

VERSO/SHAREit – Version 6

UXADMIN - Pages

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- Introduction
- UX Admin is used by staff to configure the User Interface (UI) settings on behalf of the library. At a high level, these configuration choices govern the OPAC's look and behavior. As such, UX Admin changes will affect everyone using the library – guests, patrons, and staff.
- Library splash pages and widgets are now built in a single template-based interface, called “PAGES”, making design and setup far simpler.
- Each page component (formerly “widget”) has additional options for color, size, etc.
- Several new components, including a “most requested title” component based on most-requested holds
- The ability to schedule a page to go ‘live’ on a particular date.
- The ability to toggle a page to go ‘live’ or go inactive.
- The remainder of this section will explain, in detail, the PAGES function within UXADMIN.

Pages

What is a component?

- A component is similar to a what used to be known as a Version 5 widget. A component has a specific display or informational function (see descriptions below), and fits into a location on the template.
- In Version 5, widgets were managed separately from pages. In Version 6, components are managed within templates.



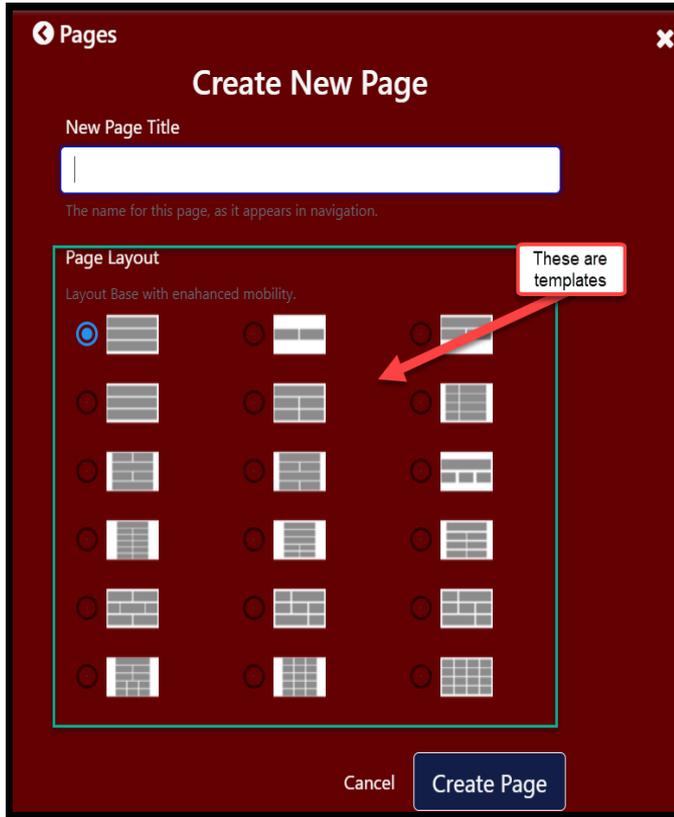
What is a template?

A template is a pre-designed splash page that is under the control of the library. See the screen below for examples of templates.

In Version 6, libraries select the template (arrangement) to use, and then select the types of components (widgets) that will be contained in each of the placeholders. In Version 5, libraries had to drag and drop their widgets and try to make them fit. **In Version 6, the component and the template are integrated from the beginning.**

Templates can be scheduled to go live on a particular date.

Create a New Page



Feature	Version 6	Version 5
Create a New Page	<p>Enables staff to create a new splash page to display on the library's pages. This is designed using the tools below.</p> <p>In Version 6, components (widgets) are created on the page itself.</p>	<p>Page creation and widget creation were distinct functions in different area. At the end of the widget creation process, staff would insert widgets onto a page.</p>
Title	The library assigns a page title to the work in progress	Same
Template	<p>Eighteen templates (layouts) for pages are available (see left).</p> <p>Staff chooses the layout desired.</p>	<p>Version 5 did not use templates. Staff would create widgets and then drag and drop them across a page.</p>

Create Page Link

Pages

Create Page Link

Note: link page cannot be the home page

Page Link Title

The name for this page, as it appears in navigation.

Visibility: Guest Patron Staff

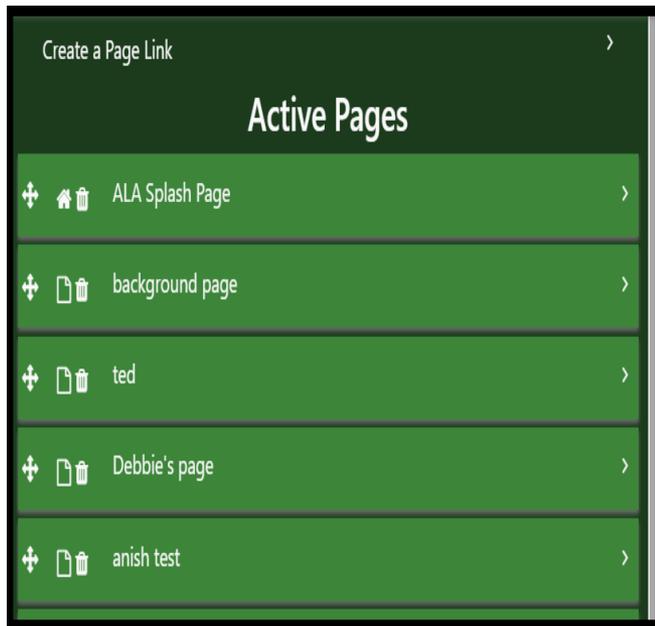
Active Now OR Active on a Date

Publish page to other libraries OR Publish to all libraries

Re-direct link

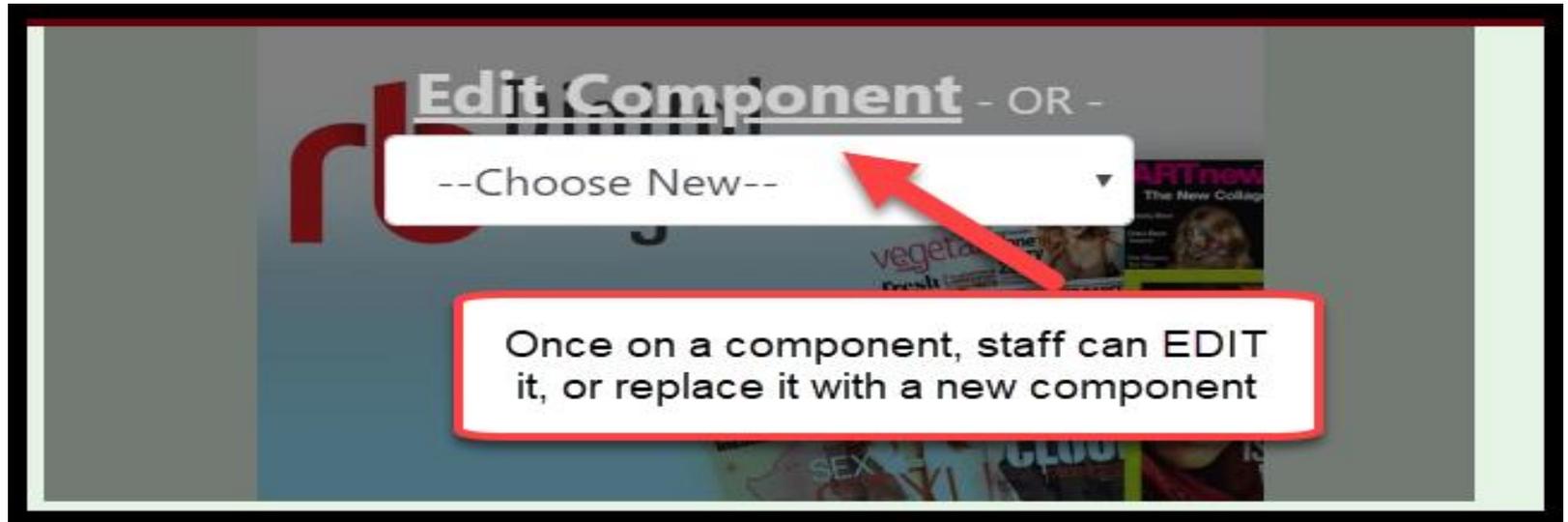
Feature	Version 6	Version 5
Create Page Link	<p>A special type of page is one that links directly to a remote website from the Splash page.</p> <p>This configuration enables staff to give the remote web link a title and supply the remote URL for an automatic redirect.</p> <p>Staff can schedule Page Link pages to become active at a future date.</p>	<p>Same, except that pages were immediately visible and could not be scheduled.</p>

Active and Inactive Pages



Feature	Version 6	Version 5
Active and Inactive Pages	<p>The upper portion of the display lists pages that are actively used and displayed to the public.</p> <p>The lower section of the display lists inactive pages, which may include older pages, or pages that are in the process of being built.</p>	<p>Indicated in a different way.</p>

Editing Pages



Once on a page, staff can build components (widgets) from within that page. The following several pages describe nine available component types:

- **Call to Action**
- **Image Block**
- **Popular Carousel**
- **List Carousel**
- **Showcase Carousel**
- **Feedback**
- **Text Block**
- **Topic Search**
- **Embedded Web Links**

Adding/Editing Pages

Component Type (1 of 9): Call to Action

Call to Action ✕

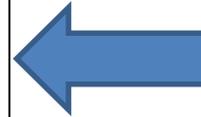
Call to Action Title
Title

Call to Action Title Background
Font Color

Call to Action Image
Choose File No file chosen
Upload Image

LECTURE
Sunnylands Series at the Library Presents
Adventures of a
Wildlife Photographer
with Tim Laman
Friday, January 25
2:00 to 3:00 pm

Target URL



This is an example of a component setup / edit screen.

Setup configurations will change, depending on the type of component, as described below.

This component allows assignment of a title, decisions of background and foreground colors, and enables uploading of an image.

Component	Version 6	Version 5
Call to Action	<p>Call to Action is most similar to the Version 5 Content Widget. Staff can enter a title, add an image, adjust background and foreground colors, select button text, fonts and colors, etc.</p> <p>The library can also assign a remote URL to the button, enabling a user to link out from that Call to Action component.</p>	<p>Similar to Version 6 Call to Action widget (see left) but far fewer functions and configurations.</p>

Adding/Editing Pages

Component Type (2 of 9): Image Block

Image Block

Title

Title Color

Image Upload

 PSandC_Picture.jpg



Component	Version 6	Version 5
Image Block	An Image Block component simply displays an uploaded image (photo, art, etc.) Staff can provide a title / header for the image and assign title foreground and background colors.	Was built into Content Widget. No background, color, or label options.

Adding/Editing Pages

Component Type (3 of 9): Popular Carousel

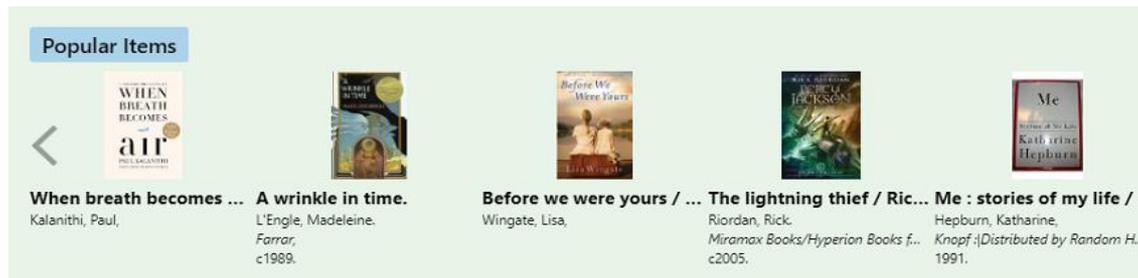
Showcase ✕

Title

Title Background Color

Select a List for Showcase

Popular Carosel



Component	Version 6	Version 5
Popular Carousel	<p>The Popular Carousel / Showcase is derived from Holds / Reserves transaction activity and displays cover art and links to items that are considered “Popular”.</p> <p>For VERSO, Data and titles in the carousel are recalculated once a day (at midnight) and considers the previous fourteen days of new holds activity. “Popular” means “most requested” and is calculated based on the total number of active, unfilled holds across that customer.</p> <p>For SHAREit, Title, ISBN, Publisher and PubDate are grouped and counts of each title are used to display popular title on the display.</p>	Not offered

Adding/Editing Pages

Component Type (4 of 9): List Carousel

Showcase ✕

Title
List Showcase showing items from the ZOO list

Title Background Color
#d9f1c2

Select a List for Showcase
 zoo

More Options ▾

Items relating to the ZOO

The zoo crew / by Carol...
Keene, Carolyn.
Spotlight,
2010.

The big fat cow that go...
Griffiths, Andy,
Feivel and Friends,
2009.

The backyard cow / by ...
Weaver, Sue.
Storey Pub.,
2012.

Cows like you've never ...
Lill, David.
Adventure Publications,
c2000.

Last of the giants : the r...
Campbell, Jeff

Component	Version 6	Version 5
List Carousel	<p>A List Carousel is a showcase display that is based on a Personal list that was compiled by staff.</p> <p>Staff would use the standard “Add to List” options in the OPAC to assemble a set of titles.</p> <p>Then, in the List Carousel component, staff would designate that list as the basis for a List Carousel.</p>	<p>Supported in Version 5, but list assembly took place within the widget and it was much more difficult and time consuming to assemble a carousel.</p>

Adding/Editing Pages

Component Type (5 of 9): Showcase Carousel

Showcase ✕

Title

Title Background Color

Auto Play

Total Records Found : 131 ?

Advanced Search Clear All ↗

in



Component	Version 6	Version 5
Showcase Carousel	<p>A showcase carousel is similar to a Dynamic showcase in Version 5. Staff enters a search; that search is executed at the time of display and displays the cover art that responds to the search.</p> <p>The search interface in the Showcase Carousel is similar to the Advanced Search interface in the OPAC.</p>	Same

Adding/Editing Pages

Component Type (6 of 9): Feedback

Feedback ✕

Title

Send to Email

For more than ONE email please use a comma "," to separate email users.

Send Button Label

Please Provide us your Feedback...

 Include Reply Email

Component	Version 6	Version 5
Feedback	A Feedback component enables the library to display a form asking for feedback from users. Staff configures the messaging, various color options, and an email staff target who will receive the feedback messages.	Same

Adding/Editing Pages

Component Type (7 of 9): Text Block

Text Block

This is text for my library.
We are open 9 - 5 Mon-Friday

Design Elements ?

Font Color
#eb0a0a

Background Color
Enter Background Color

Flush in template.

Preview Save and Close

This is text for my library.
We are open 9 - 5 Mon-Friday

Component	Version 6	Version 5
Text Block	<p>A text block component is a simple component that displays text data. Staff can set background and foreground colors, and use HTML font, sizing, centering, hyperlinks and other capabilities.</p> <p>Libraries might use this to display their hours or policies in a text presentation.</p>	<p>Was included in the Content Widget's function, but with far fewer options.</p>

Adding/Editing Pages

Component Type (8 of 9): Topic Search

Topic Search ✕

Topic Title

Topics of Interest

Topic Title Color

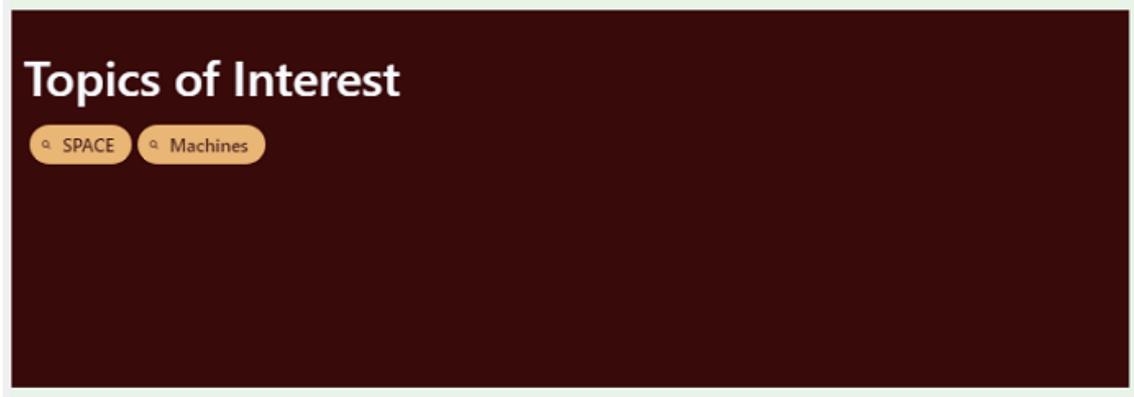
#080cf1

Total Records Found : 173 ?

Advanced Search Clear All ✕

Space All of these wc in

Subject AND



Component	Version 6	Version 5
Topic Search	<p>The Topic Search component enables staff to create and configure pre-defined searches (topic searches) by building canned search strategies and displaying them as links (chips) in a component.</p> <p>Topics are defined using the Advanced Search interface.</p> <p>Version 6 topic searches are in 'chips' that are horizontally distributed across the width of the component (which, as mentioned above, can vary in size).</p>	<p>Same general function, although more difficult to create and edit topics.</p> <p>Version 5 topic searches were required to be vertical.</p>

Adding/Editing Pages

Component Type (9 of 9): Embedded Web Links

Embed Web Link × Youtube

Not all external sites allowing linking to a splash page

Title
Youtube

Web Link
https://www.youtube.com/embed/qtt

https:// required. If nothing shows up the web link's response header X-Frame-Option is probably set to DENY or SAMEORIGIN.

*Height ⓘ
500px

Specify image to constant height. Numbers followed by "px" or "vh" for Height values.

More Options ▶

5 Library Tips & Tricks

Component	Version 6	Version 5
Embedded Web Links	<p>An embedded web link component is one where click the component automatically takes the user to a remote URL.</p> <p>Note that not all external sites allow embedded linking. Staff will need to experiment with the sites they wish to link to.</p> <p>(Example: You cannot link directly to a YouTube URL. You need a special 'embed' URL from YouTube for this component to work properly)</p> <p>Ex. Change standard Youtube URL: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=qtUNbNsHR_M Replace "/watch?v=" with "/embed/" https://www.youtube.com/embed/qttUNbNsHR_M</p>	Same

Adding/Editing Pages

Component Listing Reference

A Call to Action
Image Block
List Carousel **8**
Showcase Carousel
Popular Carousel
Feed Back
Text Block
Embed Web Link

B Call to Action
Image Block
List Carousel **9**
Showcase Carousel
Popular Carousel
Feed Back
Text Block
Topic Search
Embed Web Link

C Call to Action
Image Block
List Carousel **7**
Showcase Carousel
Popular Carousel
Text Block
Topic Search

D Call to Action
Image Block
Text Block **4**
Topic Search

When selecting a component row to add to your page, please note each size component will have a variety of the 9 available component types.

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The 'Add Row' dialog box displays a grid of 14 different component layouts. Each layout is represented by a light green rectangle with a yellow circle containing a letter (A, B, C, or D) indicating the component type. The layouts are as follows:

- Row 1: A single large rectangle labeled 'A'.
- Row 2: Two medium rectangles labeled 'B'.
- Row 3: A small rectangle labeled 'C' and a large rectangle labeled 'B'.
- Row 4: A large rectangle labeled 'B' and a medium rectangle labeled 'C'.
- Row 5: A small rectangle labeled 'C' and a large rectangle labeled 'B'.
- Row 6: Three small rectangles labeled 'C'.
- Row 7: A small rectangle labeled 'C', a large rectangle labeled 'B', and a small rectangle labeled 'C'.
- Row 8: A large rectangle labeled 'B', a medium rectangle labeled 'C', and a medium rectangle labeled 'C'.
- Row 9: A small rectangle labeled 'C', a small rectangle labeled 'C', and a large rectangle labeled 'B'.
- Row 10: A small rectangle labeled 'C', a small rectangle labeled 'C', a medium rectangle labeled 'C', and a small rectangle labeled 'C'.
- Row 11: Six small rectangles labeled 'D'.

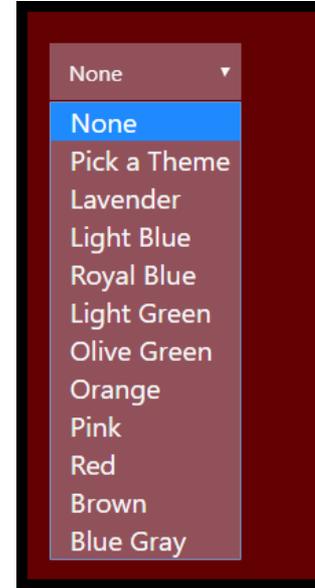
DESIGN

Logo and Title

Feature	Version 6	Version 5
Logo and Title	These settings give libraries choices for branding itself of all VERSO/SHAREit web pages.	In Version 5, these were in UX Admin / Header/Footer Options
Library Name and Link	The library enters its name here, as well as the appropriate library URL. This link acts as a “home” button, in that it takes the user back to a starting screen. Most libraries use this link to go to the VERSO home screen, as opposed the library’s web presence, which may be on a different server.	Same
Branding Information or Image	The library can brand itself with an image (logo), the library name, or a combination of logo and library name.	Same
Option to Display Select Language	Displays the language selector dropdown choice on the Search Bar.	System required.

DESIGN

Themes and Styles (Color Selection)



Feature	Version 6	Version 5
Themes and Styles		
New Theme	The library can define its own color scheme from a palette of existing schemes or can design its own from scratch.	Same
Use Existing Theme	Enables the library select from a set of system-preconfigured color schemes or from schemes the library has previously defined.	Same
Footer Edit	Enables the library to define its own footer data, using the same component edit capabilities defined above.	Same, although Version 6 has additional capabilities.