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Patriot PDF & Media Purge Initiative

Removing Barriers to an Accessible Web

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INVENTORY & AUDIT
Find PDFs and media
across GMU sites



ACTIONS

- ☒ Use DubBot to crawl and identify PDFs and media content (audio, video)
- ☒ Use dashboard to document location, site, platform (media), and days since last updated (PDF)

TOOLS



2

REVIEW & DECIDE
Apply decision
framework to every
PDF & media asset



REMOVE/ARCHIVE

- ☐ Outdated, unnecessary, or unused content

CONVERT

- ☐ Content better suited as a webpage (Go to step 3)

REMEDiate

- ☐ PDFs and media that must remain available (Go to step 4)

3

CONVERT TO HTML
Move appropriate
content from PDFs
into HTML



ACTIONS

- ☐ Convert complex PDFs to HTML
- ☐ Use semantic structure (headings, lists, tables, links)
- ☐ Validate accessibility with DubBot before publishing

TOOLS



4

REMEDiate
Improve accessibility
of remaining PDFs
and media formats



ACTIONS

- ☐ Test and remediate inaccessible PDFs
- ☐ Host videos that require description on Coursemedia
- ☐ Review media for accurate captions and transcripts

TOOLS



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PUBLISH & MONITOR
Ensure content
remains accessible
going forward



- ☐ Publish updates and remove purged content
- ☐ Monitor HTML/CSS with DubBot, PDFs with ContinuA11Y
- ☐ Monitor media content for captions, transcripts, and descriptions, as needed
- ☐ Follow-up with web authors when issues are identified