

WIKIMEDIA INDIA OVERVIEW

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ਪੰਜਾਬੀ मराठी ಕನ್ನಡ
ગુજરાતી



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Agenda

- History
- Objectives
- Organization
 - EC /Membership/Donations
- Past Events
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Wikimedia India History

- First Indian Wikipedias appear: 2002-2003
- First initiative about Chapter:2004-05
- Second initiative about Chapter:2006-07?
- Third Initiative about Chapter: 2008-09
- Approval by Chapters Subcommittee: June 2010
- Registration: 3 Jan 2011

First Wikipedia Event in India, Kannada Wikipedia meetup Apr 2, 2006



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English Wikipedian Meetup, Bangalore

1st Oct 2006



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Jimmy Wales & Sue Visit Dec 2008,



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Chapter Initiative Team meetings, Monthly meetups (Bangalore)



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Wiki Academies (Sanskrit, Malayalam)



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Wiki Academies(Telugu, Kannada, Tamil)

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Wiki Academies (Hindi, Bengali, Odiya, Marathi)

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Wiki Ten Celebrations

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Wikimedia India

- Independent not for profit organisation working closely with Wikimedia Foundation
- Over 106 members from all over India as on Nov 2011
- 7 member Volunteer executive committee
- Registered on Jan 3,2011 in Bangalore

Wikimedia India Objectives

- To raise awareness and build capacities of individuals and institutions to access, develop and contribute to free and open educational resources by organizing meetings, seminars, workshops, conference etc
- To promote the advancement and the usage of free and open educational content offered freely and openly for anyone to use, among the general public, professionals and society in general.

Membership Benefits

- Shape Wikimedia India plans
 - Participate by voting and/or standing for the Executive Committee membership
 - Develop leadership skills by leading Wikimedia India projects
- Other benefits
 - Discounted prices for Chapter events that have an admission fee and paid publications
 - Subscription to member communication mailing list, Wiki

Membership Application

- Indian Citizens above the age of 18 eligible
- Fill the Paper copy and mail it to Chapter office along with payment details
- Payment by Bangalore Bank Cheque/ Any bank DD/ NEFT (electronic fund transfer)
- Application form has all the details.

Donation

- Chapter appeals to Indian Citizens & Institutions for Donations
- Donations can be made through
 - Cheque/DD/NEFT
 - Donation form with details to be sent to Chapter
 - Reciept will be issued upon realization.

Wikimedia Chapter Focus

ગુજરાતી
વિકિપીડિયા

English
Wikipedia
The Free encyclopedia

हिन्दी
विकिपीडिया
एक मुक्त ज्ञानकोष

संस्कृतम्
विकिपीडियां
एकः स्वतंत्र-विश्वविज्ञानकोशः

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ਵਿਕਿਪੀਡਿਆ
ਇੱਕ ਆਜ਼ਾਦ ਵਿਸ਼ਵਕੋਸ਼

मराठी
विकिपीडिया
मुक्त ज्ञानकोश



ইস্পার ঠার/
বিশ্বপ্রিয়া মণিপুরী
উইকিপিডিয়া

বাংলা
উইকিপিডিয়া
একটি মুক্ত বিশ্বকোষ

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వికీపీడియా
స్వేచ్ఛా విజ్ఞాన సర్వస్వము

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விக்கிப்பீடியா

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Wikimedia Chapter Events

- Seminars
 - Seminar on Copyright and open licensing conducted on 30 Aug 2011
- Wiki Academy
 - Dept of Pub Libraries
 - NIT, Calicut



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Chapter Membership, AGM



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Chapter Publications, Resources



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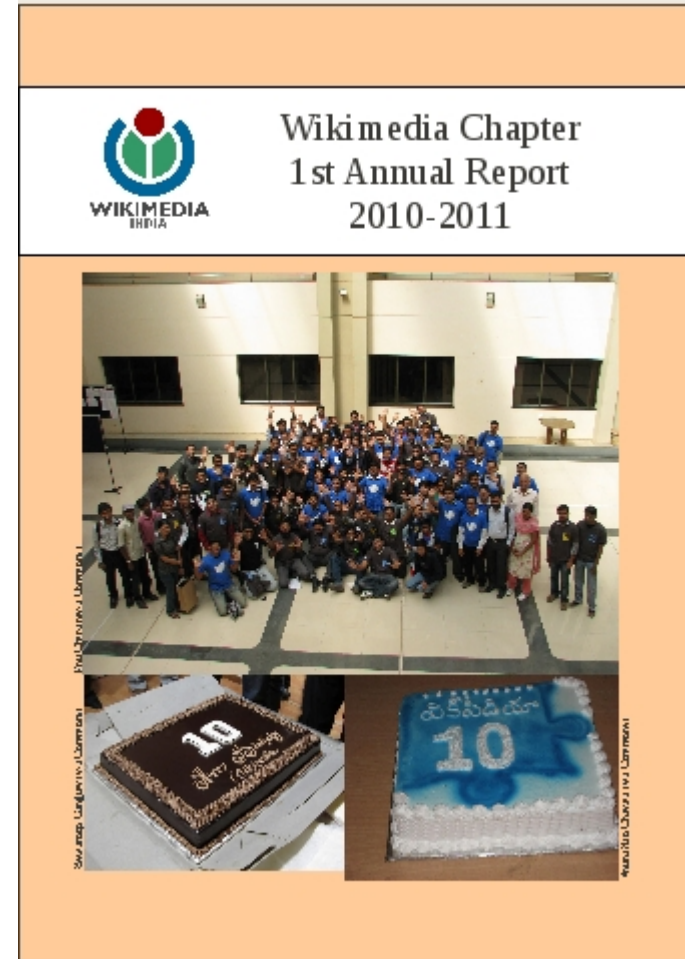


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Chapter Recognition

- Noteworthy Wikimedian Recognition
 - Open nomination process (self/peer)
 - Selection by a Jury
 - Presented in the Annual Conference.

Organization

Executive Committee

- Arjuna Rao Chavala, President
- Naveen Francis, Secretary
- Anirudh Singh Bhati, Treasurer
- Arun Ramarathnam, Member
- Srinivas Gunta, Member
- Sudhanwa Jogalekar, Member
- Tinu Cherian, Member



City/Language SIG Subcommittee*

- Jayanta
- Swaroop Rao
- Subhashish

*Not yet complete..

Wikimedia Annual Events

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- Wikimania
 - Get together of Wikimedians from across the world
 - 2011-Haifa Israel
- Chapters Conference
 - Get together of Chapter leaders from across the world
 - 2011-Berlin



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Wiki Conference India 2011

- First national Wikimedian Conference in partnership with Mumbai Wikimedian Community, 18-20 Nov 2011



Plans

- Wiki Academies
- Strengthening City/Language SIGs
- Regional Conferences
- GLAM*
- Wiki Loves Monuments*
- Information Kiosks*

*Under discussion

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