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## General Wiki Help

Looking for general help on Wiki? Have a look at the [Wikipedia Handbook](#) Consult the [User's Guide](#) for information on using the wiki software.

## Pages of interest

- [Help on categories](#)
- [Help on namespaces](#)
- [Help on templates](#)
- [Help on variables](#)
- [Help on sections](#)
- [Help on lists](#)
- [Tips on converting Word or HTML to wiki](#)
- [Support of external editors in Wikipedia](#). Valid for Wikimedia Wikis, too
- [Help on links](#)
- [Editing pages](#) - reveals nearly all "secrets" of editing a wiki page ;-)
- [Editor handbook](#) More complete, but not as simple handbook
- [Deutsche Wikipedia-Hilfe](#) German Wikipedia help site - including "Author's guide"
- [Adding Links to the Navbar](#)
- [Upgrading MediaWiki](#)
- [Access Restriction Config](#)

## Templates to use

### Template:Linked\_stuff

This template is useful to link to data which is located in the "linked\_suff" directory on our server. This directory is meant to enable links to data which cannot be handled via the wiki software's linking sytem.

Usage

```
{{Linked_stuff|subdirectory or path to the file to include|description to display}}
```

e.g.

```
{{Linked_stuff|Annotation/contamination/bacterial_genes_masked.xls|bacterial_genes_masked.xls}}
```

results in: [bacterial\\_genes\\_masked.xls](#)

## Installed extensions

- [Wiki Extensions](#)
- [Events](#)
- [Tasks](#)
- [GeSHI syntax highlighting](#) (see also the [full documentation](#))
- [BackLinks](#)
- [List sub pages](#)
- [Comment Form](#)
- [Wiki Blog](#)
- [ICQ extension](#)
- [Newest Pages Blog](#)
- [SubPageList2](#)
- [TabbedData](#)
- [LinkedImages](#)
- [Dynamic Page List \[1\] manual](#) updated --[DanDaMan](#) 14:18, 22 August 2007 (CEST)

## Installed graphics extensions

- [Introduction to the Graphviz extension](#)
- [Additional examples for Graphviz](#)
- [Another introduction to Graphviz](#)
- [Graphviz gallery](#)

## Mediawiki software

- [Configuration settings list](#)
- [MediaWiki FAQ](#)
- [MediaWiki release mailing list](#)