



OmniUpdate Training Tuesday

Components Inside and Out



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AGENDA

- What is a Component?
- When should you use a Component?
- How to create a Component
- Demo



WHAT IS A COMPONENT?

Components

- Newest type of Reusable Content
- When you want to reuse structure/styling, but keep content unique
- Uses form fields to prompt for content
- Customize content on each page
- Changes to the Component's base code **WILL** be reflected across all pages with the Component
 - If you add new fields to a component, the existing instances of that component will not yet have inputs for those fields



WHEN SHOULD YOU USE A COMPONENT?

- Use Component for:
 - Unique content with reusable structure/styling
 - More “complex” HTML structure
 - Not easily edited with the WYSIWYG editor
 - Examples: image with caption, card, flexible video element
- Use Asset for:
 - Shared content and structure/styling
 - Examples: enrollment number, department contact box
- Use Snippet for:
 - Initial content and structure/styling is shared, then unique when edited
 - Repeatable elements in a row with different content for each
 - Examples: simple table with preset styles, table transformations with repeatable elements (accordions, tabs, etc.)



HOW TO CREATE A COMPONENT

- Gather desired code output and confirm it works with your design.
- Copy desired code output into Component Source
- Add Form Elements for each element that should be editable
- Specify where inputs go in Component Source
- Set Component Properties
- Launch Component
- Start using the Component!



Let's Take a Look!



NEXT TRAINING TUESDAY

Next month's Training Tuesday will be held on **MARCH 26TH**.

We'll be covering the topic of **XSL 3.0**.

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