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Wilco [ˈwɪl.kəʊ]

Wikiquote

WIKIBOOKS

WIKISOURCE

WIKINEWS

WIKIVERSITY

WIKISPECIES
free species directory

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Zanzibar

From Wikipedia, the free encyclopedia

Coordinates: 6°08'S 39°19'E

For other uses, see Zanzibar (disambiguation).

Zanzibar (/ˈzænzɪbɑr/; Persian: زنگبار, from suffix *bār*. "coast" and *Zangi*: "bruin" (iron after rust)[2][3]; Arabic: زنجبار) is a semi-autonomous part of the United Republic of Tanzania, in East Africa. It comprises the Zanzibar Archipelago in the Indian Ocean, 25–50 kilometres (16–31 mi) off the coast of the mainland, and consists of numerous small islands and two large ones: Unguja (the main island, informally referred to as **Zanzibar**), and Pemba. Other nearby island countries and territories include Comoros and Mayotte to the south, Mauritius and Réunion to the far southeast, and the Seychelles Islands about 1,500 km to the east. Arab and Portuguese traders visited the region in early times, and it was controlled by Omanis in the 18th and 19th centuries. Britain established a protectorate (1890) that became an independent sultanate in December 1963 and a republic after an uprising in January 1964. In April 1964 it joined Tanganyika to form a new republic that was renamed Tanzania in October 1964. (Frommers, 2002) The capital of Zanzibar, located on the island of Unguja, is Zanzibar City, and its historic centre, known as Stone Town, is a World Heritage Site.

Zanzibar's main industries are spices, raffia, and tourism.[4] In particular, the islands produce cloves, nutmeg, cinnamon and pepper. For this reason, the islands, together with Tanzania's Mafia Island, are sometimes called the Spice Islands (a term also associated with the Maluku Islands in Indonesia). Zanzibar's ecology is of note for being the home of the endemic Zanzibar Red Colobus Monkey and the (possibly extinct) Zanzibar Leopard.

Zanzibar

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The Zanzibar archipelago

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Wikimedia Audience Compared With Other Information Sites

Measured using unique visitors. Data from comScore MediaMetrix.

(Global Unique Visitors, in millions of users)

Legend:
- Wikipedia
- New York Times
- CNN
- BBC News
- Merriam Webster
- MSN Encarta
- National Geographic
- Encyclopaedia Britannica
- Wall Street Journal
- PBS
- NPR

X-axis: January 2007 — July — January 2008 — July — January 2009 — July — January 2010 — April

Y-axis: 0, 50, 100, 150, 200, 250, 300, 350, 400
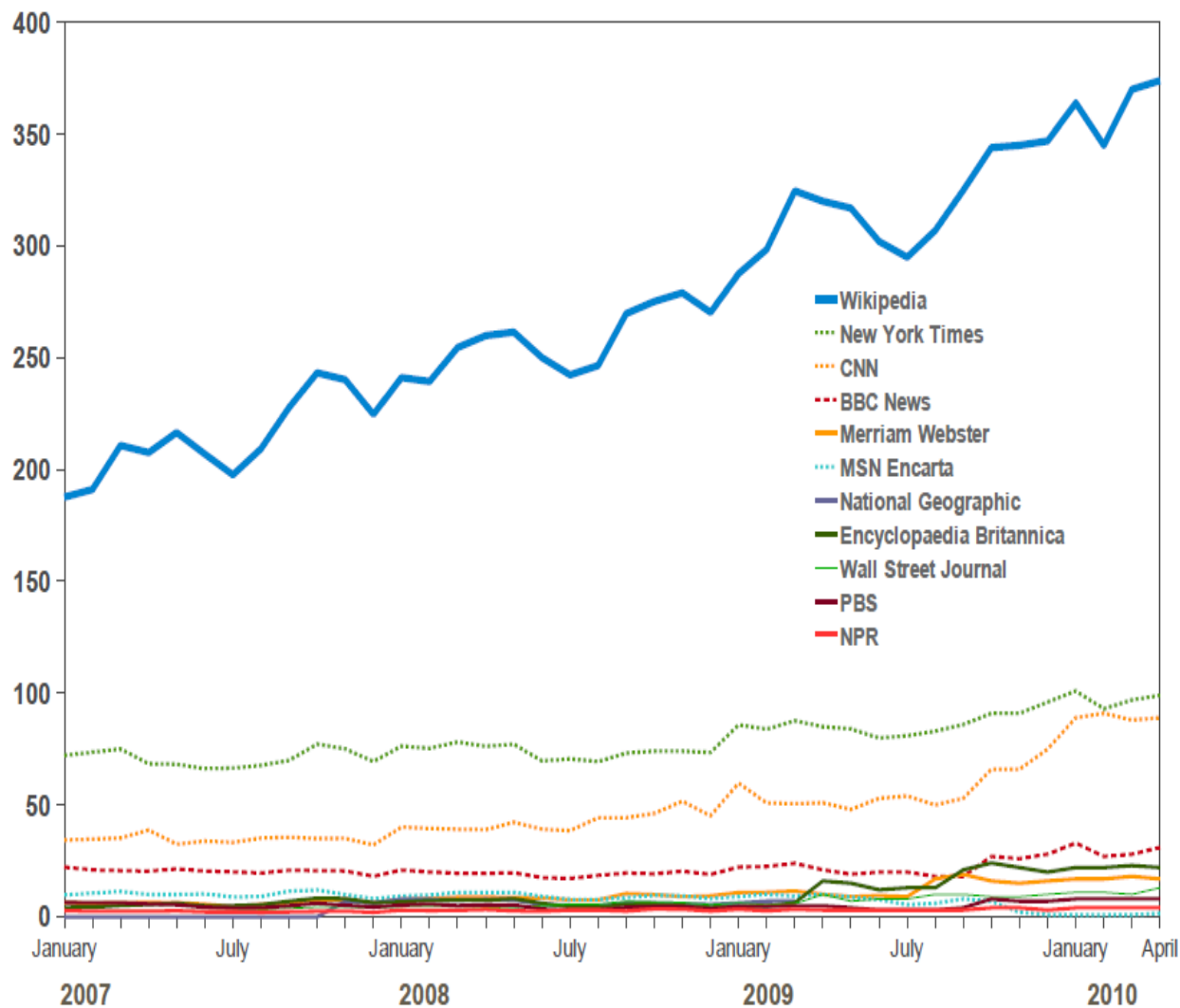
Traffic

12,933,000,000 / month

431,000,000 / day

18,000,000 / hour

299,000 / minute

5000 / second

Top five worldwide sites

Company	Users	Revenue	Employees	Server cou
Google	920 million	$23 billion	20,600	1,000,000
Microsoft	740 million	$58 billion	93,000	50,000+
YAHOO!	600 million	$6 billion	13,900	50,000+
facebook	500 million	$300 million	1,200	30,000+
WIKIMEDIA	400 million	$20 million	50	350

Figure 1: Estimated percentage of the online population using Wikipedia

Canada

U.S.

Mexico

Brazil

Germany

U.K.

France

China

India

Japan

S. Korea

Taiwan

Australia

Percent of Internet
users accessing
Wikipedia

> 40%

30-40%

< 30%
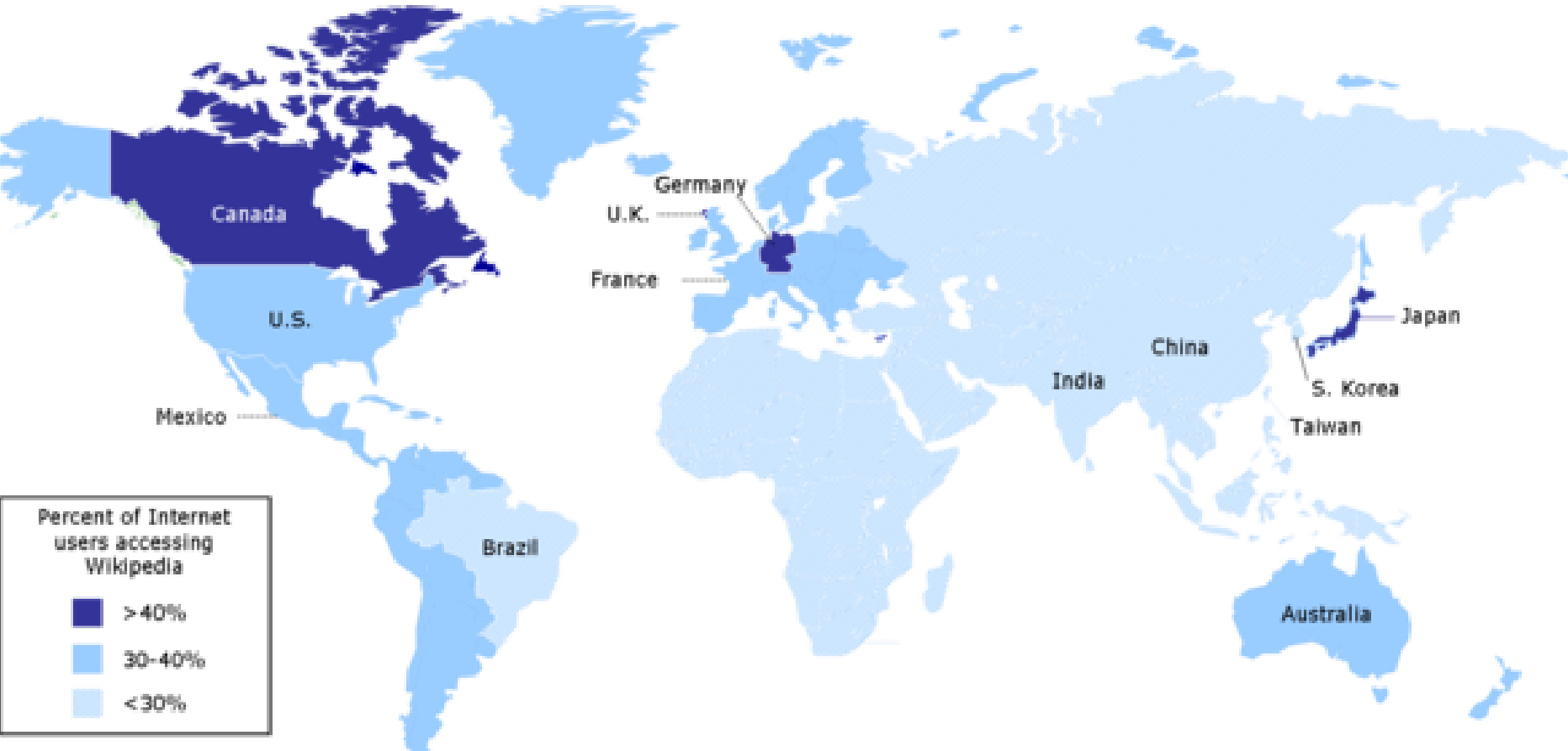
What the WMF has to offer:

- Job openings
- Fellowships
- Campus Ambassadors
- Student Clubs

If you are an editor on any of the Wikimedia projects, or you help Wikimedia in some other way, please explicitly say that in your cover letter, and please include your username. Wikimedia experience is a definite plus when you're applying for a job with us.

Current Job Openings

Community:

- Director of Community Operations

Global Development:

- Communications Intern
- Wikimedia Merchandise Manager

Finance:

- Senior Accountant

Technology:

- Systems Engineer - Data Analytics
- Software Developer Backend
- Software Developer Rich Text Editing (Features)
- Software Developer Frontend
- QA Lead
- Director of Features Engineering
- Software Developer, Mobile
- Product Manager (Analytics)
- Product Manager (Mobile)
- Product Manager

Call For Independent Contractors

Technology:

- Networking Contractor Amsterdam
- Internationalization and Localization Feature Development
- Logging Analysis
- Article Feedback Feature
- Development and Operations Engineer
- Systems & Operations Engineer
- XML Dumps Help

Global Development:

- Global Education Program
- U.S. Education Program Associate

About the Wikimedia Foundation

The Wikimedia Foundation is the non-profit organization that operates Wikipedia, the free encyclopedia. According to comScore Media Metrix, Wikipedia and the other projects operated by the Wikimedia Foundation receive more than 393 million unique visitors per month, making them the 5th most popular web property worldwide (July 2011). Available in more than 270 languages, Wikipedia contains more than 19 million articles contributed by a global volunteer community of more than 100,000 people. Based in San Francisco, California, the Wikimedia Foundation is an audited, 501(c)(3) charity that is funded primarily through donations and grants. The Wikimedia Foundation was created in 2003 to manage the operation of Wikipedia and its sister projects. It currently employs 90 staff members. Wikimedia is supported by local chapter organizations in 31 countries or regions.

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Opening for Senior Accountant posted bit.ly/qSQrZX
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Human Resources Manager, Daniel Phelps' last day was today,
September 16th. Thank you, Daniel!
17 Sep

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Mobile Tech Contractor, Hampton Catlin's work with us has come to
an end. Thank you, Hampton!
15 Sep

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Welcome, from UC Hastings, Laureli Mallek, Andrew Aalire, Chris
Johnson, and Jason Ross – joining WMF's Legal Department as
Fall Interns.

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About the Wikimedia Fellows program [edit]

Fellows lead intensive, time-limited projects focused on key areas of risk and opportunity - projects that require the support and close partnership of the Wikimedia Foundation to succeed.

What a WMF Fellow is... [edit]

- Fellows undertake research, spearhead community projects or run other specific and time-limited activities that require financial and logistical support to succeed.
- Fellows bring a set of existing skills and experience to their projects, and the outcome of the fellowship should include some amount of professional development or growth of new skills.
- A fellowship is a temporary position at the Wikimedia Foundation in order to work on a specific project or set of projects. Fellowships can be awarded for periods as short as 2 months and as long as 12 months. Duration is determined by the scope of the fellow's project.
- Fellows may work out of the Foundation's San Francisco office, or be based in other locations around the world. Fellows could be relocated to San Francisco or other locations depending on the project and expected level of interaction with WMF staff or other team members.

What a WMF Fellow is not... [edit]

- A fellow works on time-limited projects, so a fellow is not a permanent staff role at the Foundation.
- A fellow is not a paid volunteer. Fellowship projects that describe work that is being done, can be done, and should always be done by volunteers will not be considered.
- A WMF Fellowship is not a traditional academic research fellowship. In the academic model, a fellow might take a stipend to support research on a topic of their choice for publication. In the WMF model, even if a fellowship project is primarily research-oriented, the research questions are targeted to solve specific problems of strategic importance to the Wikimedia Foundation and community, and findings should be actionable.

Benefits for Fellows [edit]

- Funding to support work on an innovative project to address goals they are passionate about. Compensation covers time spent, travel, or other necessary activities that wouldn't otherwise be possible without funding
- Access to foundation resources, staff, and organizational/logistical support
- An official title of "Fellow" (if you're into that sort of thing)

Benefits for the Wikimedia Foundation [edit]

- An efficient way to address strategic goals and experiment in new areas.
- Access to a constantly evolving stream of Wikimedians, academics, and professionals, with exposure to fresh perspectives and priorities that emerge organically from the community.
- The ability to fulfill its mission, while keeping volunteer work central to the movement.

Current and Past Fellows [edit]

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List of Fellows   [edit]

The following is a complete list of the fellowships accepted by the Wikimedia Foundation, in order of announcement.

Fellow(s)	Project(s)	Sponsor(s)	Type	Length	Announcement
Currently underway					
Steven Walling	Quantitative and qualitative research into Wikimedia communities, centered on the Contribution Taxonomy Project, as well as organizing and outreach such as for Wikipedia's 10th anniversary	Zack Exley	Community Fellowship	One year	2010-09-15
Lennart Guldbrandsson	The Bookshelf Project and the Account Creation Improvement Project	Frank Schulenburg	Community Fellowship	6 months	2011-01-07
Achal Prabhala	Field research in India and South Africa into the state of published and unpublished source material for use in verifying Wikimedia content	Barry Newstead and Zack Exley	Wikimedia Foundation Fellowship	5 months	2011-01-12
Liam Wyatt	Global GLAM outreach	Zack Exley	Wikimedia Foundation Fellowship	One year	2011-01-19
Maryana Pinchuk	"Wiki-histories" summer fellowship, a joint program with volunteers and grad students, who will produce a series of narrative histories of Wikimedia projects	Zack Exley	Community Fellowship	One year	2011-03-01
James Alexander	New user help and support projects, providing knowledge transfer and support to the fundraising team, assisting with Reader Relations	Philippe Beaudette	Community Fellowship	One year	2011-03-22
Completed					
Victoria Doronina and Maryana Pinchuk	History of the Russian Wikipedia	Zack Exley	Wikimedia Foundation Fellowship	8 weeks	2010-09-30

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Campus Ambassadors Program

- Public Policy Initiative
- Wikipedia: teaching and learning tool
- PPI: History, Economics, Law & Social Sciences
- Universities that participated: Harvard, George Washington, Syracuse & Indiana.
- Project deployed in India & Brazil

Wikipedia Student Organizations

- Doing relevant Wikipedia Activities within the University
- Access to resources from Wikimedia

Wikimedia Kenya

- Local chapter, local activities
- Wikipedia for Schools
- Wikipedia takes Nairobi
- And many more…

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