Default category of group isn't assigned

Using the setting 'Default Category' on the admin page of a group doesn't work. According to the label it should: Default category assigned to uncategorized objects edited by a user with this default group.

How to reproduce:
- Changing the Default Category on Group X from none to category Y.
- Creating a new wiki page by a user that is (only, except the build in Registered group) part of Group Y.
- Viewing the tab 'Categories' on the edit wiki page
- There is no category selected...

This means the users can set an incorrect category to a page, so they don't have access after saving the page.

I have reproduced it on the demo environment as the 'show' environment has a problem with Composer not installed:
Login with
User: User_Test
passw: User_Test

Workaround
Jean-Marc Libs 06 Apr 18 02:40 +02
It is not enough that the user User_Test is in no other category than Registered and Group_X. Group_X must be the default group fo User_Test.
Users can be in many groups which can have different default categories. Only the default group is considered.

Importance
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Easy to solve?
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Priority
45

Demonstrate Bug
Please demonstrate your bug on show2.tikiwiki.org

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Comments

Jean-Marc Libs 06 Apr 18 00:40 GMT-0000
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About the show instance: thanks for the note. The issue is, show allows creating trunk instances while the server does not have php 7.1 which is required by trunk. 😞

lucia...d' being 06 Apr 18 08:12 GMT-0000
Thanks J-M for the explanation. Maybe we can make it more clear in the description? Like: "Default category assigned to uncategorized objects edited by a user with this default group. Make sure default group for the user is set."

Can you fix the php 7.1 issue on the show server?

Jean-Marc Libs 06 Apr 18 12:07 GMT-0000

+1 Setting a default group was easy and obvious in the old group setting interface. Now I agree we need more explanation. Your sentence looks good.

I guess I can, but I need some time for testing before. We don’t want to break the only show server we have 😢 Luckily, we plan on moving it and I can test this on the new one before the move.

Wiebe 06 Apr 18 21:31 GMT-0000

Hi Jean-Marc,

Thank you for your reply. Can you please explain how I can set the default group of an user, I can't find that setting somehow? Is it also possible to automatically set the user group on default? The users are placed in their user group based on the LDAP 'department' attribute, so each user has only 1 user group they are part of once logged in.

Wiebe 09 Apr 18 07:44 GMT-0000

I will create a feature request;
If a user is only part of 1 group besides the registered and anonymous, it should automatically be the default group.
The original document is available at https://dev.tiki.org/item6612-Default-category-of-group-isn-t-assigned