Bodies in Translation

The Project

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**Project Website:** [https://bodiesintranslation.wordpress.com/](https://bodiesintranslation.wordpress.com/)

Partners

Re•Vision: The Centre for Art and Social Justice at the University of Guelph

Tangled Art + Disability.

Goals

Goal of the Bodies in Translation project:

- Create access to art for non-normatively embodied people and opportunities for the public to engage with such art, in order to:
- expand understanding of non-normative vitality and advance social justice in Ontario.

Goal of the knowledge platform:

- Provide accessible and inclusive teaching/learning tools that will facilitate the sharing of digital information (as described above).
- Spark the curiosity of those who might not otherwise imagine inclusive ways of working.

Goal of the co-design sessions:

- Collaboratively generate design ideas for the knowledge platform in interactive, useful and playful ways, considering:
- what the knowledge platform could be, what potential users want to see in a platform, and how users would want to engage with the platform.

Deliverables

- Knowledge Platform Wireframes
- Design Brief Document:
  - Knowledge Platform User Stories
  - Summary of 4 co-design sessions
  - Developer/designer guide to turn this into the knowledge platform

Working Documents

Co-design session #4

- Planning & Schedule (In progress)

Co-design session #3

- Planning & Schedule
- Notes from the session#3
- User scenarios from the session
- Revised Knowledge Platform Map based on results from session 3

Co-design session #2

- Planning & Schedule
- Notes from the session#2
- Design elements discussed in session#2
- Knowledge Platform Map based on results from session 1 & 2

Co-design Session #1

- Planning
- Schedule
- Notes from the session#1

Resources and Related Projects

- Creative user connector
- Vital Practices in the Arts (work in progress)
- Art in Translation
- BiT Principles of Governance and Engagement
  - BiT Guiding Principles Video (with audio description)
  - BiT Guiding Principles Video (without audio description)
- Artists Database (work in progress)

Communication

Meetings:

- Knowledge platform sitemap review July 15 2:30-3:30pm ET
- Third co-design session May 31 2019 9:30-2:30pm ET
- Planning meeting May 16 2019
- Planning meeting March 14 2019
- Second co-design session Mar 5 2018 10-2:30pm ET
- Planning meeting Feb 28 2018 1pm ET
- Meeting notes Dec 14, 2017
- First co-design session Oct 19 10am - 2:30pm ET
- Planning meeting Oct 16, 2017
- Planning meeting Oct 10, 2017
- Planning meeting Sept 27, 2017 3:30-4:20pm ET
- Planning meeting Sept 14, 2017

Meeting notes

Communication channel or platform (link): Zoom, Vidyo