Creating a more knowledgeable society

Wikimedia CH promotes and shares free knowledge through Wikipedia and other online projects.

What we do
Wikimedia CH is a nonprofit, independent Swiss association recognised as a chapter of the Wikimedia Foundation.

Solely funded by donations, we bring people together to collaborate and share knowledge freely and actively support Wiki initiatives.

Our programmes include projects, events, training on Wikipedia editing and other Wiki platforms, along with grant opportunities.

Our vision is a world in which everyone can freely share in the sum of all knowledge for a more open, informed society.

Help us promote free knowledge

Here is how you can help us promote free knowledge by maintaining and developing Wikipedia and other Wiki projects.

Become a volunteer
Join the community of volunteer contributors and create content on Wikipedia or other Wikimedia projects.

Become a member
Join Wikimedia CH as an active, supportive or institutional association member.

Become a partner
We partner with like-minded organisations to maximise our impact towards advancing free knowledge.

Make a donation*
As a non-profit organisation, we rely on the generosity of donors to make our work possible. Donations are tax-deductible.

Facts about Wikipedia

5th most visited website in Switzerland

41.7M monthly page views

6000 visitors on Wiki-platforms per second worldwide

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Our programmes

Wikimedia CH’s initiatives focus on five strategic impact directions.

**Community**
The volunteer contributor community adds content to Wikipedia, Wikimedia Commons, Wikidata and other Wikimedia projects. We support and strengthen the community through financial, organisational and logistical assistance.

**GLAM**
We help Swiss galleries, libraries, archives and museums (GLAM) share their curatorial knowledge, collections and resources in a digital manner, on global platforms, making Swiss cultural heritage more accessible to the world.

**Education**
We support the development and adoption of effective digital education tools to provide new learning solutions for teachers and educators. Our activities focus on schools, universities and lifelong learning for all ages.

**Innovation**
We aim to advance technological innovation and topics of open source, open software, and tools in general. Our Innovation Lab acts as a safe space for experimentation and an enabler for all other programmes.

**Outreach**
We advocate for free knowledge and issues such as copyright and net neutrality. We participate in working groups and coalitions to advance digital and open-source themes and support our programmes with professional communication.