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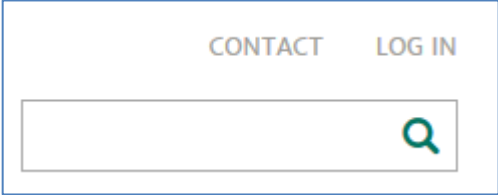
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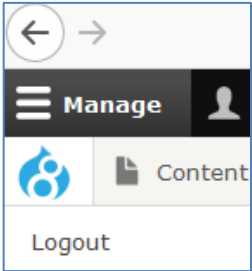
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Login/logout

Login

<p>At the right top. Click LOG IN.</p>	 A screenshot of the top right corner of the website. It shows two links: 'CONTACT' and 'LOG IN'. Below these links is a search bar with a magnifying glass icon on the right side.
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Logout

<p>At the left top. Click the blue icon and select Logout. (If you don't see the icon, click Manage first)</p>	 A screenshot of the website's navigation menu. At the top, there are left and right arrow icons. Below them is a 'Manage' button with a blue icon and a user profile icon. Underneath 'Manage' are two options: a blue icon and the text 'Content'. At the bottom of the menu is the 'Logout' option.
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Content

General information

The content of a page consists of images, text, links and documents.

There are two types of content:

- 1) Content that is shown on the website
- 2) Content that is shown on the website **and** where a summary of the content is shown in other parts (= overviews) on the website. These are the content types News, Events and Jobs.

The summaries of second content type are used in:

- the *Latest News*, *Upcoming Events* and *Vacancies* overviews on the homepage
- The news, events and vacancies overview pages (<https://www.mpi.nl/events>, <https://www.mpi.nl/news>, <https://www.mpi.nl/career-education/vacancies>)
- the subpages of the department pages (e.g. News, Events and Vacancies)

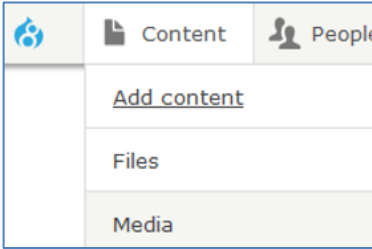
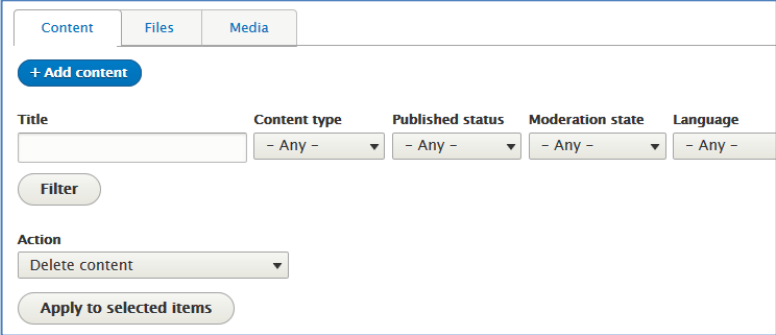
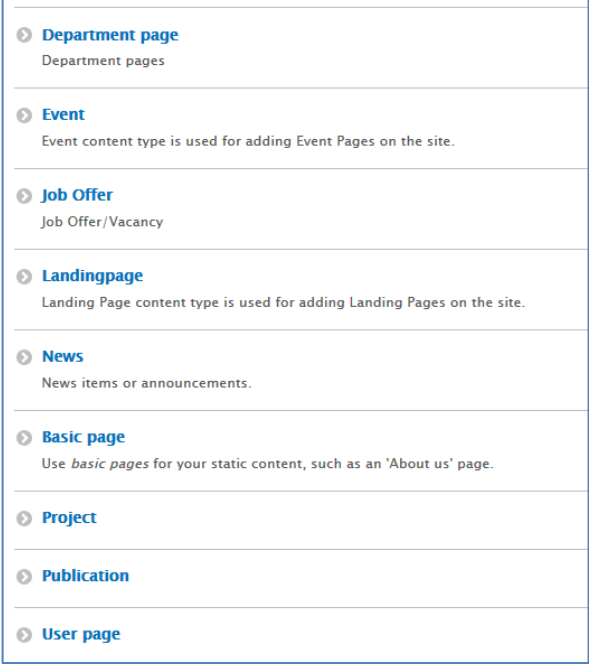
On the global site all news, events and jobs are shown, on the department page only specific items for news, event and job items are shown in the overview.

For the department pages these items must be added later (see: *Link department content*, page 8).

When you add content to the website the workflow is:

- First: add your files/documents (e.g. .pdf, .docx) (see: *Media*, page 12)
- Second: create your content page, as described below

Add new content

<p>Main menu (on the top left):</p> <p>Content ---> Add content</p>	 
<p>You can add the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Event• Job Offer• News• Basic page <p>The others content types you do not add.</p>	

When you have selected a content type, you can continue to create your content.

Create new content

(to clone (= duplicate an existing page) see: *Clone content*, page 11))

Every content type has a tabbed structure (Here: **Base content**, **Header area**, **Content Area**, **Sidebar Area**).



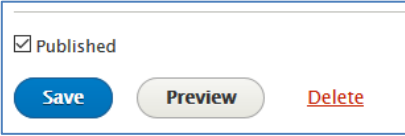
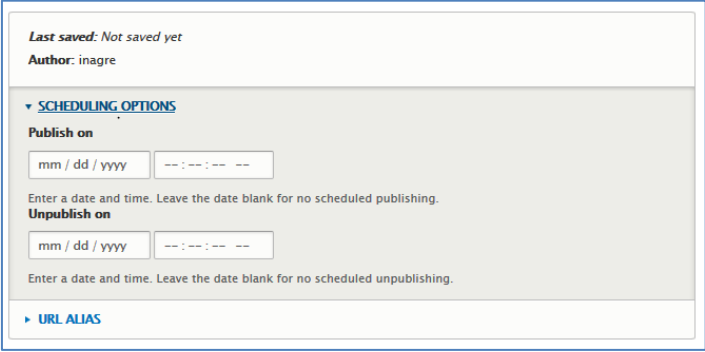
Each tab can (or must) be filled with content.

!!! Fields with a red * are mandatory and must be filled

The tab **Content Area (1)** is where most of the page is created. Here you can edit the page.


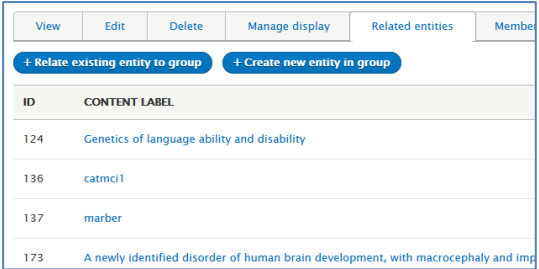
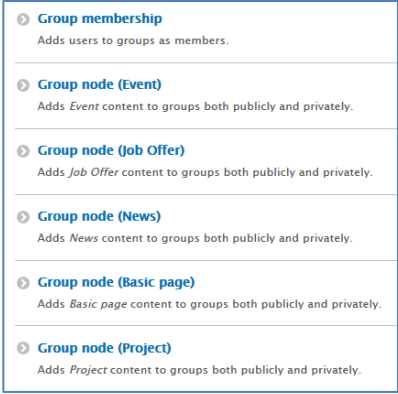
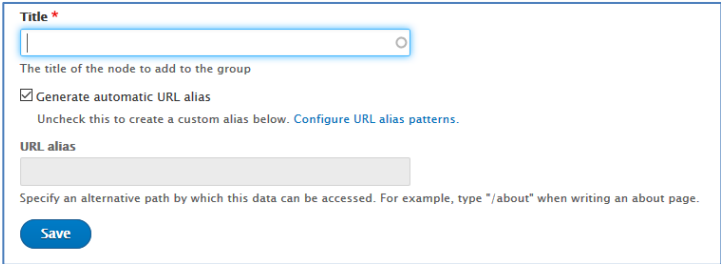
- 2) You can use the CKeditor (see: *The editor*, page 17)
- 3) On some pages you can find extra content blocks. In this example '*Simple content*'.
- 4) If you press **Edit** you can edit this block. (with **Collapse** (not shown) you can collapse this part).
- 5) You can always add extra Page content (blocks), press the arrow to select the extra page content you want to add. Normally there is no need to do this. (More about this see: *Paragraphs*, page 15)

Tip! When you can not save your page and don't see an error: navigate to the tab with a red *. There is a good chance you did not fill in the mandatory fields.

<p>When you are finished with the page, there are 2 options:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Save (the page is published) • Preview (this gives you the option to view the page before it is published) To end the Preview, click Back to content editing. 	 
<p>There is a checkbox Published present, when checked the page is published. Unchecked the page is unpublished. Always click Save afterwards.</p>	
<p>(publish on a certain date)</p> <p>There is an option to (un)publish content at a certain time.</p> <p>The Scheduling options are at the right of the screen.</p> <p>(This uses AM/PM time settings, AM before 12 midday, PM after 12 midday)</p>	
<p>If your page was a News item, an Event or a Job Offer you can add this to the overview (News, Events, Vancancies) on a department page (see: <i>Link department content</i>, page 8).</p>	

Link department content

When you want to show your content (News, Events, Vacancies) on a department page, do the following:

<p>Go to the main department homepage (f.e. https://www.mpi.nl/department/language-development/3). Click on the cog and select All entities.</p>	
<p>Click on the blue button: + Relate existing entity to group</p>	
<p>Select the type of content you want to relate to the department. (Event, News, Job Offer (=Vacancy))</p>	
<p>Type the title of the content you want to relate. When found click Save.</p> <p>The content will now be shown in the overview (News, Events or Vacancies).</p>	

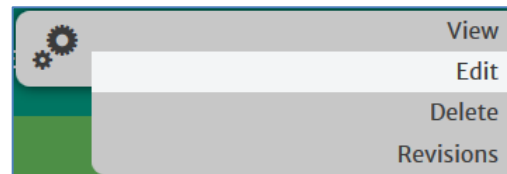
Edit content

There are two ways to edit a page.

1. Via the page itself

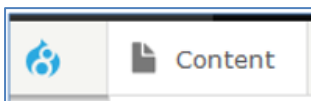
Click on the cog on the right of your screen. And click **Edit**.

(Tip! This is the best way to edit a page.)



2. Via the content overview

Main menu: **Content**.



Here you find all the content items, you can filter them via the top bar where you can type a part of the title and click **Filter**.

 A screenshot of the content overview interface. It includes a top bar with 'Content', 'Files', and 'Media' tabs. Below is a '+ Add content' button and a filter section with dropdowns for 'Content type', 'Published status', 'Moderation state', and 'Language'. There are 'Filter' and 'Reset' buttons. An 'Action' dropdown is set to 'Delete content' with an 'Apply to selected items' button. Below is a table with columns: TITLE, CONTENT TYPE, AUTHOR, STATUS, MODERATION STATE, UPDATED, and OPERATIONS.

<input type="checkbox"/>	TITLE	CONTENT TYPE	AUTHOR	STATUS	MODERATION STATE	UPDATED	OPERATIONS
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<input type="checkbox"/>	Internship at the Psychology of Language department	Job Offer	maudeu	Published	Published	11/11/2019 - 16:32	Edit
<input type="checkbox"/>	De sprekende aap. Hoe taal de mens bepaalt	Event	carlor	Published	Published	11/11/2019 - 12:12	Edit

When you are finished editing, there are the options:

- Save (the page is (un)published)
- Preview (view the page before you save it to publish it)
- Delete (delete the page)

There is a checkbox **Published** present, when checked the page is published. Unchecked the page is unpublished. Always click **Save** afterwards.

Published
 [Delete](#)

Published

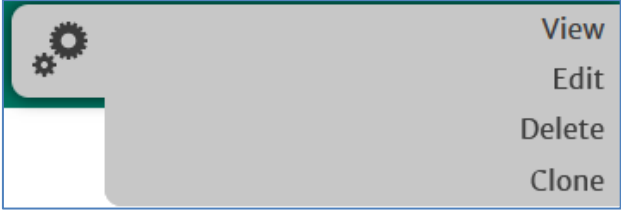

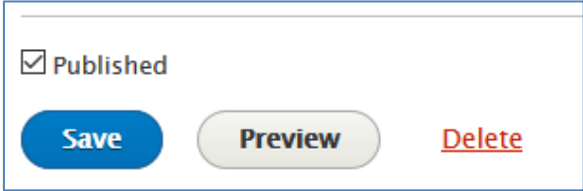
Useful tips about editing:

- For heading within a page use the **Heading 3** format in your editor.
- The copy/paste of a Word document is not always nice, especially the heading text blocks. When you place an extra <enter> at the beginning of the heading title, the problem is solved.
- Always test your links and the page setup when you are finished editing.
- If you have trouble editing and want to go back and save nothing, go to the tab **View** or click on **Max Planck Institute** in the breadcrumb.

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Clone content

With some content it is easier to duplicate an existing page and change some of the text and publish it under another name.

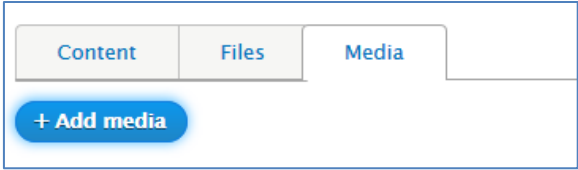
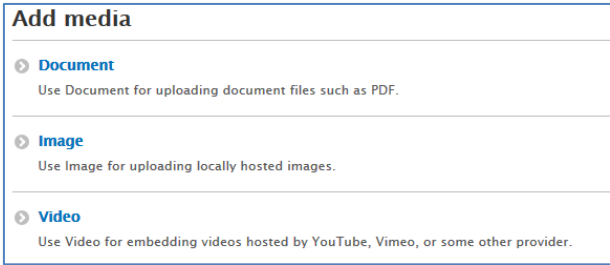
<p>First go to the page you want to duplicate.</p>	
<p>Click on the cog on the right of your screen. And click Clone.</p>	
<p>The page is exactly the same as the one you cloned. You can change text, but you must change the title!</p>	
<p>When done click Save to publish.</p>	

Media

This chapter describes how to add media (documents, images and videos).

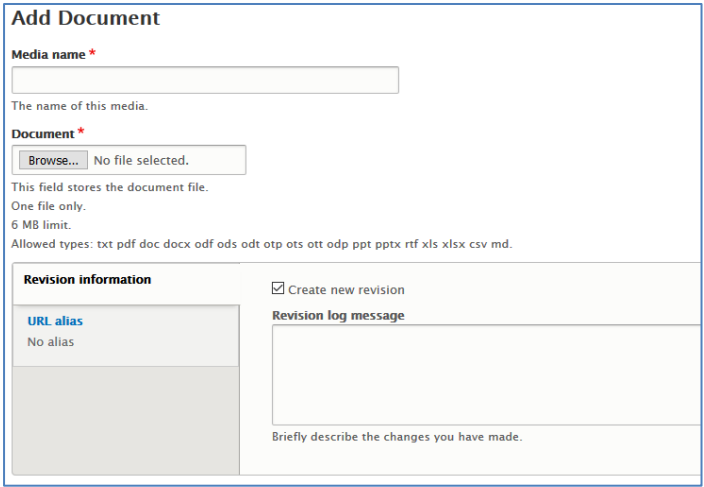
As stated earlier, when you add new content to the website the workflow is:


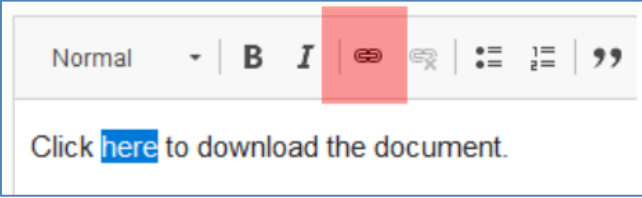
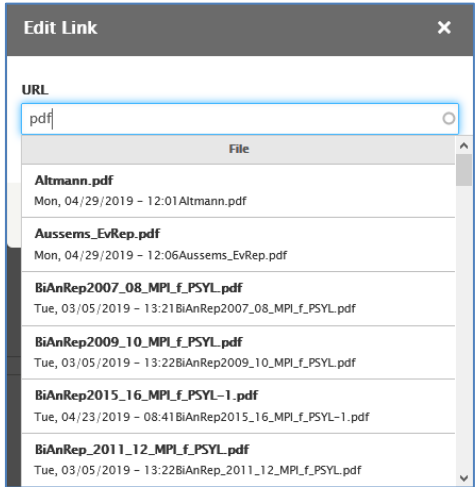
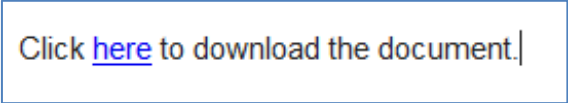
- Add documents
- After you added these you create your content (within the content editor you can easily add images see: *The editor:Image*, page 19)

<p>Main menu: Content ---> Media ---> Add media</p>	
<p>You have three options:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Document • Image (see page 19 for the easy upload) • Video 	

Document

The allowed document types are: txt, pdf, doc, docx, odf, ods, odt, otp, ots, ott, odp, ppt, pptx, rtf, xls, xlsx, csv, md. We recommend to use pdf. The maximum file size is currently 12 Mb.

<p>Give the document a Media name (that makes sense, because this will eventually become the link name).</p> <p>Browse and upload the document.</p> <p>Click Save.</p>	
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<p>When Saved, a link appears at the left of your screen.</p>	
<p>To embed it on a page edit the page. Type your text and select the text to link it.</p> <p>Click on link icon and a new window appears.</p>	
<p>Here you type the name of your previously added document (it is sorted by date).</p> <p>Select the name your file.</p>	
<p>Click Next and the link is there.</p>	

Image

For the easy upload method within your content see: *The editor:Image*, page 19.

<p>The allowed image types are: png, gif, jpg, jpeg. The maximum file size is currently 12 Mb. Give the image a Media name (that makes sense).</p> <p>Select image category (you use this if you want to use an image later; it is easier to find).</p> <p>Browse and upload the image.</p> <p>Click Save.</p>	<div style="border: 1px solid #ccc; padding: 10px;"> <h3>Add Image</h3> <p>Media name *</p> <input type="text"/> <small>The name of this media.</small> <p>Image category</p> <input type="text" value="- None -"/> <small>One file only. 6 MB limit. Allowed types: png gif jpg jpeg.</small> <p>media_image *</p> <input type="button" value="Browse..."/> No file selected. <p>Caption</p> <input style="width: 100%; height: 50px;" type="text"/> <hr/> <p>Revision information</p> <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between;"> <div style="width: 45%;"> <p>URL alias</p> <input type="text" value="No alias"/></div> <div style="width: 50%;"> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Create new revision</div> </div> <p>Revision log message</p> <input style="width: 100%; height: 40px;" type="text"/> <small>Briefly describe the changes you have made.</small> </div>
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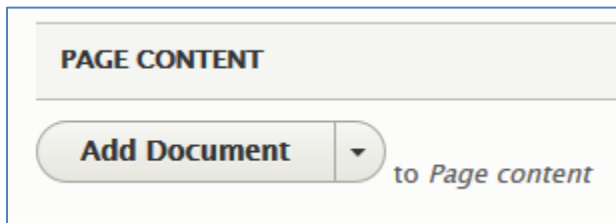
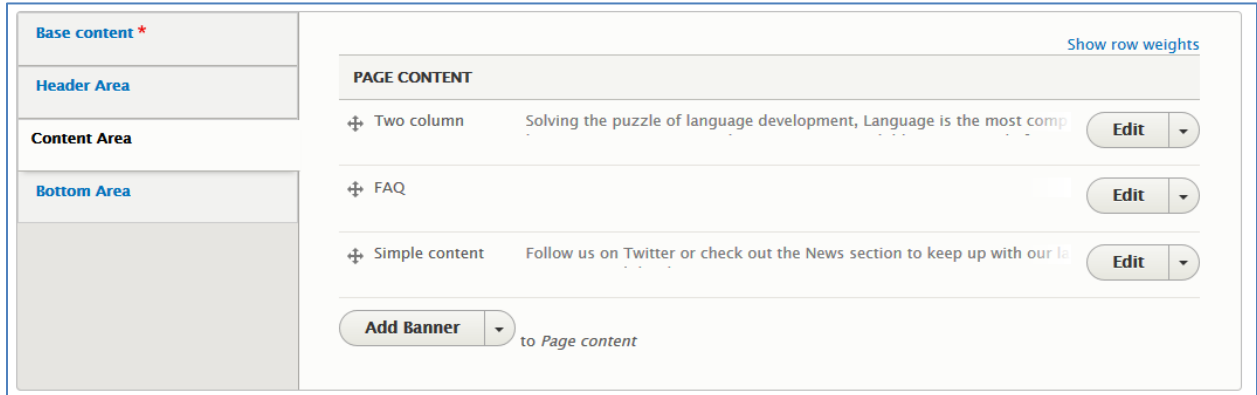
Video

You cannot upload video's. You must use a link. For video's without a link contact the TG.

<p>Give the video a Media name (that makes sense).</p> <p>Add the URL of the video.</p> <p>When finished, Click Save.</p>	<div style="border: 1px solid #ccc; padding: 10px;"> <h3>Add Video</h3> <p>Media name *</p> <input type="text"/> <small>The name of this media.</small> <p>Video URL *</p> <input type="text"/> <hr/> <p>Revision information</p> <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between;"> <div style="width: 45%;"> <p>URL alias</p> <input type="text" value="No alias"/></div> <div style="width: 50%;"> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Create new revision</div> </div> <p>Revision log message</p> <input style="width: 100%; height: 40px;" type="text"/> <small>Briefly describe the changes you have made.</small> </div>
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Paragraphs

This chapter describes Paragraphs, these are the building blocks of the website. Paragraphs are part of the page; the blocks you see on a page. Normally you do not add paragraphs on existing pages. You only will use them to change text within the website.

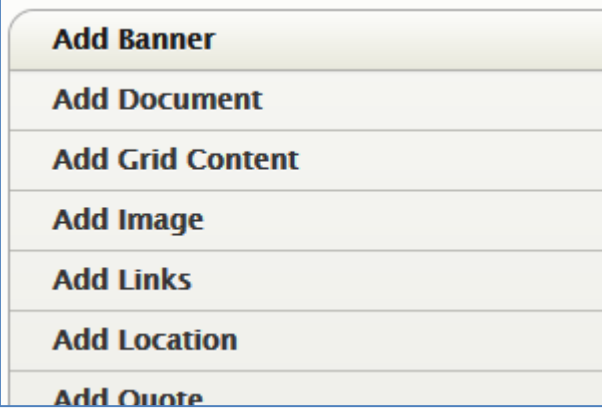
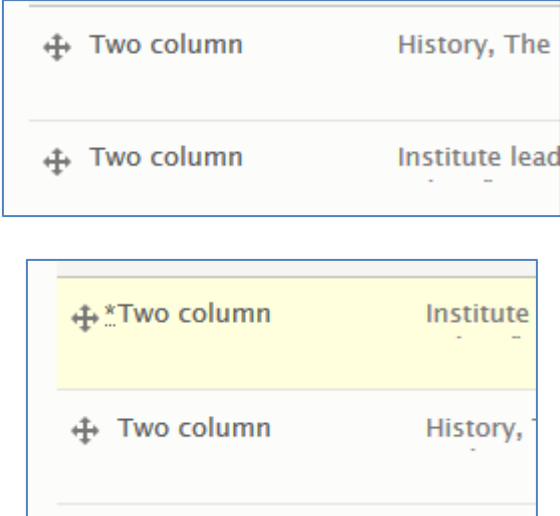


The most used paragraphs are:

- Simple content: a block of editable text
- Two column: this can contain other paragraphs
- User/Members: you can select a user (with a profile photo and his/her data)
- Document: you can add documents
- Image: you can add an image, this shows on the full width of the page

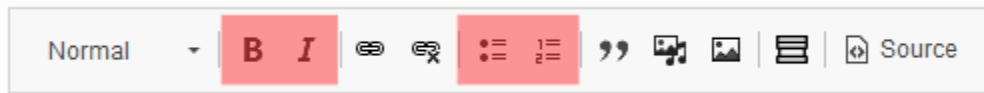
Paragraphs are found on the Tabs **Content**, **Bottom** and **Sidebar Area** of a webpage.

<p>You can edit an existing Paragraph, by clicking Edit. (with <i>Collapse</i> (not shown) you can collapse this part).</p>	
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<p>You can a new Paragraph, click Add <Name>.</p>	
<p>You can change the order of a paragraph.</p> <p>Go to the cross at the front of the paragraph.</p> <p>Your mouse turns into a drag-and-drop cross.</p> <p>Select the paragraph, hold the mouse and move your paragraph to the wanted position.</p> <p>When done, the moved paragraph is yellow.</p>	

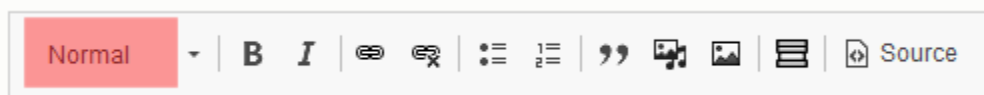
The editor

This chapter describes the so-called CKeditor, the editor of the website. The buttons that are discussed in the sections are highlighted in red.



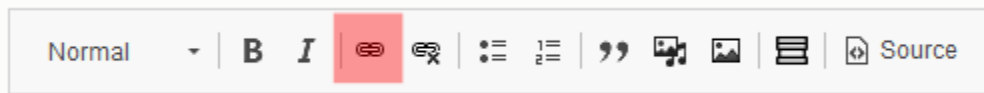
Text can be added and changed in: bold, italic, unordered list (= a list with bullet points), ordered list (= a numbered list).

Heading



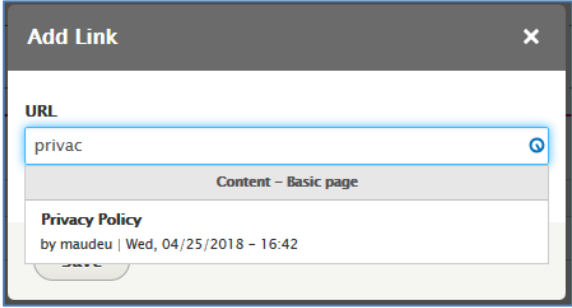
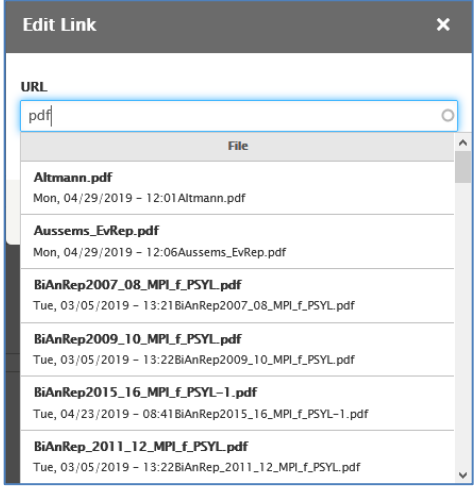

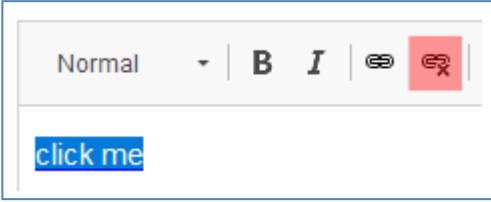
For heading use: **Heading 3**, this will print a smaller bold font and colored.

Links

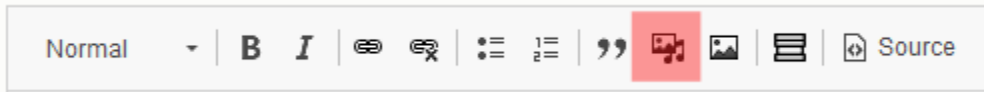


When you type a http/https or a mail address, the website will transform this into a valid link. Parts of text can also be transformed into a link.

<p>Select the part you want to transform in a link and press the link button.</p>	
<p>Add the link. This can be an external link (http/https) or an internal link or a document. Here you can start typing to find the content of the internal page you want to add. Click Save.</p>	

	
<p>Click on link icon and a new window appears. Here you type the name of your previously added document of just pdf (it is sorted alphabetically). Select your file.</p>	
<p>Your link is available now.</p>	
<p>To unlink, select the whole link text and press the unlink button.</p>	

Image



Globally a page is divided in three columns. For Events, Vacancies and Basic pages the first two columns are used:

IMAGES




Image A: 1 column, aligned left


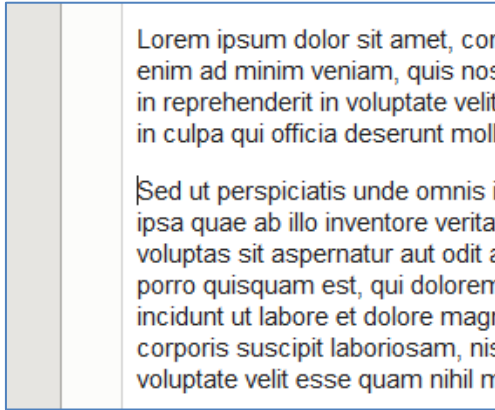


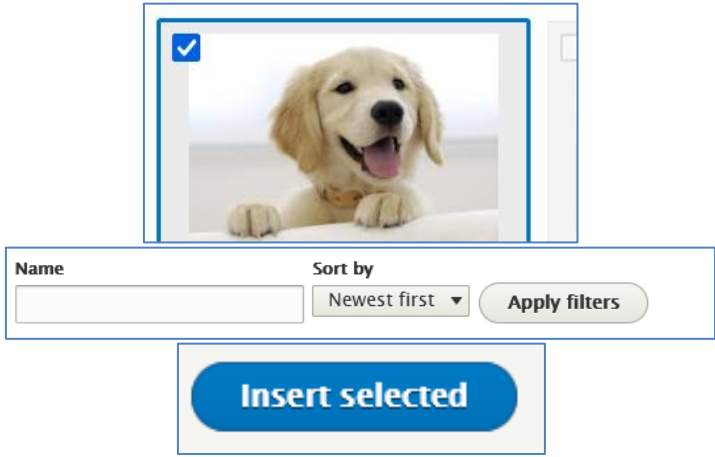
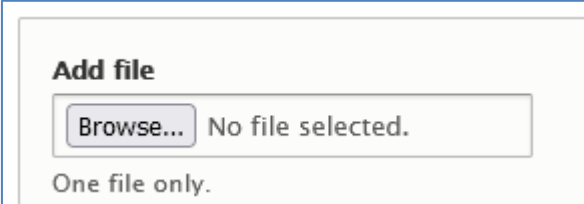


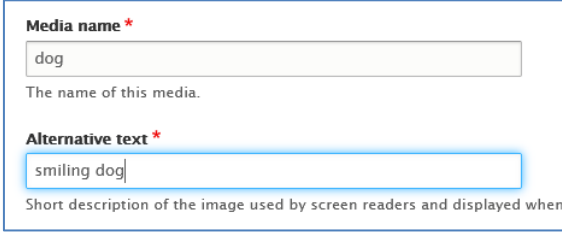
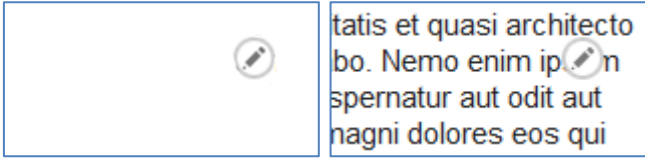
Image B: 2 columns

The complex block is enclosed in a blue border. At the top left, the word 'IMAGES' is written in a bold, green, sans-serif font. Below this, there are two image examples. The first is a small image of a historic building with a wide staircase, labeled 'Image A: 1 column, aligned left'. The second is a larger image of the same building, labeled 'Image B: 2 columns'.

!!! Always start with your text. When this is done you can add the images.

The editor is not WYSIWYG (= What you see is what you get): so always use the **Preview** button before saving the page.

<p>Put the cursor at the position where the image will come. Normally at the beginning of a paragraph (Here at "Sed").</p>	
<p>Click on the add image button:</p>  <p>An image browser appears. Select an existing image or add a new image.</p>	
<p>Select an existing image (use the filter option to narrow the results):</p> <p>Check the checkbox .</p> <p>Click Insert selected.</p>	
<p>Upload a new image</p> <p>Click Browse. The allowed image types are: png, gif, jpg, jpeg. The maximum file size is currently 12 Mb.</p>	

<p>When the image is too small it will look pixelated. An image that is too small will not show in a 2 or 3 column. A width must be at least 260px.</p>	
<p>Give the image a Media name (that makes sense) and an Alternative text.</p> <p>Click Save.</p>	 <p>The screenshot shows a form with two input fields. The first field is labeled "Media name *" and contains the text "dog". Below it is the text "The name of this media.". The second field is labeled "Alternative text *" and contains the text "smiling dog". Below it is the text "Short description of the image used by screen readers and displayed when".</p>
<p>When the image is inserted in the text, there is a pencil at the far right. With this the image placement can be changed. Sometimes the pencil is hidden in the text.</p> <p>Click on this pencil.</p>	 <p>The screenshot shows a text box containing the Latin text "tatis et quasi architecto bo. Nemo enim ip on spernatur aut odit aut nagni dolores eos qui". A pencil icon is visible at the end of the text.</p>

Change the appearance of the image within the page.

Align: Where is the image?

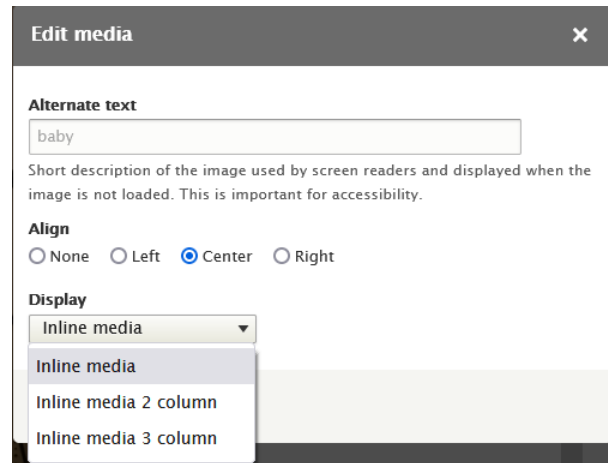
- *Left:* on the left
- *Right:* on the right
- *None/Center:* Image at the left, no text to the right or left

Try to align the image to the right, within the text this looks better (and also on mobile devices).

Display: How large will the image be?

- *Inline media:*
1/3 of the visible part
- *Inline media 2 column:*
2/3 of the visible part
(for Events, Vacancies and Basic pages this is the full with)
- *Inline media 3 column:*
Full width

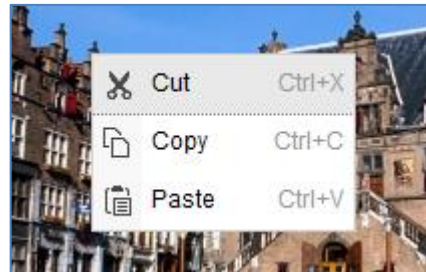
Click **Save**.



Editor view (above), website view (below)


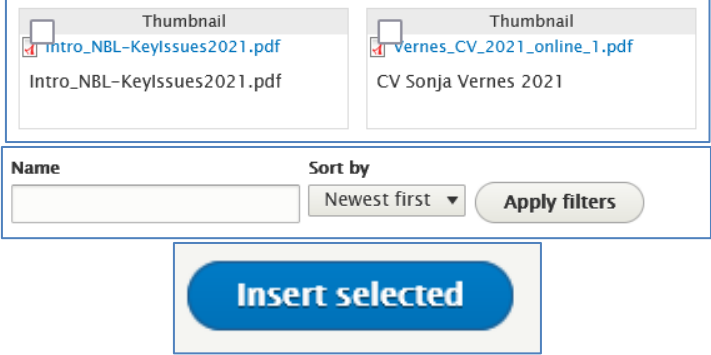
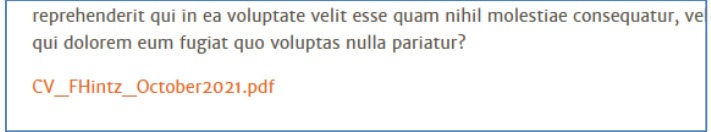


To remove an image. Right click the image and select **Cut**.

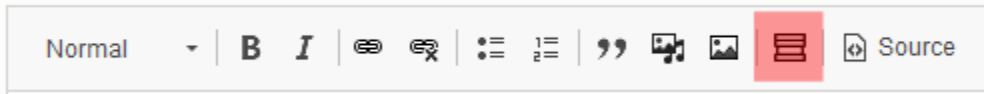


Document

This method is only meant for adding documents at the bottom of page. To link documents within a text see: *The editor:Links*, page 17.

<p>Go to the bottom of the page. Click on the add image button:</p>  <p>Go to the tab Document.</p>	
<p>Select an existing document (use the filter option to narrow the results):</p> <p>Check the checkbox.</p> <p>Click Insert selected.</p>	
<p>When this is done the link to the document is there (it aligns default to the left).</p>	

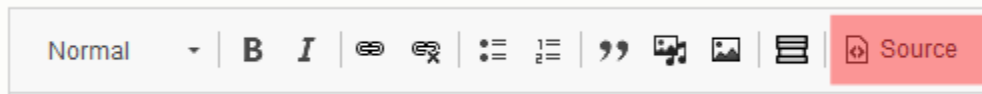
Accordion



To make a proper section within your person page, we recommend you use the accordion feature to make a heading. The default accordion has two paragraphs, with a title section and a content section. You can add, delete paragraphs when needed.

<p>When you press the accordion button some pre-defined content will appear. Here you can put your text.</p>	<p>A screenshot of the accordion editor interface. It shows a container labeled 'Accordion' with two sections. Each section has a dashed box for the title and a larger dashed box for the content. The first section is labeled 'Accordion title 1' and 'Accordion content 1'. The second section is labeled 'Accordion title 2' and 'Accordion content 2'.</p>
<p>(After publishing this on the website it will look like the picture below, where you can fold and unfold the content.)</p>	<p>A screenshot of the rendered accordion on a website. It shows two sections. The first section has the title 'Accordion title 1' and a small upward-pointing arrow on the right. The second section has the title 'Accordion title 2' and a small downward-pointing arrow on the right. The content of the sections is visible below the titles.</p>
<p>Delete/add an accordion paragraph</p> <p>Put your cursor (in the editor) where you want to add/delete an accordion. Press your right mouse button, a menu will appear with three options (add before/add after/remove). This adds/removes an accordion: title + content.</p>	<p>A screenshot of a right-click context menu. The menu has a 'Paste' option at the top with a keyboard shortcut 'Ctrl+V'. Below it are three options, each with an accordion icon: 'Add accordion tab before', 'Add accordion tab after', and 'Remove accordion tab'.</p>

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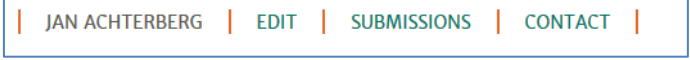
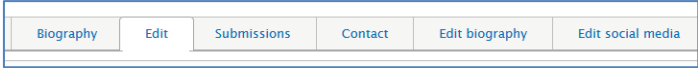
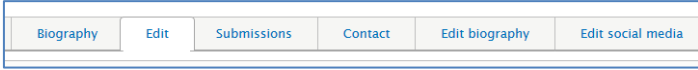
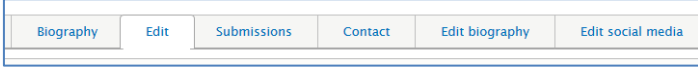
If you have experience with the HTML code, you can edit your HTML code. Although not all tags are allowed. When you are done editing, save your page.

Useful tips!

- For heading within a page use the **Heading 3** format in your editor.
- The copy/paste of a Word document is not always nice, because Word uses its own fonts, colors etc. Use CTRL + SHIFT + V to paste a Word document as plain text.
- Always test your links and page setup when you are finished editing.

People page

People pages can only be edited by secretaries.

<p>Go the people page of the person you want to edit.</p> <p>Click Edit.</p>	
<p>Click the tab Edit biography to edit the person page.</p>	
<p>MPI directors do have some content on other places.</p> <p>Click the tab Edit</p>	
<p>MPI directors do have some content on other places.</p> <p>Click the tab Edit</p>	
<p>Go to Content. Here you can edit the content.</p>	

Appendix

Content types

Basic page

<p>Tab Base content</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Title The title of the page. • Summary A small summary which is displayed on the top of the page. 	
<p>Tab Header area</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Header A photo banner (do not use this for simple pages). 	
<p>Tab Content Area</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Introduction The further text of the page. • Page content You can add paragraph blocks (see page 15), usually this is not needed. 	
<p>Tab Sidebar Area</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Sidebar content You can add paragraph blocks (see page 15), usually this is not needed. 	

News

<p>Tab Base content</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Title The title of the news item, with a maximum length of 60 characters. • Date The date of the news. • Highlight image This image is shown on the page and on the overview pages. • Summary A small summary which is displayed on the top of the page and used as a teaser on overview pages. 	
<p>Tab Categories</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Category The category of the news item (department, press, corporate). 	
<p>Tab Content Area</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Introduction The further text of the page. • Page content You can add paragraph blocks (see page 15), usually this is not needed. 	
<p>Tab Sidebar Area</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Sidebar content You can add paragraph blocks (see page 15), usually this is not needed. 	

Job Offer

<p>Tab Base content</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Title The title of the job offer, with a maximum length of 62 characters. • Introduction A small summary which is displayed on the top of the page and used as a teaser on overview pages. 	
<p>Tab Categories</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Function group • Skill level • Contract type 	
<p>Tab Content Area</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Content Here you add the paragraph block: Simple content (see page 15) 	

You get a block where you can put content in your screen.

- **Title**
(we will not use this)
- **Content**

Here you place the text of the job offer. In the text you use the following headings (Format = Heading 3) in this order:

- **Job description**
- **Requirements**
- **Conditions of employment**
- **The employer**
(here you use standard text about the MPI)
- **Application procedure**







CONTENT

Simple content

▶ IMAGE

Title

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Text format Limited HTML

LINK

URL

Start typing the title of a piece of content to select it. You can also enter an internal path such as `/node/` or `http://example.com`. Enter `<front>` to link to the front page.

Link text

Select a style

- None -

Add Form to Content

Event

<p>Tab Base content</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Title The title of the event • Highlight image This image is shown on the page and on the overview pages. • Summary A small summary which is displayed on the top of the page and used as a teaser on overview pages. 	
<p>Tab Event details</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Event location (Donders, MPI, RU, etc.). • Category (Workshop etc.). • Event Room (which room) • Event date The date and time of the event. All day = checked: time is not displayed 	
<p>Tab Content Area</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Introduction The further text of the page. • Page content You can add paragraph blocks (see page 15), usually this is not needed. 	
<p>Tab Sidebar Area</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Sidebar content You can add paragraph blocks (see page 15), usually this is not needed. 	

Problems with headings

Sometimes changing the font size of the heading give all the text some same size.
It can take a lot of work to sort this out.

This trick will always work:

Put all the text together	Some text Heading1 Text for heading1... Heading2 Text for heading2...
Use <i>Enter</i> the separate (enter gives two empty lines, a bit too much)	Some text Heading1 Text for heading1... Heading2 Text for heading2...
Use font style of the heading	Some text Heading1 Text for heading1... Heading2 Text for heading2...
And now the trick: Use backspace at the beginning of the text.	Heading1 <use_backspace_here>Text for heading1...
Done	Heading1 Text for heading1...