Year in Core:

a retrospective

WordCamp Los Angeles 2015

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Who Am I?

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- Third Culture Kid, enjoy Coffee & Sailing
- WordPress 3.9 Co-Lead and Core Contributor
- Happy DreamHost Employee

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Why a *retrospective*?

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Morgan Estes 2:08 pm on September 21, 2015
Tags: 4.4 (20), week in core

Week in Core: Sept. 13-21, 2015

Welcome to the Week in Core — Week Four, with super-exciting news from around WordPress-land, and Core changes and updates for Sept. 13–21, 2015 (commits [34093]–[34361]). This week's core contributors number 106! I'm especially jazzed about the number of new names on the list, and want to thank everyone for your effort this week.

News you can use

The WP REST API team submitted a proposal to merge the plugin into core, with a two-phase integration plan. The merge proposal blog post also does a nice job of presenting the history of the plugin and some use cases.

Do you use `my-hacks.php` in your site? Don't. (A quick search through the plugin and theme repos shows only 10 plugins and 3 themes that mention the file.)

Multisite is making some pretty big changes, including the addition of the `WP_Network` class. Check out this blog post, which outlines some of the changes and a roadmap for future updates for 4.4.

Interested in the user-focused part of WordPress? Of course you are! Join in the conversation about "Potential UI/UX projects in core."

Code changes

Welcome to Make WordPress Core!

This is the official blog for the core development team of the WordPress open source project. Follow our progress with weekly meeting agendas, project schedules, and the occasional code debate.

If you'd like to get involved with core, check out our contributor handbook.

Search

WordPress 4.4

WordPress 4.4 is in development. Features are being developed as plugins first.

The release is targeted for December 2015.

All posts tagged 4.4

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2014/9/4 – 2015/9/4

4 major releases
7 minor releases

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This is a *quick* pace.

WordPress *4.0* “Benny”
September 4, 2014

Lead by ***Helen Hou-Sandí***.
275 contributors.

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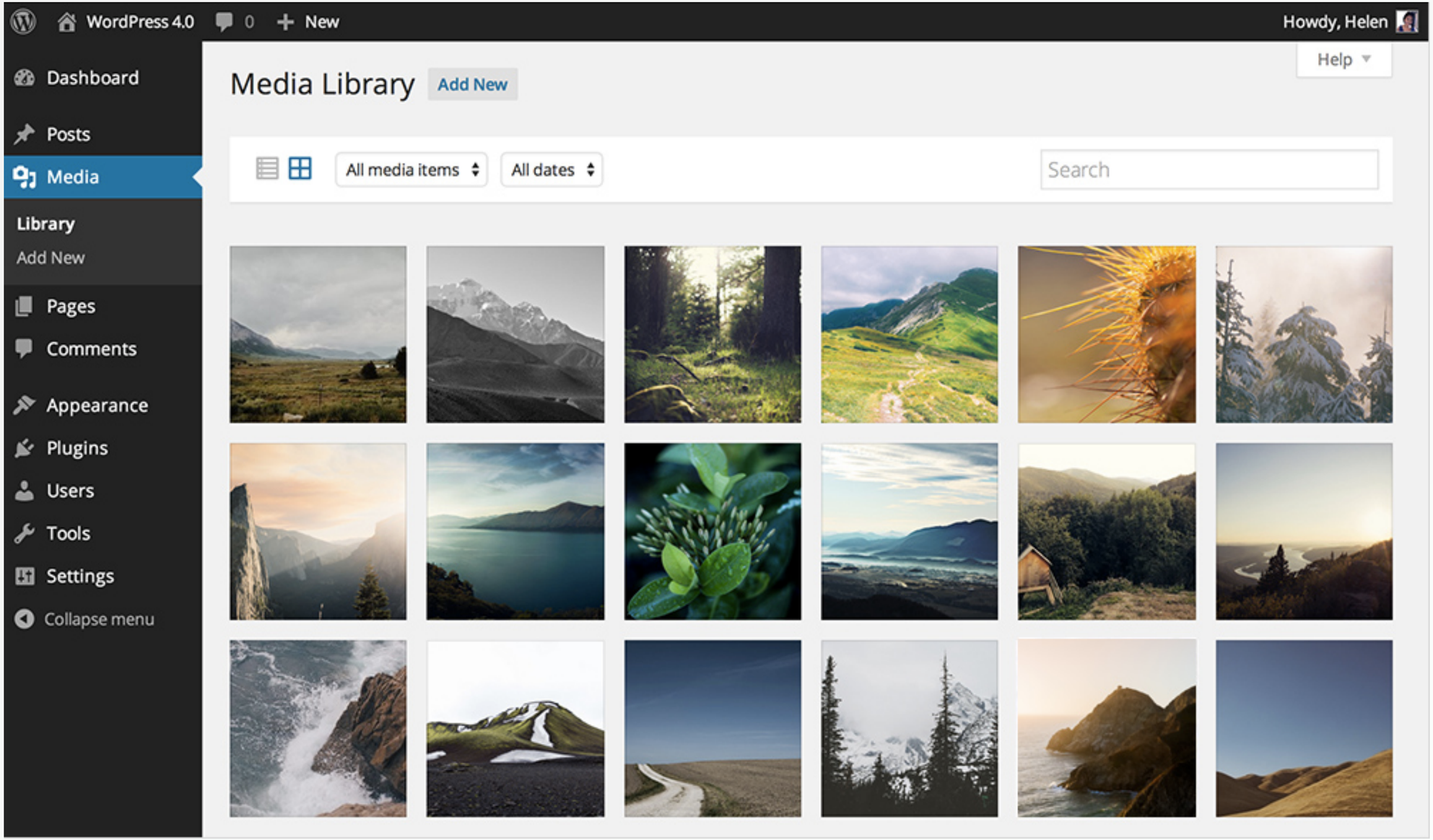
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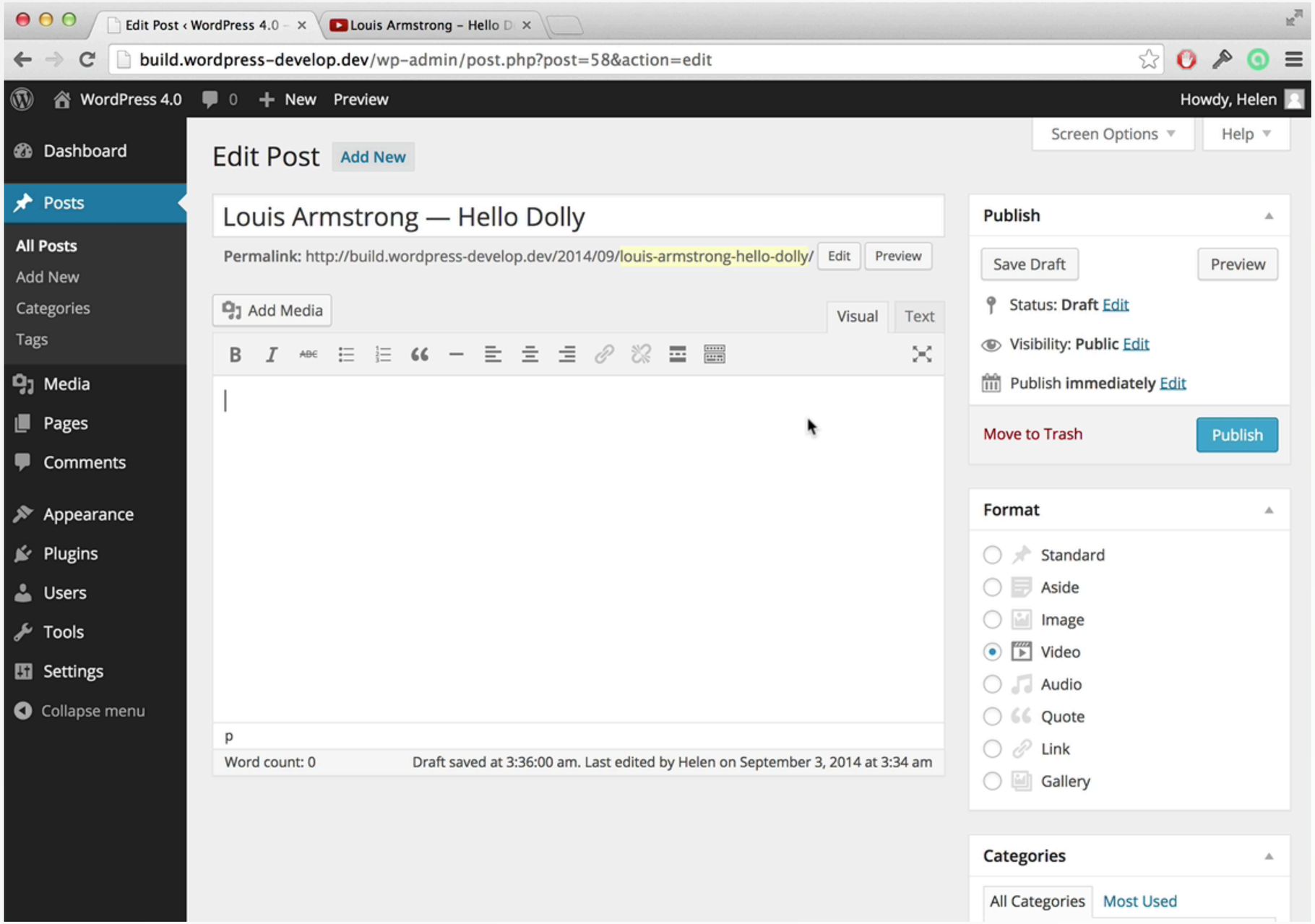
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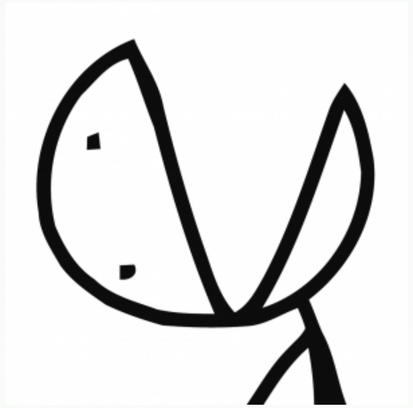
WordPress *4.1* “Dinah”
December 18, 2014



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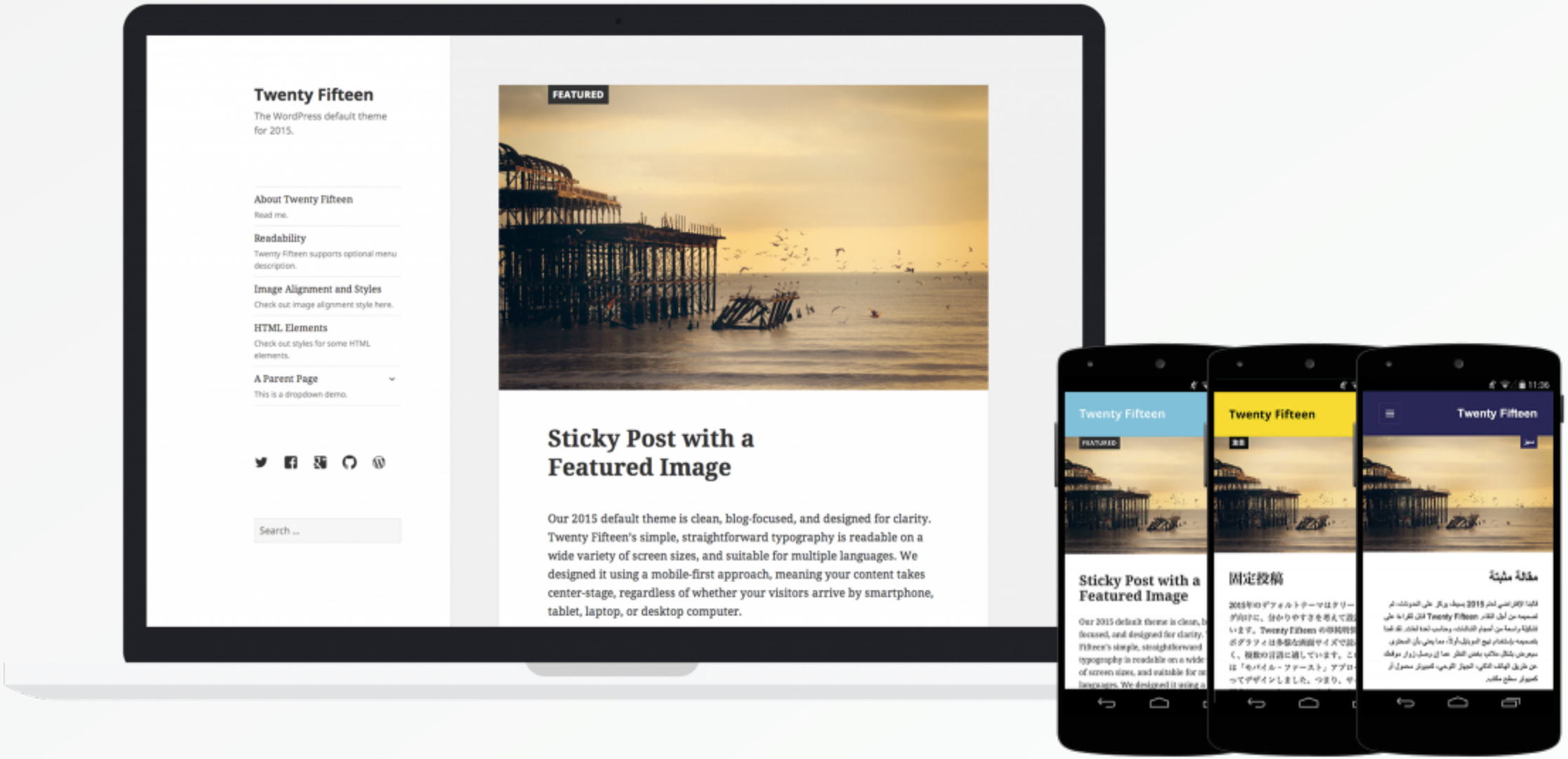
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The WordPress default theme for 2015.
About Twenty Fifteen
Read me.
Readability
Twenty Fifteen supports optional menu description.
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Check out image alignment style here.
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Sticky Post with a Featured Image
Our 2015 default theme is clean, blog-focused, and designed for clarity. Twenty Fifteen's simple, straightforward typography is readable on a wide variety of screen sizes, and suitable for multiple languages. We designed it using a mobile-first approach, meaning your content takes center-stage, regardless of whether your visitors arrive by smartphone, tablet, laptop, or desktop computer.
Twenty Fifteen
Sticky Post with a Featured Image
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The Finer Points

Choose a language

Right now, WordPress 4.1 is already translated into over forty languages, with more always in progress. You can switch to any translation on the General Settings screen.

Log out everywhere

If you've ever worried you forgot to sign out from a shared computer, you can now go to your profile and log out everywhere.

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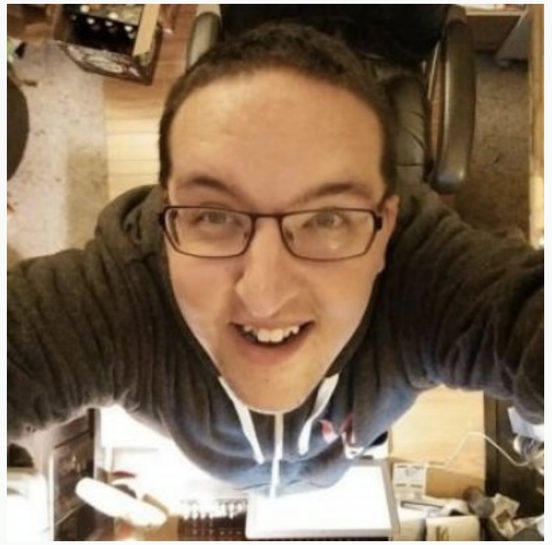
WordPress *4.2* “Powell”
April 23, 2015



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11:36
WordPress 網站
特色
I ❤ WordPress
我們的預設主題「貳零壹伍」是簡潔、著重於部落格，並採用明快的設計。「貳零壹伍」的簡潔排版在多種螢幕尺寸之下是易讀的，並適用於多種語言。我們設計以行動裝置優先的方式，這意味著不管訪問者使用智慧型手機、平板、筆記型電腦亦或是桌機，你的內容都將居於正中央。

11:36
WordPress サイト
注目
「鰯」などの第4水準漢字にも対応
2015年のデフォルトテーマはクリーン✨でブログ向け📝に、分かりやすさ💡を考えて設計されています。Twenty Fifteen の単純明快なタイポグラフィ🔠は多様な画面サイズで読みやすく、複数の言語🌐に適しています。このテーマは「モバイル・ファースト」📱ア

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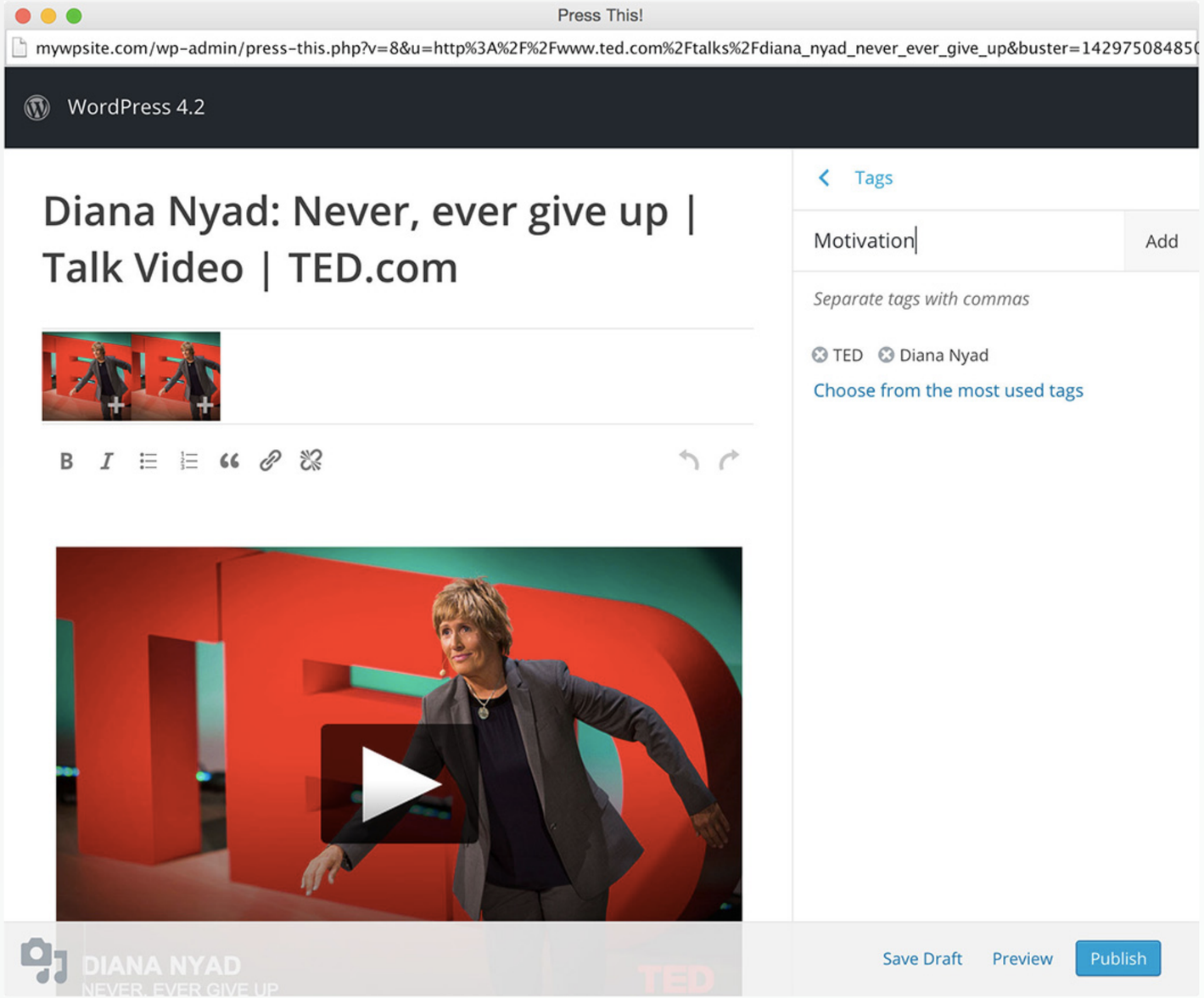
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Separate tags with commas
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Diana Nyad
Choose from the most used tags
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Save Draft
Preview
Publish

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Switch themes in the Customizer

Browse and preview your installed themes from the Customizer. Make sure the theme looks great with your content, before it debuts on your site.

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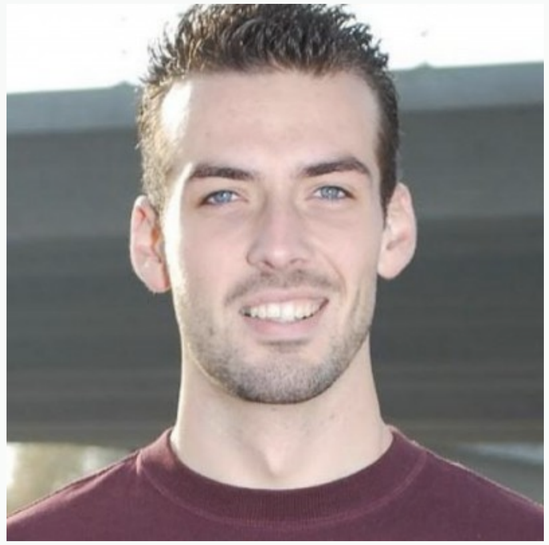
WordPress *4.3* “Billie”

August 18, 2015



Lead by *Konstantin Obenland*.

246 contributors.

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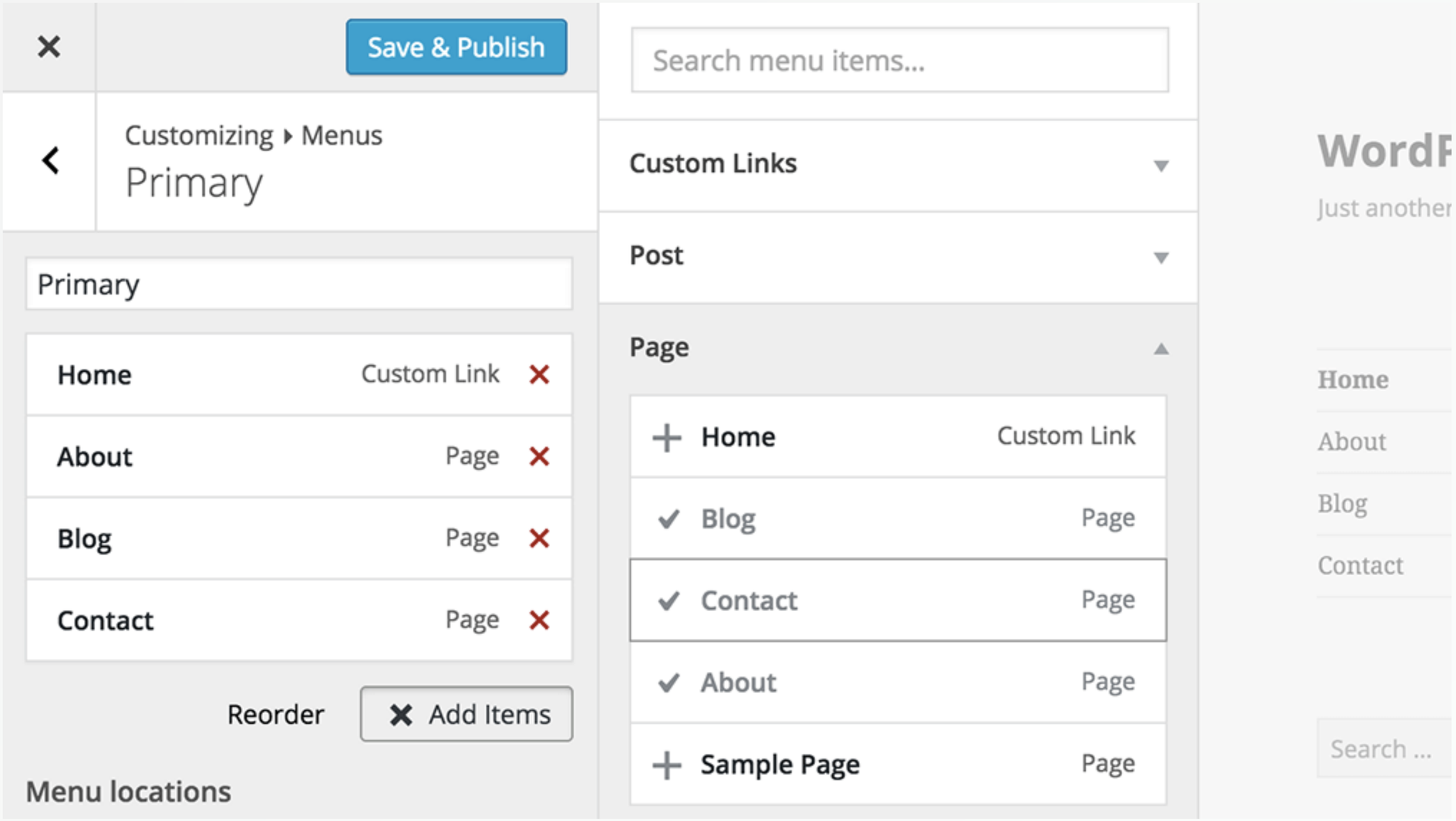
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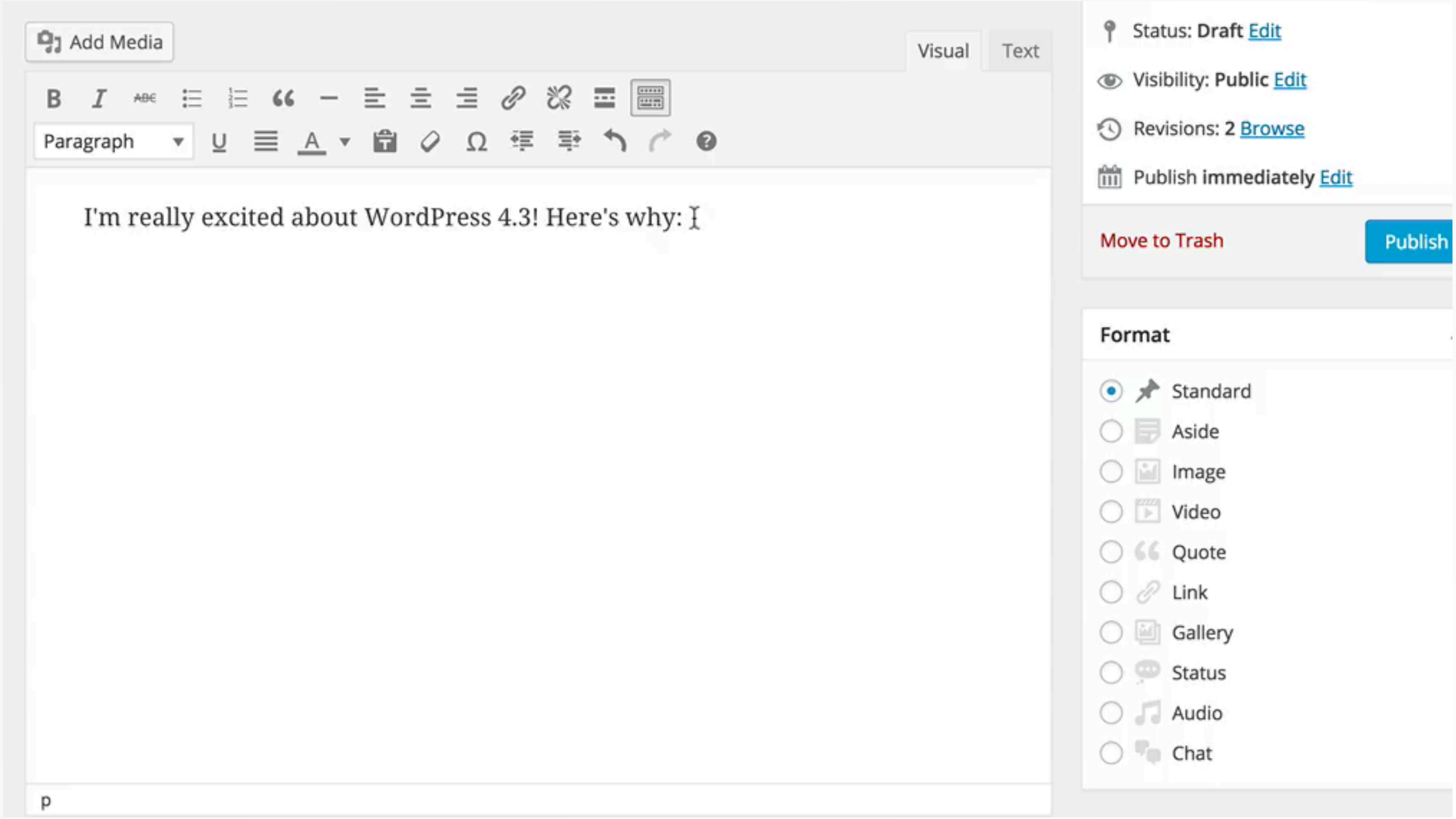
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I'm really excited about WordPress 4.3! Here's why:
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Preview

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As an app icon

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Website

https://wordpress.org

Password

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Strong

A password reset link will be sent to the user via email.

Role

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No more comments on new *Pages*!

Okay. Let's take a look
at the *FUTURE*!

WordPress *4.4*
Early December, 2015

Lead by *Scott Taylor*.

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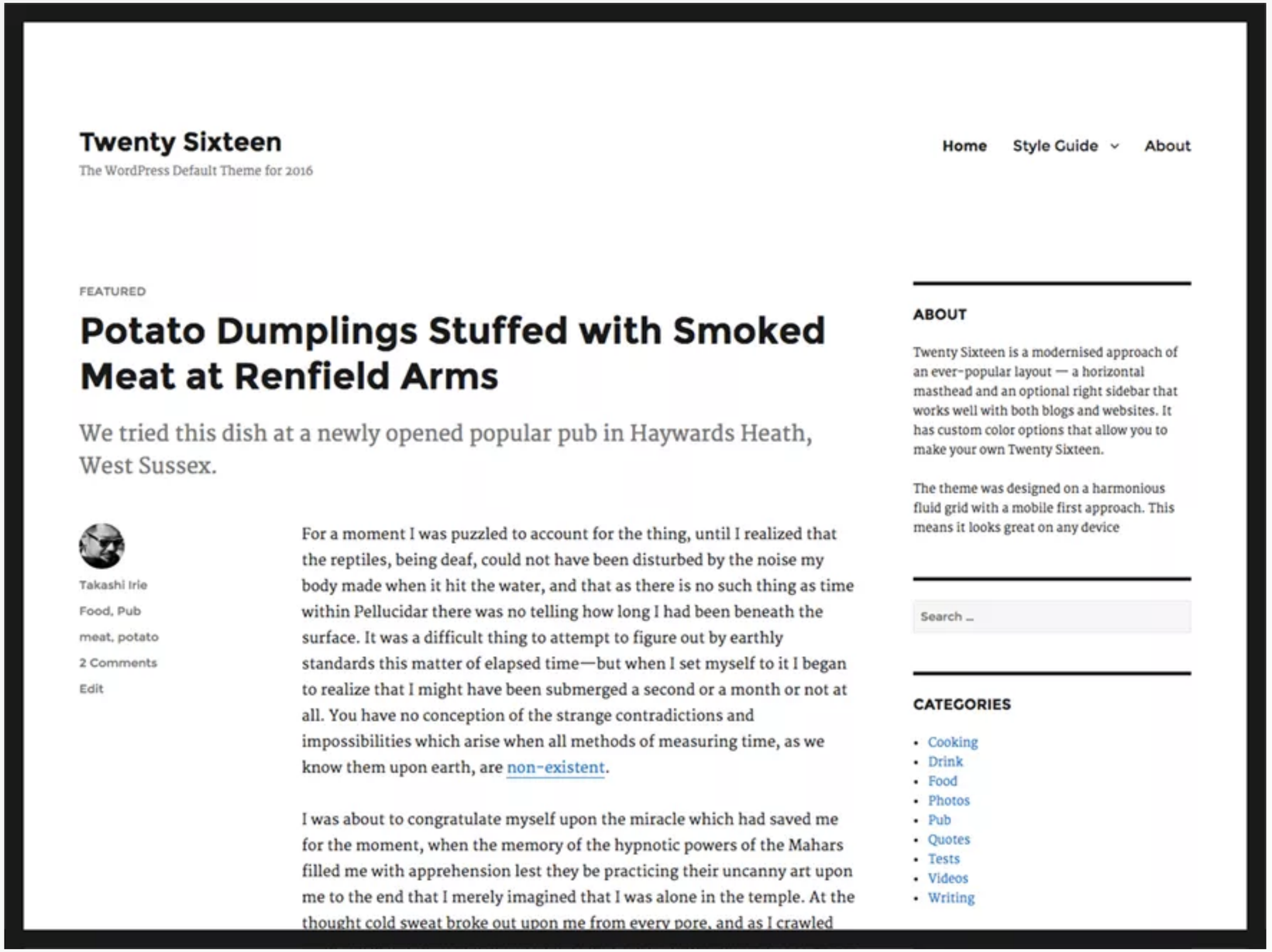
From here on out,

nothing is confirmed.

Except this — as of last Wednesday,
5 weeks and *727 commits*.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Potato Dumplings Stuffed with Smoked Meat at Renfield Arms
We tried this dish at a newly opened popular pub in Haywards Heath, West Sussex.
Takashi Irie
Food, Pub
meat, potato
2 Comments
Edit
For a moment I was puzzled to account for the thing, until I realized that the reptiles, being deaf, could not have been disturbed by the noise my body made when it hit the water, and that as there is no such thing as time within Pellucidar there was no telling how long I had been beneath the surface. It was a difficult thing to attempt to figure out by earthly standards this matter of elapsed time—but when I set myself to it I began to realize that I might have been submerged a second or a month or not at all. You have no conception of the strange contradictions and impossibilities which arise when all methods of measuring time, as we know them upon earth, are non-existent.
I was about to congratulate myself upon the miracle which had saved me for the moment, when the memory of the hypnotic powers of the Mahars filled me with apprehension lest they be practicing their uncanny art upon me to the end that I merely imagined that I was alone in the temple. At the thought cold sweat broke out upon me from every pore, and as I crawled
ABOUT
Twenty Sixteen is a modernised approach of an ever-popular layout — a horizontal masthead and an optional right sidebar that works well with both blogs and websites. It has custom color options that allow you to make your own Twenty Sixteen.
The theme was designed on a harmonious fluid grid with a mobile first approach. This means it looks great on any device
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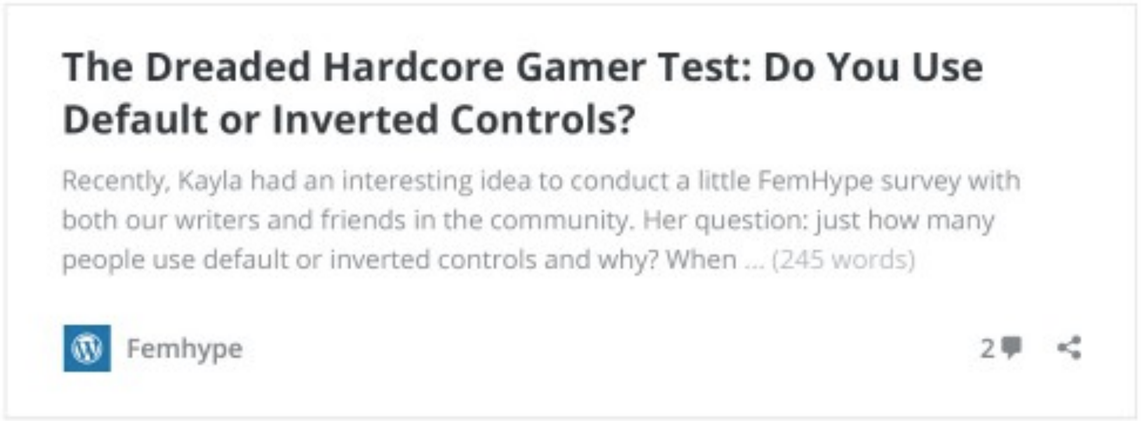
like a better way of referencing posts you want to talk about.

Take this post, for example:



Pretty cool, huh? This is what an embedded post inside of WordPress could look like. If you're interested in making this a reality, you should check out ticket number 323522 on trac.

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REST API *Step 1*.

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Term *Meta*!

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Comment *Overhaul*!

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A year ago, there were
16 committers.

http://codex.wordpress.org/Core_Team

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Now, there are *24*.

http://codex.wordpress.org/Core_Team

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What are your most or least favorite changes during the past year?

- getsource.net/year-in-core
- make.wordpress.org/core

Reviews: http://wclax.reviews

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