Bugs & Wish list

Buttons for available languages

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Subject
Buttons for available languages

Feature
i18n (Multilingual, l10n, Babelfish)

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Description
Presently the scrolling list for the available languages of a wiki page is not visually very enticing. A list of buttons for available languages would visually entice to multilingual browsing, and would mean one click less for the locutor of an available language.

Also the inclusion of "Translate" in that list can be seen as a good idea, but you could also argue that "Translate" must only be a button at the bottom of the page, because after all it is a sort of editing too.

Thus browsing by the top icons, for users with read permission, and editing through the bottom button, for users with edit permission, are better separated.

Solution
Make optional the display of a list of buttons on top for available languages, following the pattern of some European Union websites. They use a scrolling list for general info pages, but buttons for document pages :

http://www.europarl.europa.eu/sides/getDoc.do?pubRef=-//EP//TEXT+REPORT+A6-2009-0286+0+DOC+XML+V0//EN&language=EN

Keep for Translate only the bottom button.

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Demonstrate Bug (Tiki 19+)
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Demonstrate Bug (older Tiki versions)

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Comments

Marc Laporte 16 Jan 12 20:44 GMT-0000

Hi!

I would avoid having an icon for each language, but it could be a mouse-over which offers all the choices.

Like what Gezza did for backlinks.

Thanks!

Jean-Marc Libs 16 Jan 12 22:59 GMT-0000

I agree that there should be a translate button down with other editing buttons.
I also see that is the case in Tiki8 😃

Still, when listing available languages, when one or more translations are missing, this is very much the place where a translate option is very useful. The solution (translate) is just easily available where the problem (missing translation) is noticed.

Any jQuery wizard wants to do the mouseover ? 😃

gezza 26 Jan 12 20:34 GMT-0000

some improvements were made in trunk, check it and give feedback, it is work in progress

Attachments

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