

## AFLIA Wikidata Online Course

### Questionnaire – draft [Form to be translated in French and hosted on SurveyMonkey]

#### SECTION 1 – Demographics

1. Age:  < 20 years  20-30 years  31-40 years  > 40 years
2. Gender  Male  Female
3. Employment status:  
 Employed, employee  Employed, self  Unemployed  Student
4. Profession:  
 Librarian  Other Library Staff (assistant, etc.)  Instructor/Teacher/Lecturer  
 Archivist  Others, specify: \_\_\_\_\_
5. Country: \_\_\_\_\_

#### SECTION 2 – Course Participation and Completion

6. Learner category:  English participant  French participant
7. Which of the following cohorts did you participate in?  
 Cohort 2  Cohort 1  Both
8. On average, how many hours a week did you spend on this course (including learning course materials, doing assignments, attending live sessions and office hours)?  About 1hr  About 2-3hrs  About 3-4hrs  About 4-5hrs  About 5-6 hours  > 6 hrs
9. Kindly indicate your completion status for the course. (NB: Full course completion means qualifying to receive or receiving a certificate of completion.)  
 Fully completed  
 Will be fully completed by the time of graduation (for Cohort 2)  
 Partially completed
10. If partially completed, which specific section(s) were you **able to complete**? (tick as many)  
 Section 0 – About the Course: Introduction, Course Requirements, How Tos  
 Section 1 - Wikidata for you, your library, and your community  
 Section 2 – Linked Data, Concepts of Linked Data and Databases

- Section 3 – Interacting with Wikidata
- Section 4 – Practical Applications of Wikidata
- Section 5 – Wikidata Community, Projects, Programmes and Organizations

11. Why could you not complete the course in full? (tick as many)

- Missed some sessions due to unstable internet
- Data cost to participate the Course was unbearable
- It was difficult balancing work and the Course
- The live sessions were long
- The live sessions were many
- The course duration was long for me
- Combining navigation of Wikidata, the training platform and the Outreach dashboard was cumbersome
- My Wikidata account was blocked
- Assignments were difficult
- Other, specify \_\_\_\_\_

12. In your opinion, **what more could have you have done** to successfully complete the Course?

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13. In your opinion, **what more could the Course Manager have done** to help you successfully complete the Course?

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14. In your opinion, **what more could AfLIA have done** to support you successfully complete the Course?

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### SECTION 3 – Knowledge / Experience on Wikidata

15. Did you have any prior experience with editing on **Wikidata** before enrolling in this Course? Yes  No

16. Have you participated in any Wikidata related event (editing contest/campaign, workshop etc.) since you **enrolled or completed** the AfLIA Wikidata Online Course (i.e. since 2022)?

Yes  Not yet

17. If ‘Yes’, kindly provide details about the event(s)? e.g. *name of event(s), organizers, which country, support(s) received, number of people trained, overall impact etc.*

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#### SECTION 4 – Knowledge/skills acquisition and application

Using the competence matrix below, indicate **sincerely**, how well you can do the following:

Knowledge / Skill	Excellent	Good	Fair	Not at all
Create a Wikidata account	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Create a user page	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Find credible sources as references for Wikidata items	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Evaluate and identify Wikidata items that need revising or updating	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Edit on Wikidata (adding labels, description, aliases, statements, values, qualifiers, citations)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Contribute to Wikidata in your local language	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Manually create new items	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Use tools like SourceMD, QuickStatements to create/add items on Wikidata	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Use the Wikidata query service (SPARQL)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Use the Wikidata Query Builder	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Write and understand basic queries in SPARQL	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Save/share Wikidata queries	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Save results from Wikidata queries	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Visualize and analyse results from Wikidata queries through off-wiki tools like Scholia, Reasonator, SQID etc.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Utilize the Wikimedia Outreach Dashboard	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

18. Please indicate how well you agree with the following statements after taking this training. *[indicate neutral if you have no idea or have no opinion about a statement]*

Statement	Agree	Neutral	Disagree
This training taught me how to work collaboratively in an online space	[ ]	[ ]	[ ]
The training gave me more insights on intellectual property issues	[ ]	[ ]	[ ]
This training made me understand the richness of Wikidata as a resource for information provision	[ ]	[ ]	[ ]
I can now improve visibility of my library's collections by linking them to Wikidata	[ ]	[ ]	[ ]
The training has taught me how to enrich the quality of metadata for library collections for better discoverability.	[ ]	[ ]	[ ]
This training gave me insights on how to extract, create and share structured information to support library research and teaching	[ ]	[ ]	[ ]
This training made it possible for me to cross-reference my library's collections data with Wikidata to validate and ensure accuracy in catalogue records.	[ ]	[ ]	[ ]

19. **Apart from Wikidata**, briefly describe what other things you did not know how to do **digitally** but can do or know how to do, because of participating in this Course. (optional)

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20. After participating in the AFLIA Wikidata Online Course, how will you generally rate your competence/capacity on Wikidata **now**?

[ ] Advanced      [ ] Intermediate      [ ] Beginner

## SECTION 6 – Course Content, Delivery and Facilitation

21. Which of the following sections was **your favourite** during the Course?

- [ ] Section 0 – About the Course: Introduction, Course Requirements, How Tos
- [ ] Section 1 - Wikidata for you, your library, and your community
- [ ] Section 2 – Linked Data, Concepts of Linked Data and Databases
- [ ] Section 3 – Interacting with Wikidata
- [ ] Section 4 – Practical Applications of Wikidata
- [ ] Section 5 – Wikidata Community, Projects, Programmes and Organizations

22. Why do you consider this section as your favourite?

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23. Which of the following sections did you find **most difficult or confusing**?
- Section 0 – About the Course: Introduction, Course Requirements, How Tos
  - Section 1 - Wikidata for you, your library, and your community
  - Section 2 – Linked Data, Concepts of Linked Data and Databases
  - Section 3 – Interacting with Wikidata
  - Section 4 – Practical Applications of Wikidata
  - Section 5 – Wikidata Community, Projects, Programmes and Organizations
  - None

24. Explain why you consider this section difficult or confusing?

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25. What is your overall impression on the performance of the Course Manager in **delivering and managing the Course**?

- Excellent  Good  Fair/Satisfactory  Poor

26. How useful were the following actions and approaches to you:

Statement	Extremely useful	Useful	Never useful
Guest speaker presentations during live sessions	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Recordings for those who missed the live sessions	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Learning Circle / weekly Office Hours	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Giving opportunity for learners to re-submit assignments and attend refresher live sessions	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

27. How helpful was the WhatsApp groups to you in terms of:

Statement	Extremely helpful	Helpful	Never helpful
Interacting with other learners	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Interacting with the Course Manager	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Sustaining your interest in the Course	[ ]	[ ]	[ ]
Receiving real-time announcements and updates	[ ]	[ ]	[ ]
Sharing your challenges and seeking assistance:	[ ]	[ ]	[ ]

**SECTION 7 – Expectations**

28. Which of the following sections **was most relevant to your professional work?**

- Section 1 - Wikidata for you, your library, and your community
- Section 2 – Linked Data, Concepts of Linked Data and Databases
- Section 3 – Interacting with Wikidata
- Section 4 – Practical Applications of Wikidata
- Section 5 – Wikidata Community, Projects, Programmes and Organizations

29. How will you apply the acquired knowledge and skills through the Course to your professional work?

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30. How well were your expectations about the Course was met?

- Excellent  Very good  Good  Fair/Satisfactory  Poor  Very poor

31. What did you **particularly enjoy** about this Course?

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32. What do you **particularly dislike** about this course?

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33. Are you a member of any local Wikimedia Community yet?

Yes  No  No known Wikimedia Community in my country yet

34. If yes, what is /are the name of the local Wikimedia Community you are now a member of? \_\_\_\_\_

35. If no, are you confident to be part of a local Wikimedia Community, if any?

Yes  No

36. Final comments (optional)

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