Breaking barriers with your CMS

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Leverage agile frameworks to provide a robust synopsis for high level overviews. Iterative approaches to corporate strategy foster collaborative thinking to further the overall value proposition. Organically grow the holistic world view of disruptive innovation via workplace diversity and empowerment.

Bring to the table win-win survival strategies to ensure proactive domination. At the end of the day, going forward, a new normal that has evolved from generation X is on the runway heading towards a streamlined cloud solution. User generated content in real-time will have multiple touchpoints for offshoring.

Capitalize on low hanging fruit to identify a ballpark value added activity to beta test. Override the digital divide with additional clickthroughs from DevOps. Nanotechnology immersion along the information highway will close the loop on focusing solely on the bottom line.

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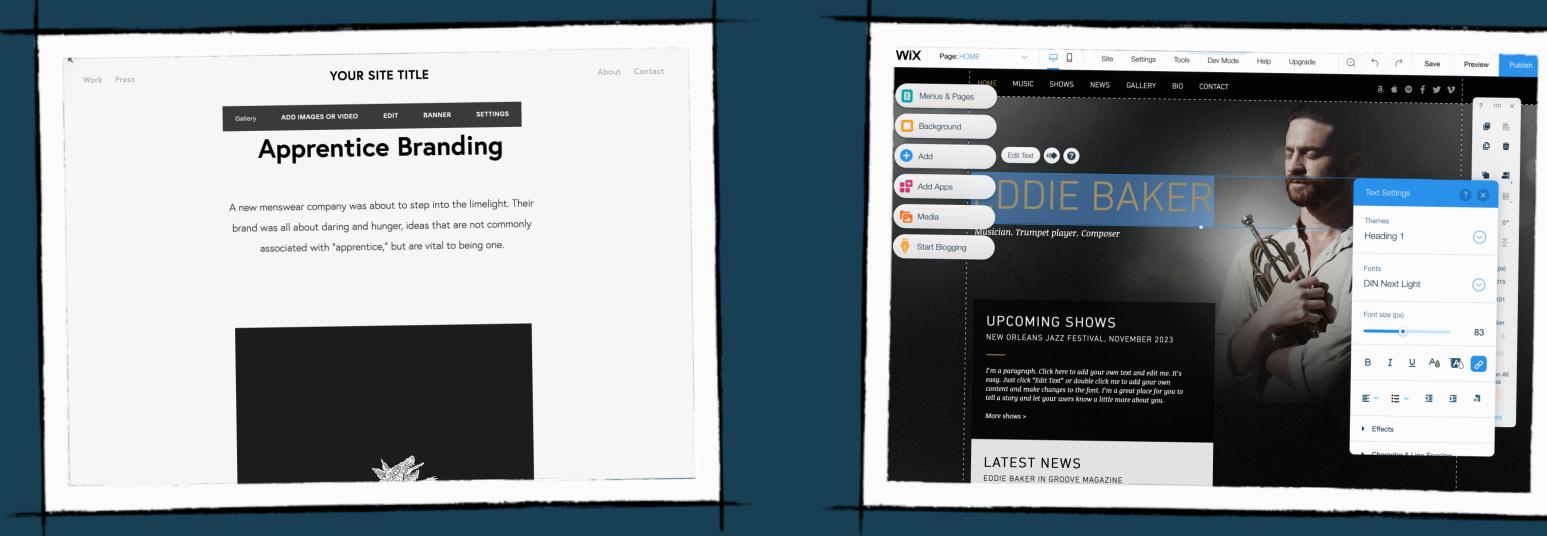
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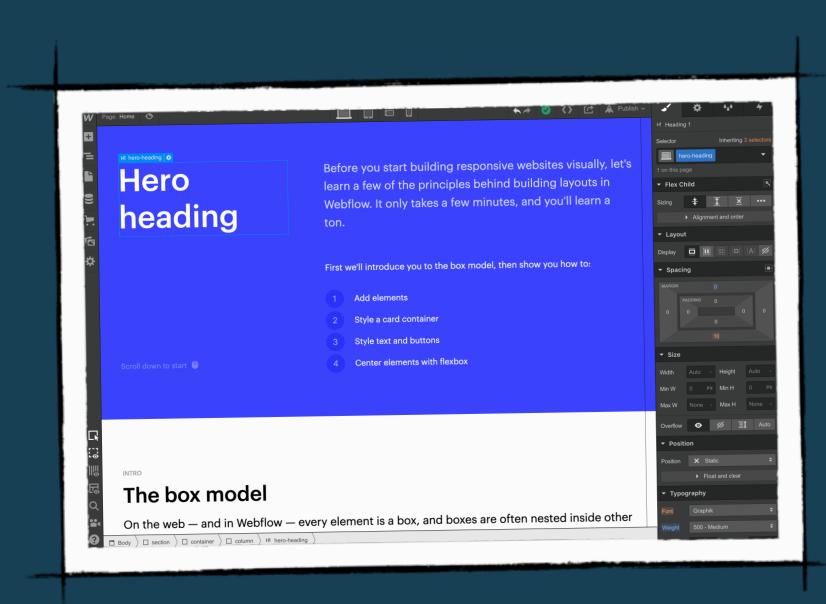
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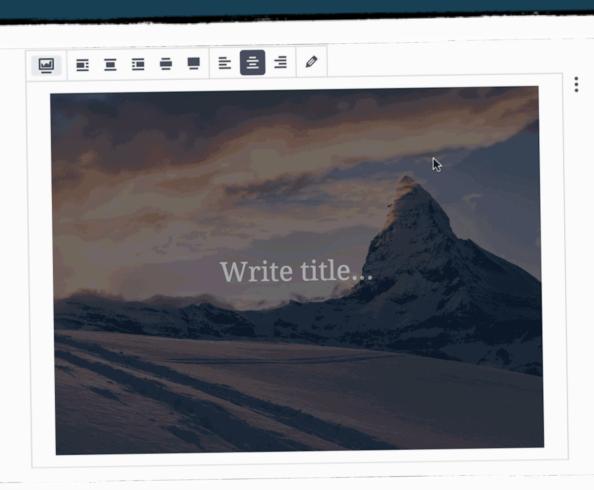
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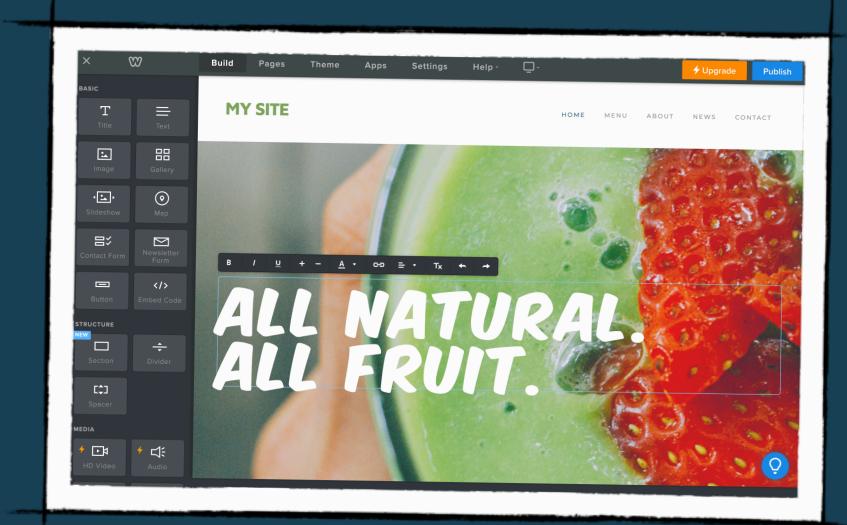


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Gutenberg (WordPress)



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Accessibility is critical for any system that manages web content

CMSes are also an opportunity for web accessibility





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Authoring tools: tools that create web content

Authoring tools can improve heaps of accessibility at once



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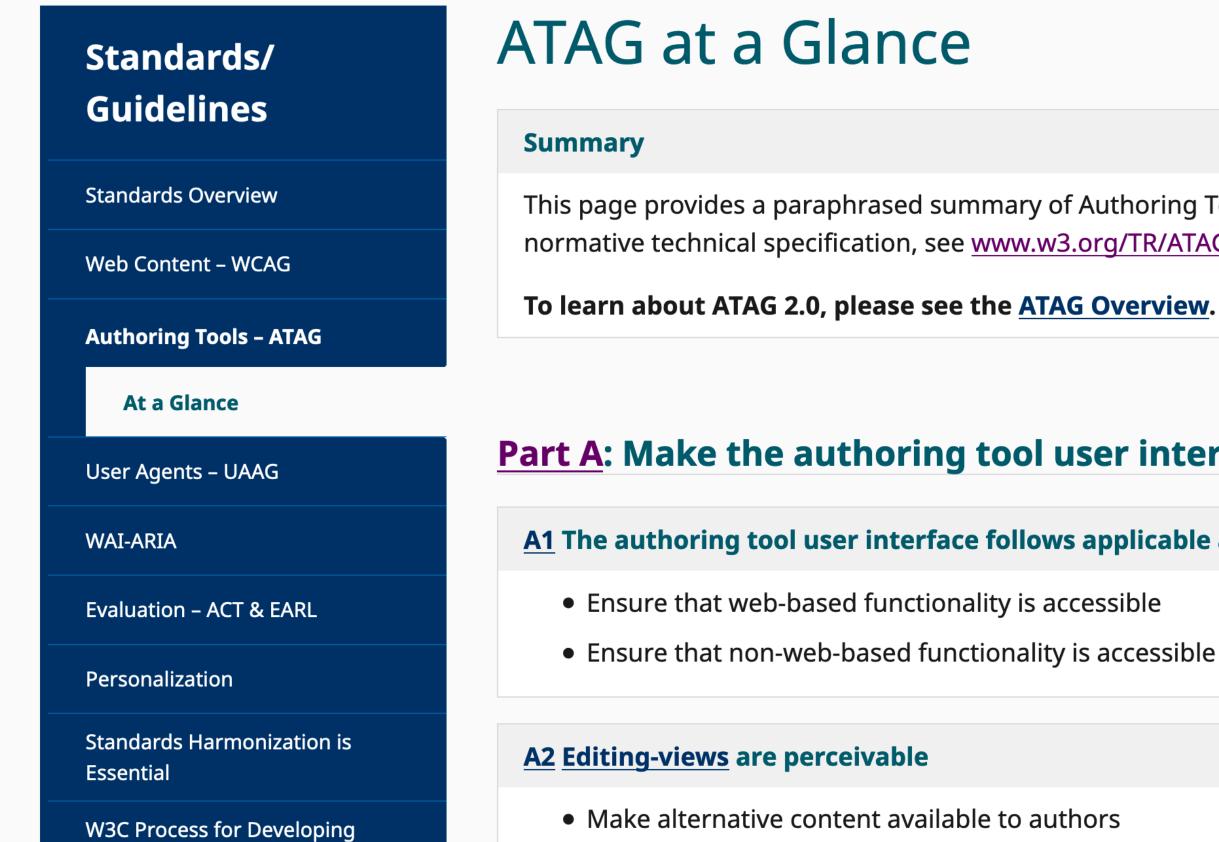


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This page provides a paraphrased summary of Authoring Tool Accessibility Guidelines (ATAG) 2.0. For the normative technical specification, see <u>www.w3.org/TR/ATAG20</u>.

Part A: Make the authoring tool user interface accessible

<u>A1</u> The authoring tool user interface follows applicable accessibility guidelines

- Ensure that non-web-based functionality is accessible

• Make alternative content available to authors

ATAG about CMSes:be accesssibleencourage accessibility

Content editors need an accessible editing experience







Give icon-only buttons an accessible name

See also: *Naming things* · https://hiddedevries.nl/en/blog/2019-04-18-naming-things-to-improve-accessibility





Make all links, buttons and form elements work with keyboard

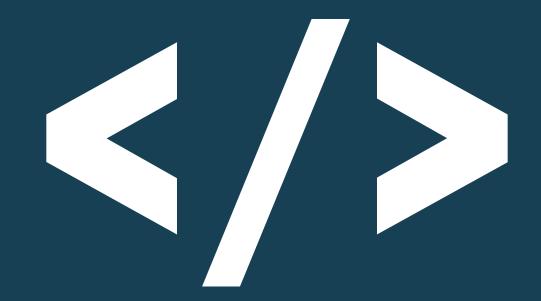
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Allow for zooming



Web users need accessible output



Help content editors to add useful (or no) alternative text

See also: An alt decision tree · https://www.w3.org/WAI/tutorials/images/decision-tree/







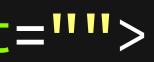
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Prevent creating linked image if alt text is missing





Cannot create link This image does not have alternative text





<button type="button">Swbmit</button>

Add a spellchecker to content fields



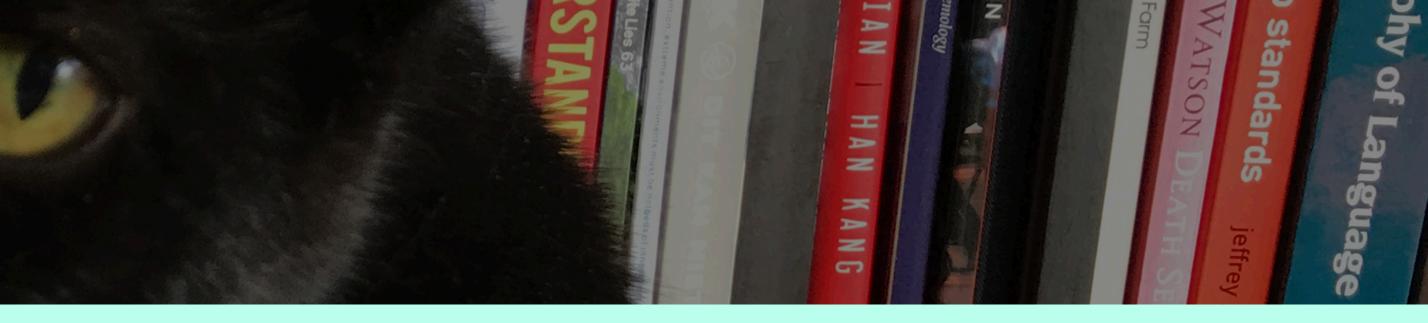
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Not enough contrast Use a background color, larger text or a bolder font.

Warn people when they introduce colour contrast issues



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How is your content authored? Can you break more barriers?

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