Art+Feminism Wikipedia Edit-A-Thons: A toolkit

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ATTENTON! WOMEN ARTISTS

AND FEMINISTS!

Now is the time to end discrimination against women in museums, gal-leries and art schools

And Celebration...

Rally and Celebration...

Help make public our

demand to six New York

Museums for a massive

show of woman artists...

TIME: 10 A.M. - 1:00 P.M.

PLACE: 53rd Street in

front of the Museum

of Modern Art.

DATE: Wednesday, APRIL 12, 1972 Rain Date: April 19, 1972

WOMEN ARTISTS MUST NO LONGER BE

Women in the Arts. Attention! Women Artists and Feminists! 1972. MoMA Library.



"The digital is primarily understood within museums as a **technical tool** rather than as a **knowledge system** and **a culture**."

-Victoria Walsh, Andrew Dewdney & Emily Pringle "Modelling Cultural Value within New Media Cultures and Networked Participation" (2014) AHRC Report on Cultural Value and the Digital: Practice, Policy and Theory

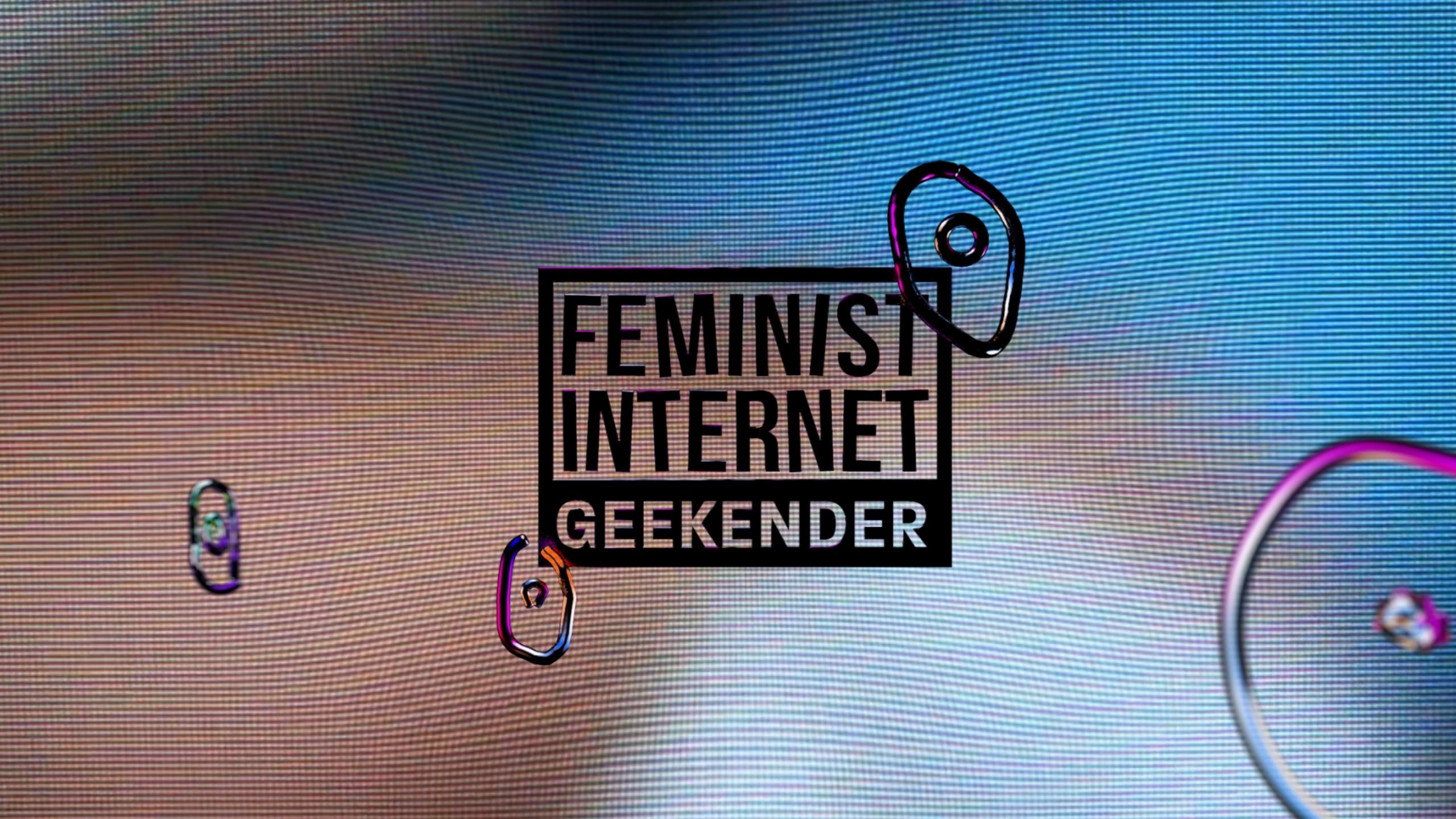
Geekender Programme



Robot Vision Geekender, The Photographers' Gallery 2017



25 Years of Photoshop Geekender, 2015 Live Cut & Paste PhotoShop studio with the SouthBank Collective









Secret Agent, Guest Projects 2016



Resolution is not the point, Photo50, London Art Fair 2017

Hemera Collective:

Collective specialising in photography and lens-based media



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Secret Agent: Women in Photography Edit-a-thon at Guest Projects

In conjunction with the exhibition Secret Agent, a group exhibition composed from the viewpoint of feminist authorship in contemporary art practices, participants are invited to gather together to edit and create Wikipedia entries on women in history of photography.

The sub-heading - Women in Photography 2 - is borrowed from the popular conference meeting held at Tate in November 2015. This edit-a-thon is inspired by artist's practices of redefining and revisiting histories at the Secret Agent travelling exhibition. It also follows up active edit-a-thon events to balance the male dominated authorship and subject matters on the Wikipedia. For example, Art+Feminism had over 1500 participants and created nearly 400 new pages in 2015.[1] However, we would like to open both a discussion on the process of making history, making such an endeavour available to a wider, general public. Our editorial hub at Guest Projects, London will facilitate participants in gaining a working understanding of wikipedia, further empowering them to create and expand our collective knowledge on the history of women in photography. It will also take advantage of the internet's freedom of access to invite participants from all over the world to make histories available to people. Subjects include biographical information on artists and their exhibition/publishing histories.

This event is held by Hemera Collective №

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Guest Projects 2016, Hemera Collective hosted its first wiki-edit-a-thon





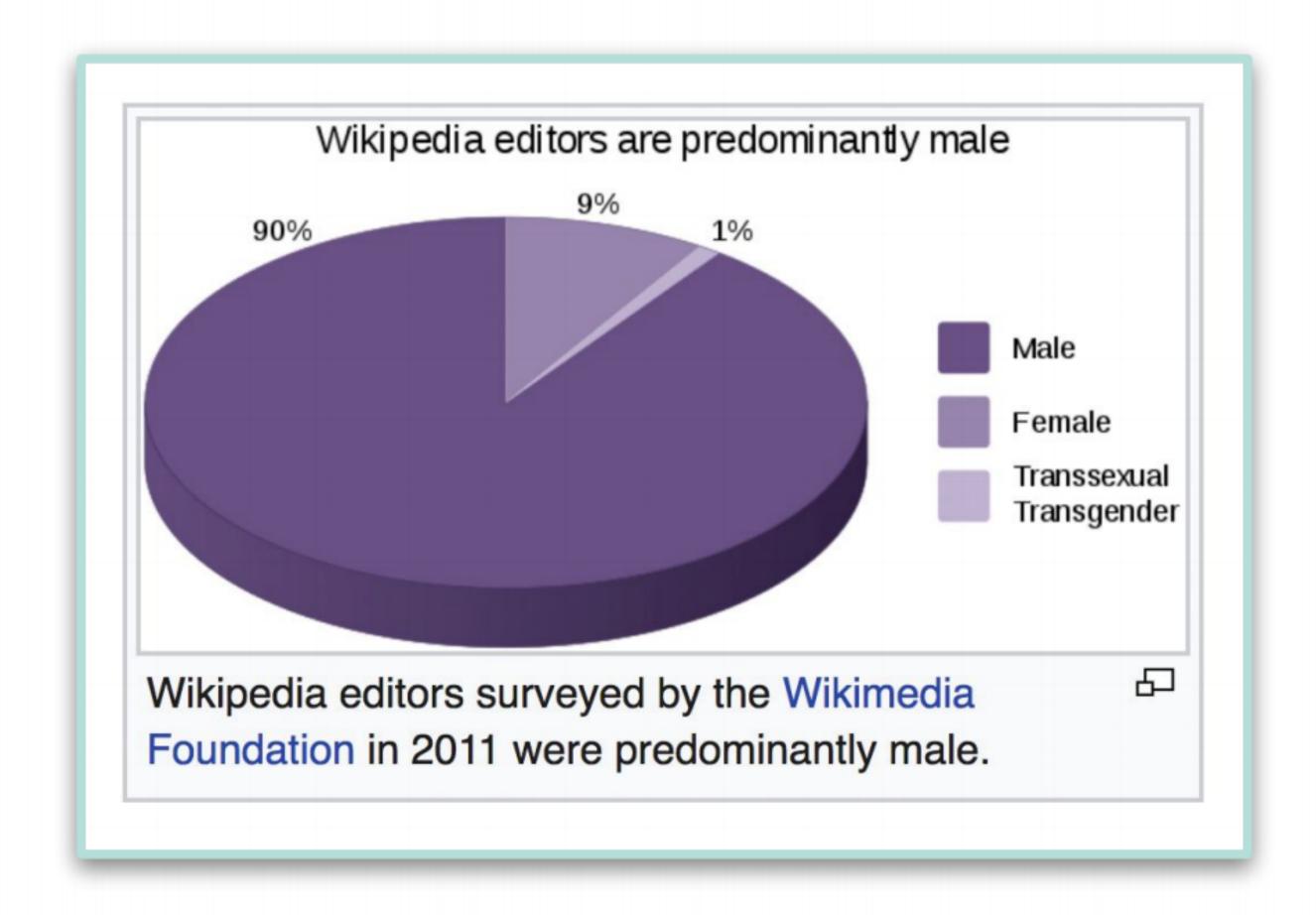
Wiki-edit-a-thon focusing on feminist exhibition histories and photography organisations



An Edit-a-thon is a community-organized event that aims to teach attendees how to **edit**, **update**, **and add articles** on Wikipedia.

"Wikipedia's gender trouble is well-documented. In a 2011 survey, the Wikimedia Foundation found that less than 10% of its contributors were women. While the reasons for the gender gap are up for debate, the practical effect of this disparity is not: content is skewed by the lack of representation from women."

ART + FEMINISM



From https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Gender bias on Wikipedia

Since 2014, over **10,000** people at more than **800** events around the world have participated in Art+Feminism's Edit-athons, resulting in the creation and improvement of more than **33,000** articles on Wikipedia.

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A FEMINIST EDIT-A-THON SEEKS TO RESHAPE WIKIPEDIA

By Talia Lavin March 11, 2016







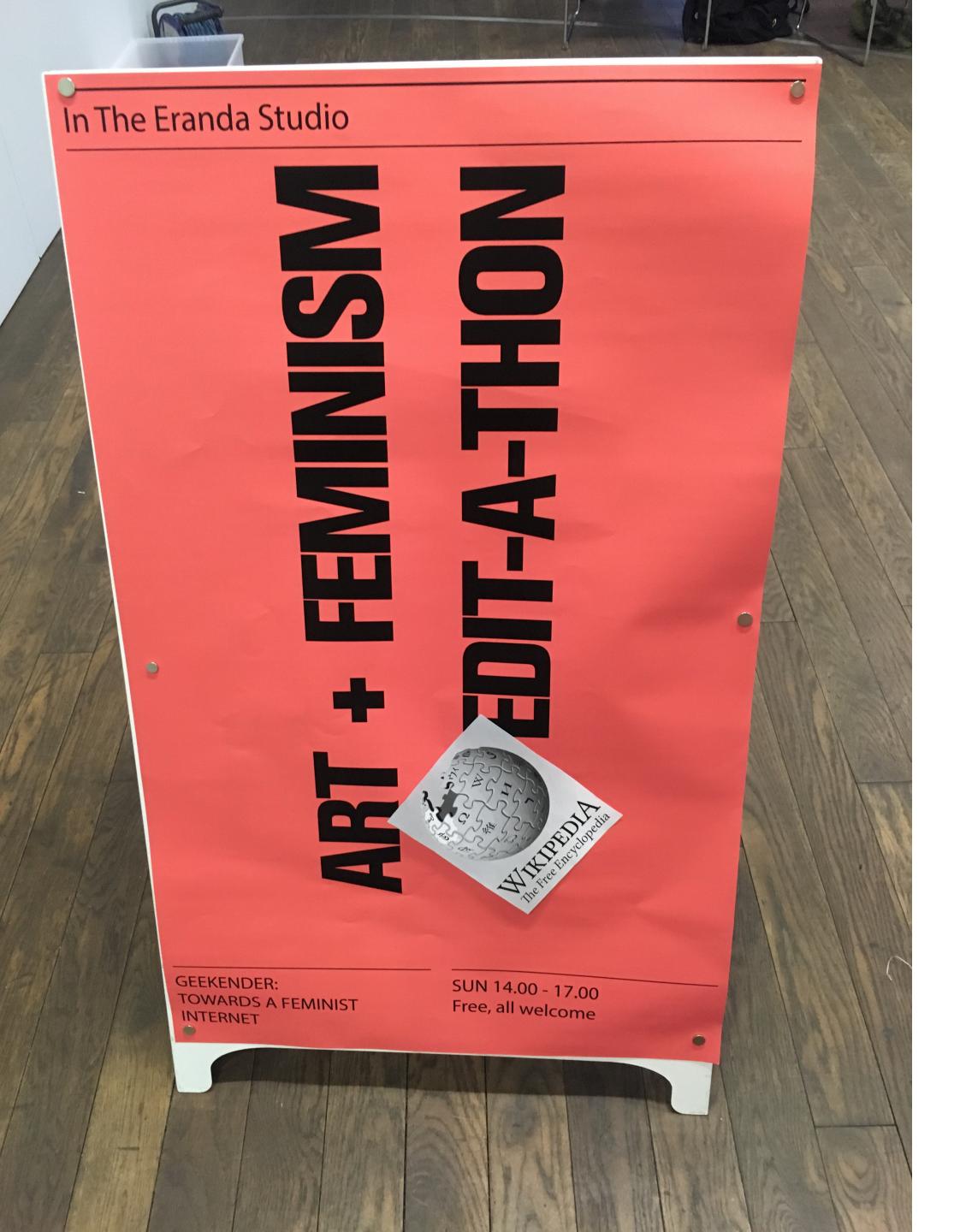




A feminist edit-a-thon at the Interference Archive, in Brooklyn.

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The Interference Archive, a volunteer-run institution dedicated to gathering "the cultural ephemera of social movements," sits across the street from a trendy pie shop and around the corner from the Morbid Anatomy



Edit-a-thon @ The Photographers' Gallery March 2018 40 participants over 3 hours on a Sunday afternoon



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ô	Sophie Green	Social documentary and portrait photographer, lots of articles and interviews on her about page which are citable	http://www.sophiegreenphotography.com/about-contact-new/
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Who are your favourite female photographers and do they have a Wikipedia page? Join us on Sunday for an Art + Feminism edit-a-thon, led by @HemeraPhoto, where we'll be creating & improving the Wikipedia pages of women in photography.

Free, register here: bit.ly/2Hw8nxz



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Side Gallery @SideGallery · 14 Mar 2018
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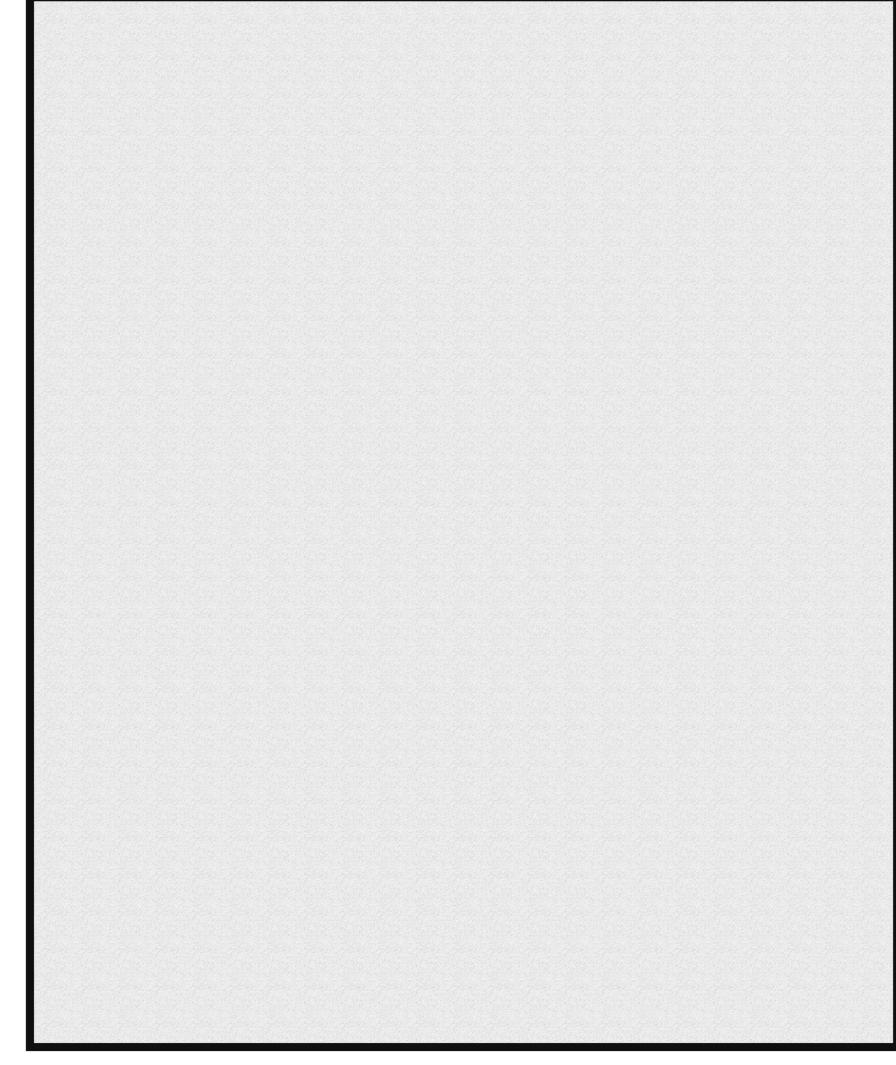




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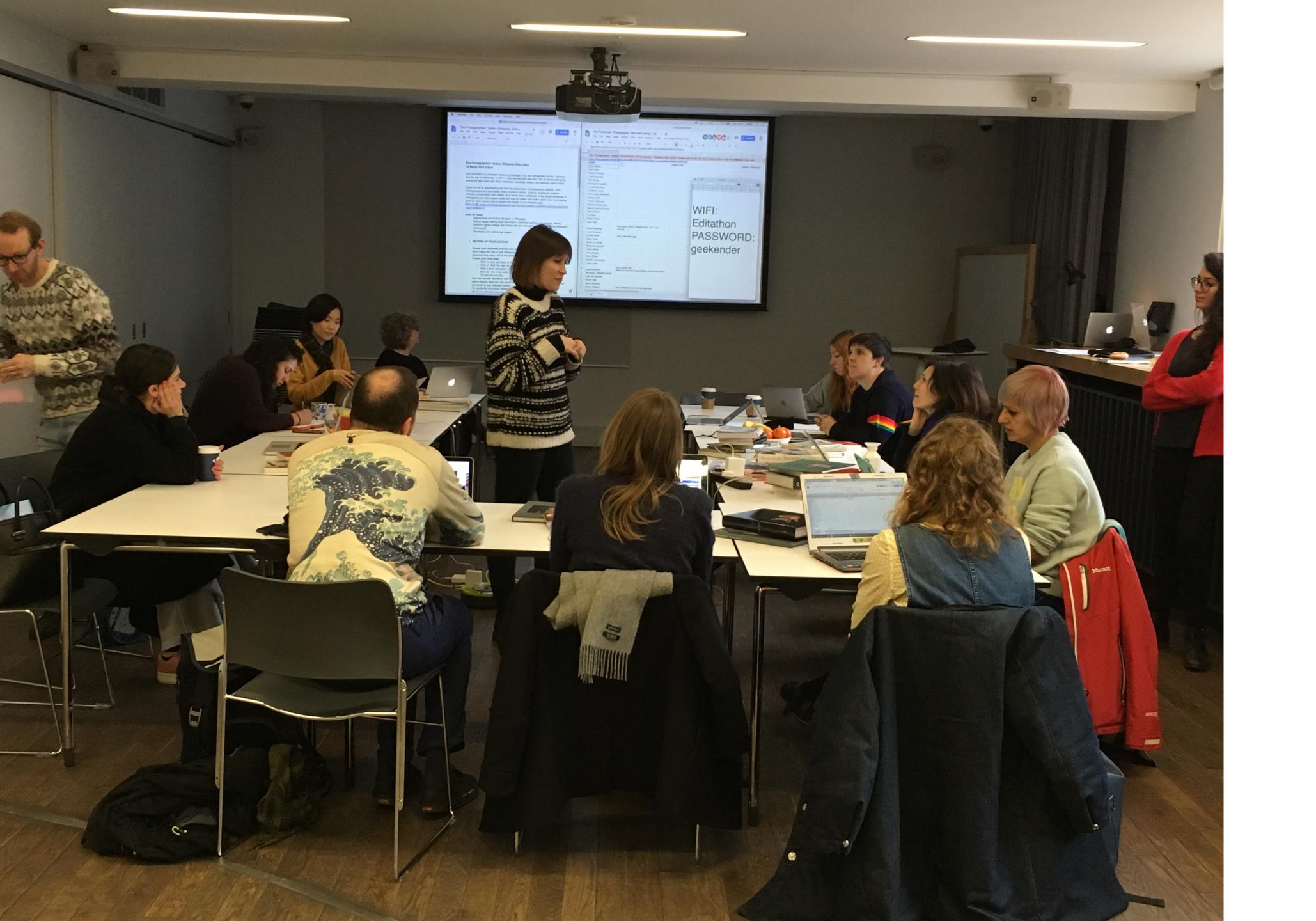
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ART + FEMINISM WIKIPEDIA EDIT-A-THON. SUNDAY 18 MARCH, 14.00 - 17.00

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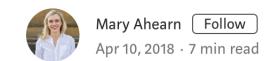
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Does the Internet Have a Gender?



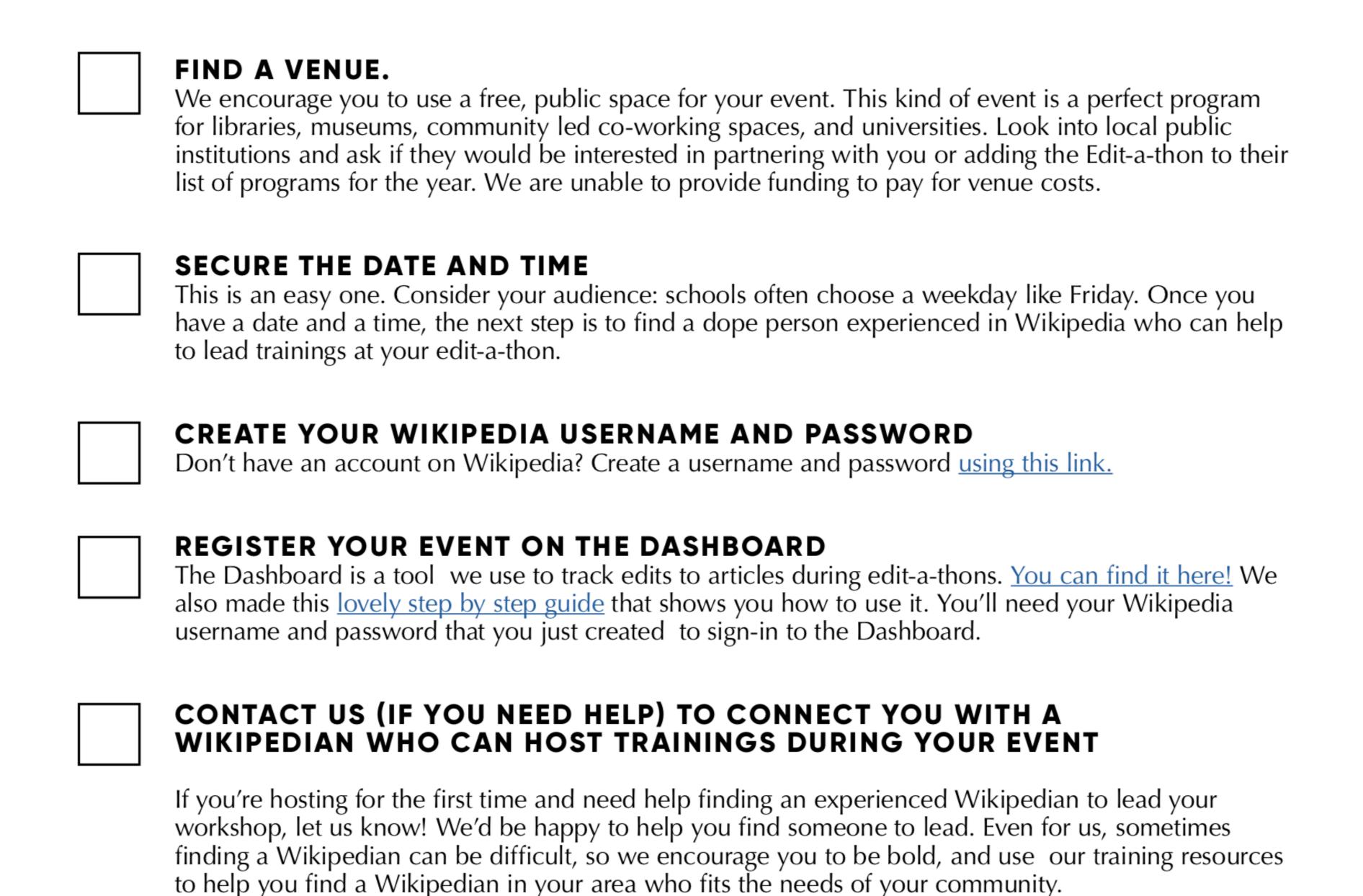


I will never forget the first thing I learned when I began research for my Master's dissertation on gender inequality in the arts. I reached for the first book in my giant pile, opened the first few pages of *Old Mistresses* by Griselda Pollock and Rozsika Parker, and read something like this: If you were studying art history in the early 1960s, your art history textbook did not include a single woman. Wait, let me clarify—it would be full of pictures of naked women, the classical "nude", but it would not feature a single woman artist. I couldn not believe this—could you imagine art history without the likes of Frida Kahlo, Georgia O'Keeffe, or Mary Cassatt? Only sixty years ago, art history scholars could, and did, imagine a history of art that completely excluded women.



Women Making History Festival: #StillMarching Amnesty International UK

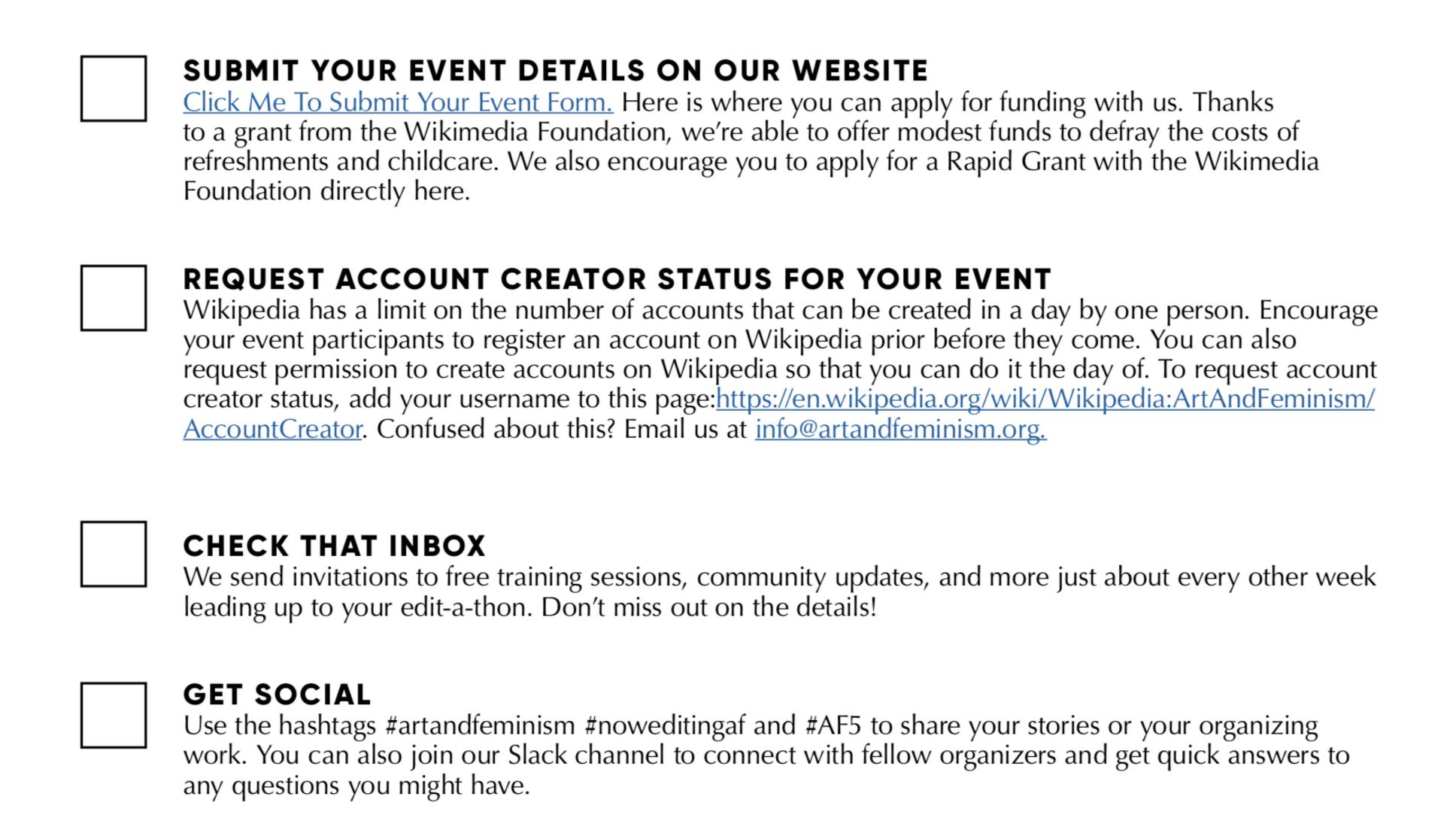
Running your own event: a checklist





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2018 Edit-a-thon Results

22,000 PAGES CREATED OR IMPROVED BY OVER 4,000 PARTICIPANTS AT MORE THAN 275 EVENTS AROUND THE WORLD

"our greatest achievement is a participant walking into a workshop and learning that they can exist on Wikipedia and be a critical part of the protection of information of women like them and women they might not ever fully understand, but believe in."

Pledge by Jan 30th at artandfeminism.org for month of March

http://www.artandfeminism.org/campaign/

Quick Links

Pledge your participation:

http://www.artandfeminism.org/campaign/

Download an organising kit:

http://www.artandfeminism.org/organizing-kit/

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http://www.artandfeminism.org/editing-kit/

Art + Feminism Resource Page

https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Wikipedia:Meetup/ArtAndFeminism/Resources#Art_and_Feminism_Research_Resources

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Thankyou!