

Queer Comics Database

Discover your next queer read

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IMPACT DELIVERABLE PROCESS OVERVIEW

Our Information Problem

A lack of dedicated resources to aid selection and purchasing of LGBTQIA comics by librarians, comic retailers, booksellers, and individuals.

Our Solution

A database that of comics that contain queer representation. This includes:

- ❖ Comics published in print and on the web.
- ❖ Comics from major publishers, independent publishers, and self-published comics.
- ❖ Comics for children, teens, and adults, as well as all-ages comics.
- ❖ Representation from across the LGBTQIA spectrum, as well as intersectional representation.

1. Data Collection

- ❖ 5 interviews
- ❖ 37 survey responses
- ❖ 3 countries & 15 U.S. states

2. Design

- ❖ Database features
- ❖ Metadata & taxonomies
- ❖ User interface

3. Data Entry

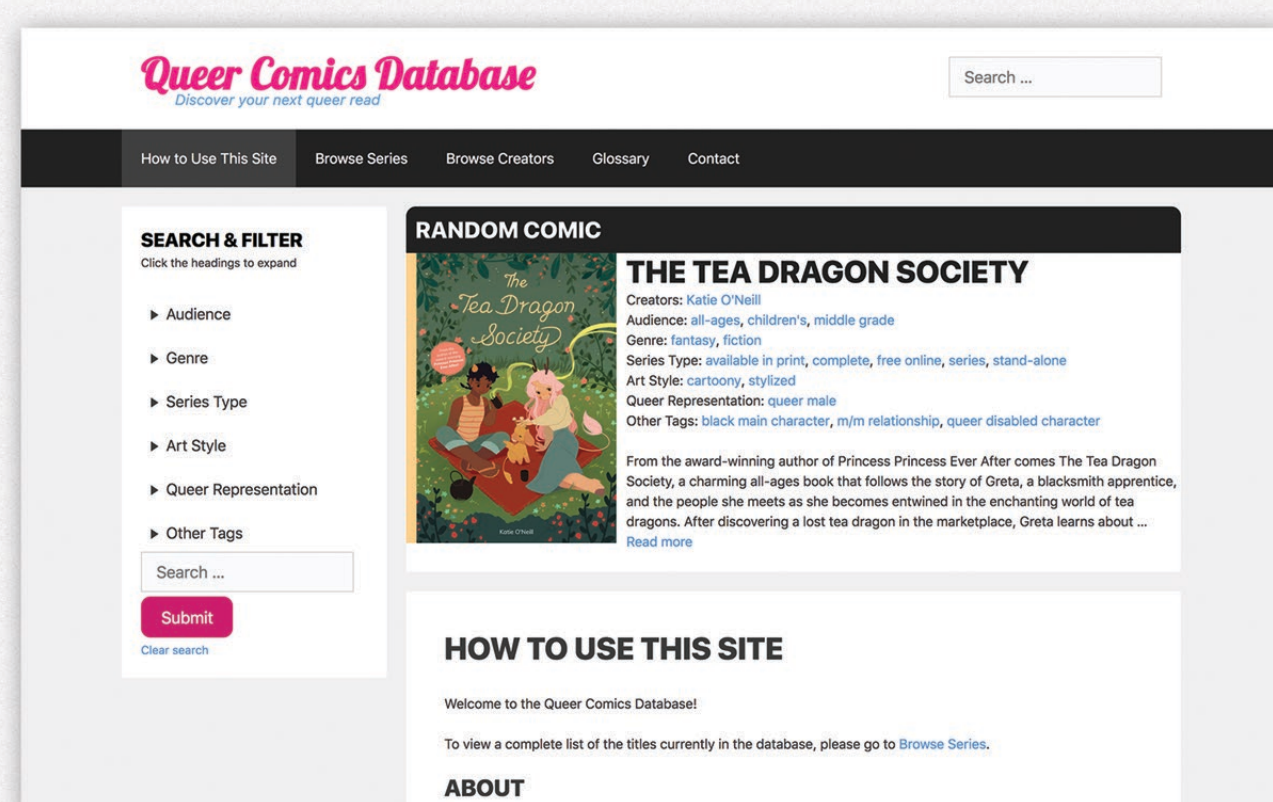
- ❖ 110+ series
- ❖ 290+ volumes
- ❖ 380+ creators

4. Usability Testing

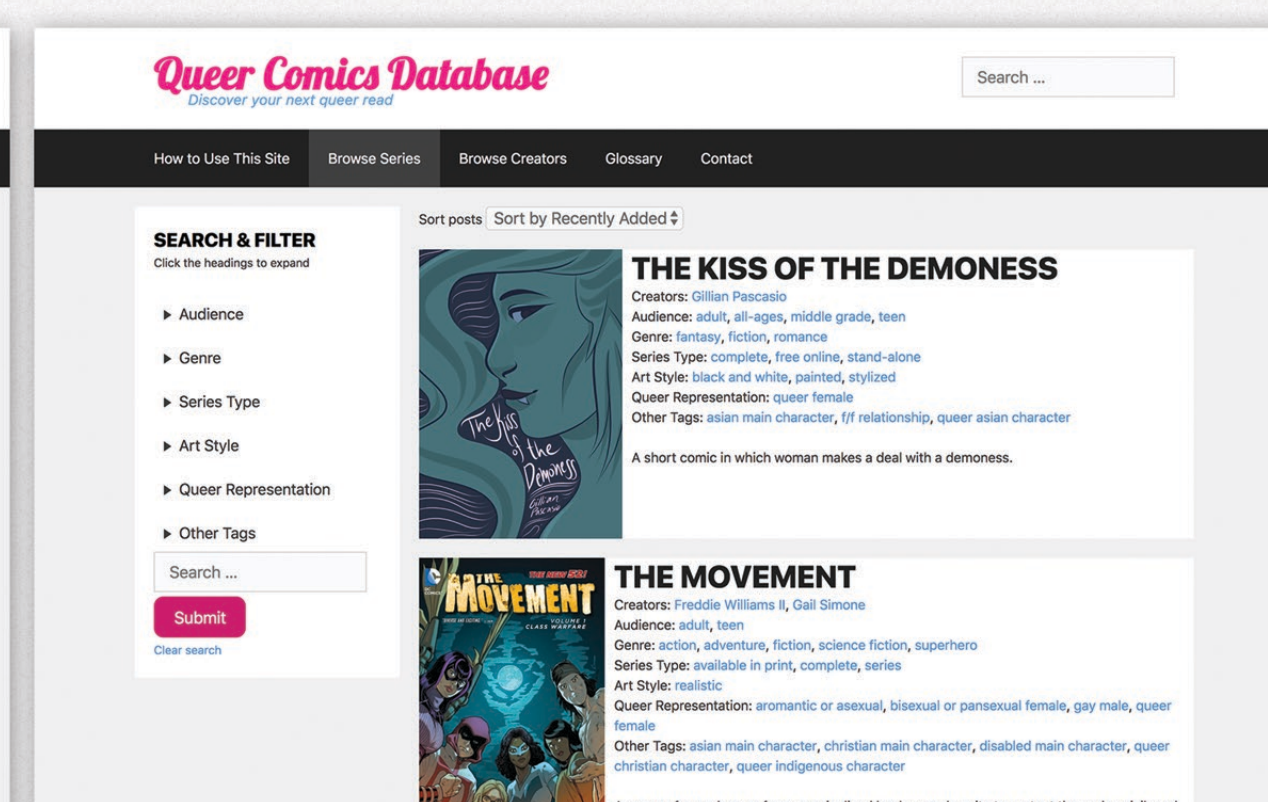
- ❖ 8 usability tests
- ❖ Concurrent with continuous evaluation, redesign, and data entry

The Database

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Home page



Browsing view



Series view

Next Steps

- ❖ Continued data entry.
- ❖ Recruitment of team to continue database maintenance.
- ❖ Continued usability testing, perhaps with comic creators and independent booksellers.
- ❖ Creation of blog with recommended reading lists and other readers advisory resources.
- ❖ Advertisement of the resource to our target user groups.