki>

Please have a look around - there are tabs along the top with more content, including the Tempest Anderson information.

Where will we end up?

- With a large number of YMT images uploaded and many used on Wikipedia articles in several languages
- With improved editing skills using Wikipedia (including me!)
- With loads of new ideas about how YMT can engage people through Wikipedia