



# Using the Wetland Mapping Consortium (WMC) Scholar Site

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### WMC General Purpose

WMC fosters collaborations and disseminates data and findings for the purpose of enhanced wetland mapping and monitoring.

### WMC Objectives:

Build collaborative teams to enable rapid and thorough response to calls for relevant proposals.

Organize a pool of experts who can respond to requests for more information about wetland mapping techniques and technologies.

### WMC Scholar Site

### http://clic.cses.vt.edu/WMC/

Utilizes Virginia Tech's *Scholar Site* <a href="https://scholar.vt.edu/portal">https://scholar.vt.edu/portal</a> based on the Sakai Project (<a href="http://sakaiproject.org/">http://sakaiproject.org/</a>) open source suite of learning, portfolio, library and project tools.

#### Collaborative resources include:

> File Sharing

Discussion Forums

> Email Lists

Chat Room

> Events Calendar

Blogs

> Announcements

> Polls





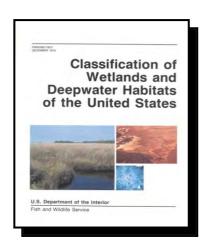
#### **Scholar Sites:**

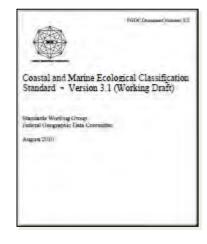
- ➤ Project/Research sites are designed to facilitate collaboration.
- You can invite all your collaborators to join your project site.
- ➤ Using a web browser, you can choose from features and functions to create project sites that meet your needs.
- > Examples:
  - A project director can make announcements and share resources, such as electronic documents or links to other websites and collaborate with other colleagues
  - A group can electronically work on documents or materials collaboratively
  - A group can provide a site that serves as an online discussion board

## Working groups using the WMC Scholar Site include:

- Wetlands Mapping Standard Workgroup (WMSWG)
- Wetlands Classification Standard Maintenance Working Group (WCSMWG)
- Coastal and Marine Ecological Classification Standard Working Group (CMECS)
- Southeast Wetland Workgroup (SEWWG)



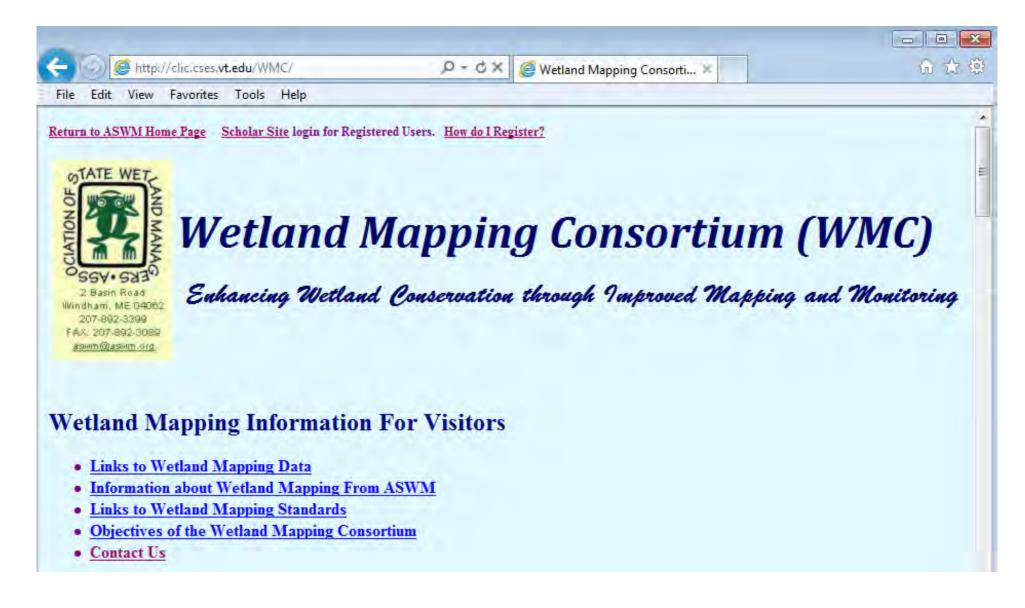






### WMC Gateway Website

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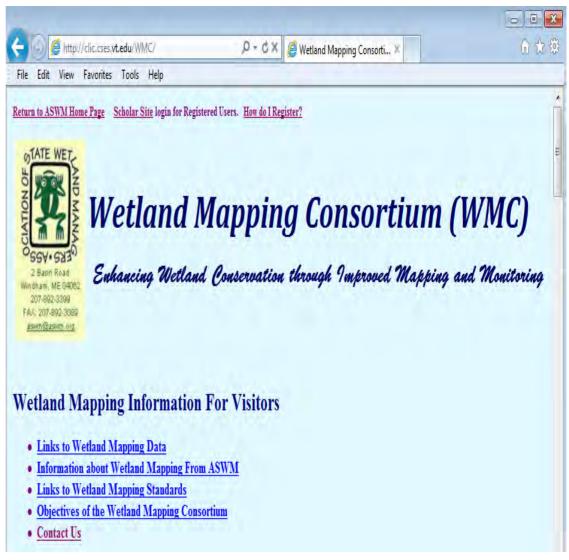
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SEE links at the top of the webpage:

- ASWM.org,
- Scholar Site Login,
- WMC Registration Information





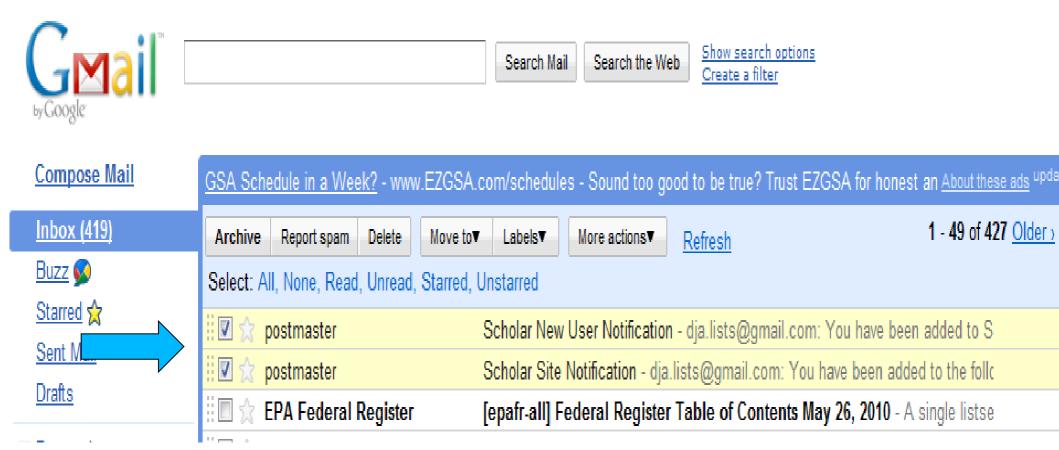
## Please add these to your email Address Book to avoid scholar emails being marked as spam:

WMC Tech Support wetlandmappingconsortium@gmail.com

WMC-Scholar Account Information & Passwords postmaster@scholar.vt.edu

WMC-Scholar Announcements no-reply@scholar.vt.edu

## New WMC members should watch for 2 emails from cholar.vt.edu>



## Scholar Site Notification email contains site link and login directions

From: <postmaster@scholar.vt.edu>

Date: Thu, May 27, 2010 at 5:48 AM

Subject: Scholar Site Notification

To: [your email address]

{your email address]:

You have been added to the following Scholar site: Wetland Mapping Consortium by Jane Awl.

Once you have your guest account, you can log in to Scholar:

- Open Scholar: <a href="https://scholar.vt.edu/portal">https://scholar.vt.edu/portal</a>
- Click the Login button.
- Type your guest account login and password, and click Login.
- 4. Go to the site, click on the site tab. (You will see two or more tabs in a row across the upper part of the screen.)

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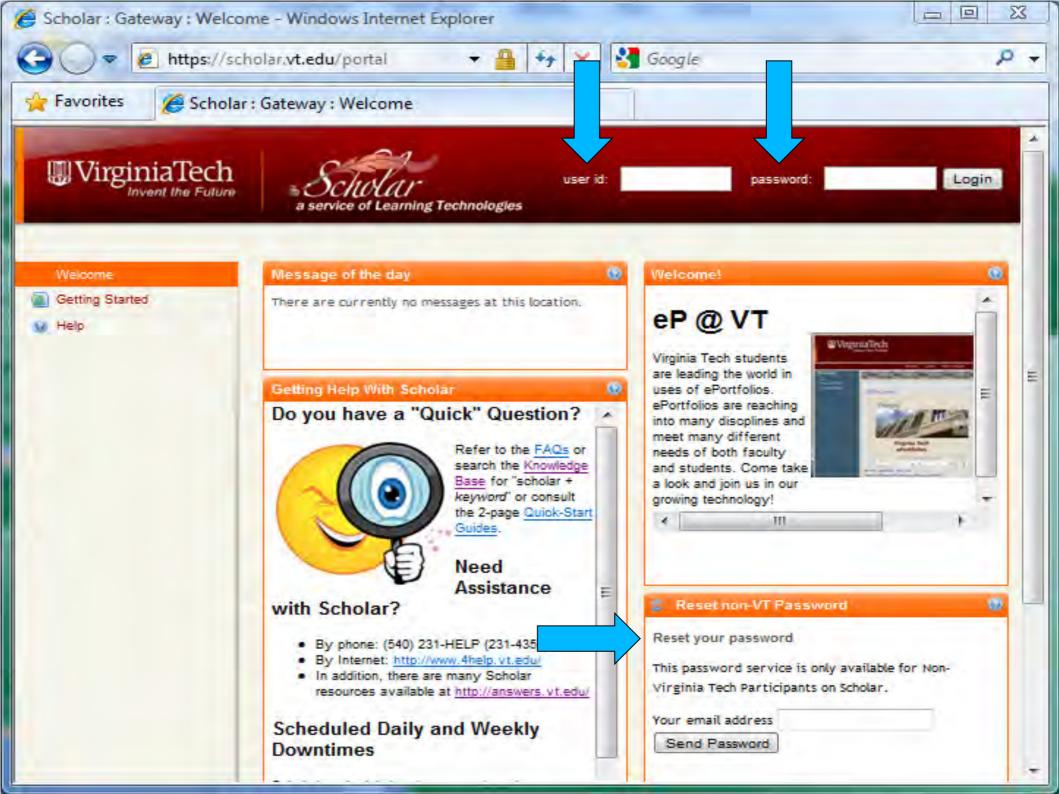
## Scholar New User Notification email contains your temporary password (use your email address as "user id")

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# Member Access to the WMC Scholar Site



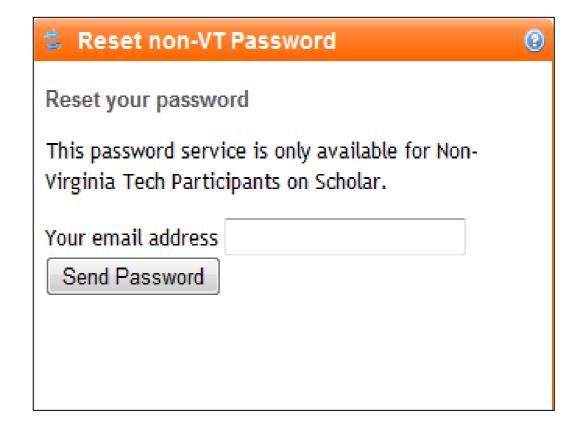


#### Don't have the "New User" email?

#### Forgot your password?

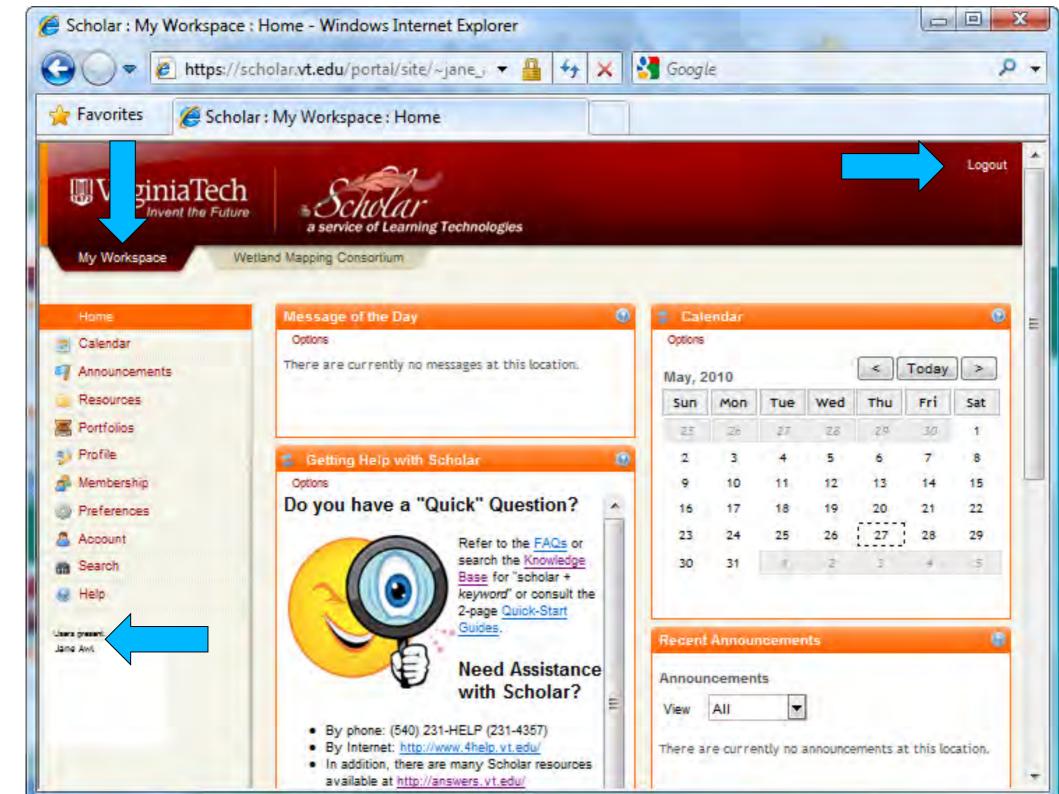
You may have a new temporary password emailed to you at anytime using the "Reset non-VT Password" feature at the bottom of the portal page:

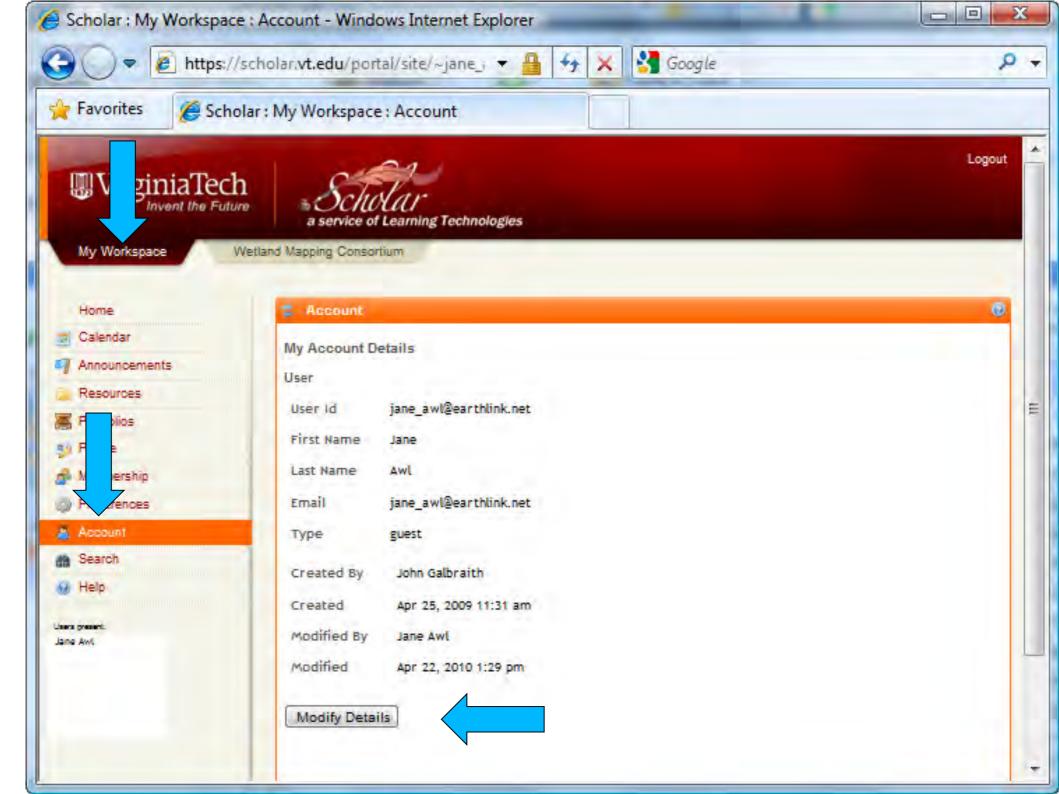
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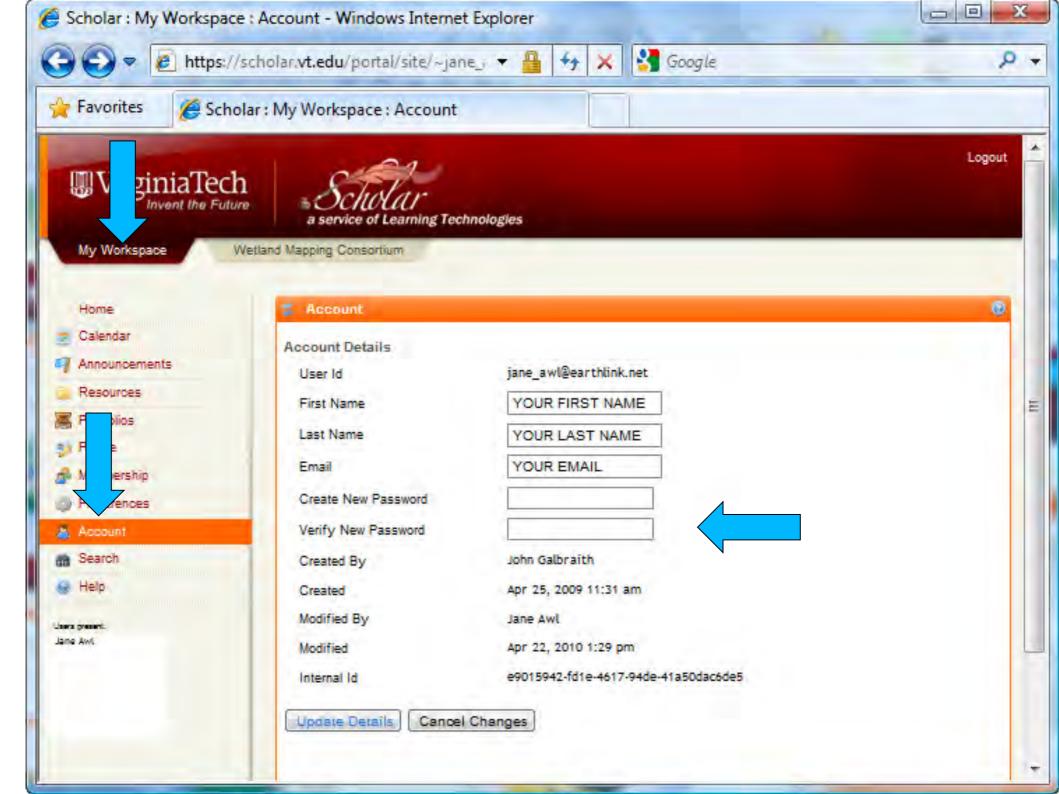


# VT Scholar Password Changes Now Being Required Annually

To ensure that strong passwords are being used, Virginia Tech's IT Security Office will be requiring Scholar Site passwords to be changed by **July 1**.





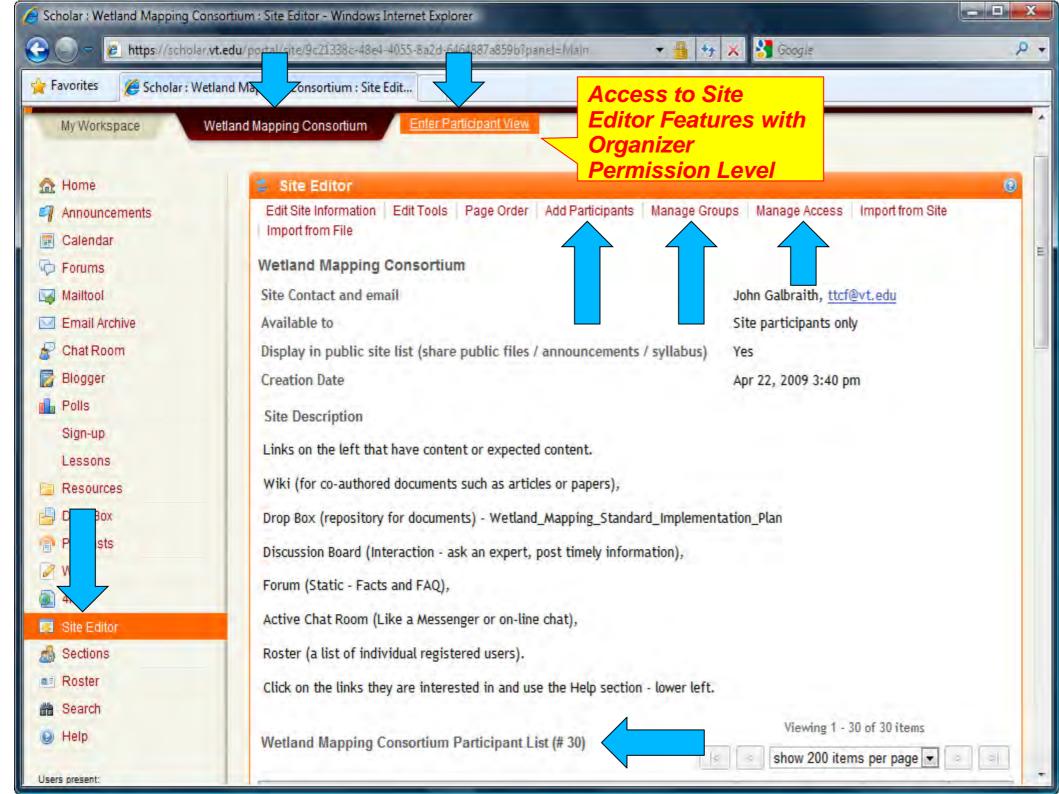


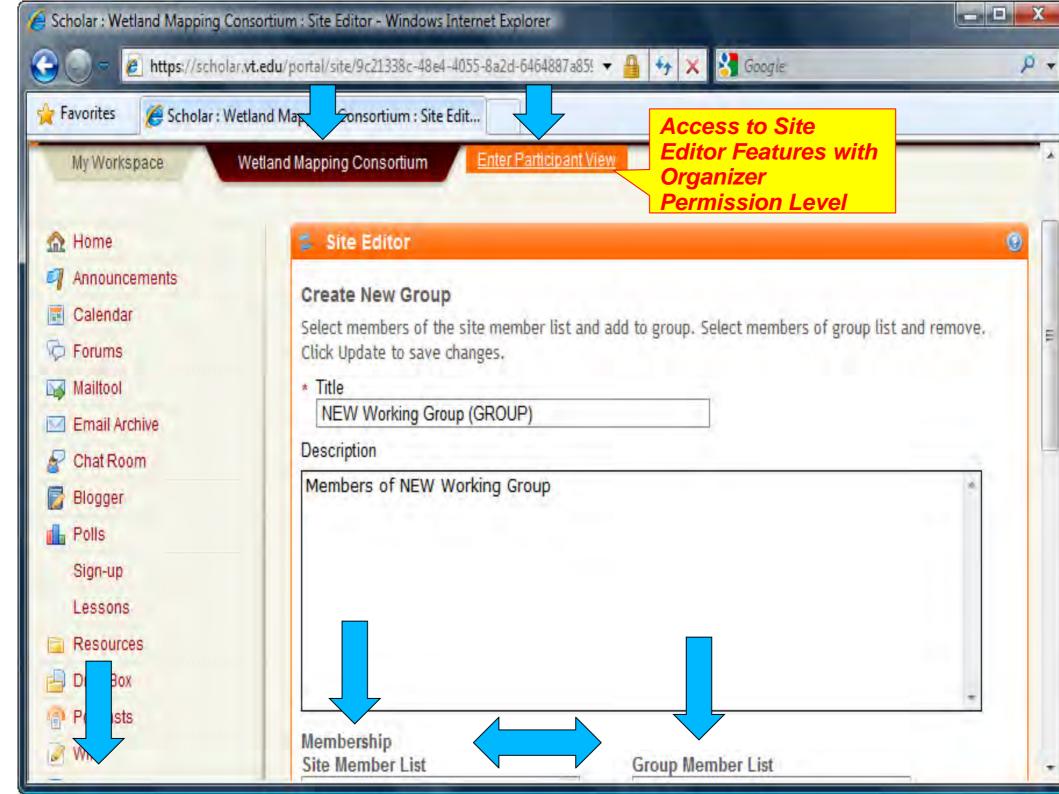


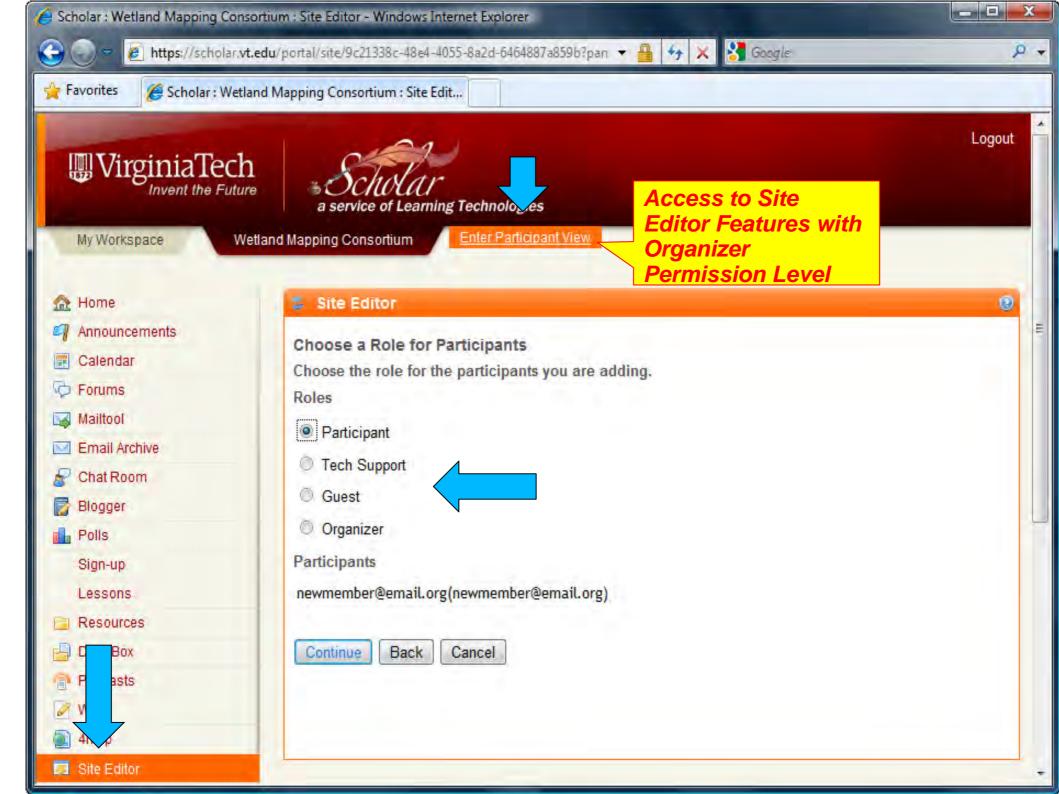


# WMC Scholar Site ORGANIZER Features

"Organizers" have administrative-level access and can add participants, manage group memberships and email lists, and customize other site features. In the future Organizers may be identified and added for each working group.



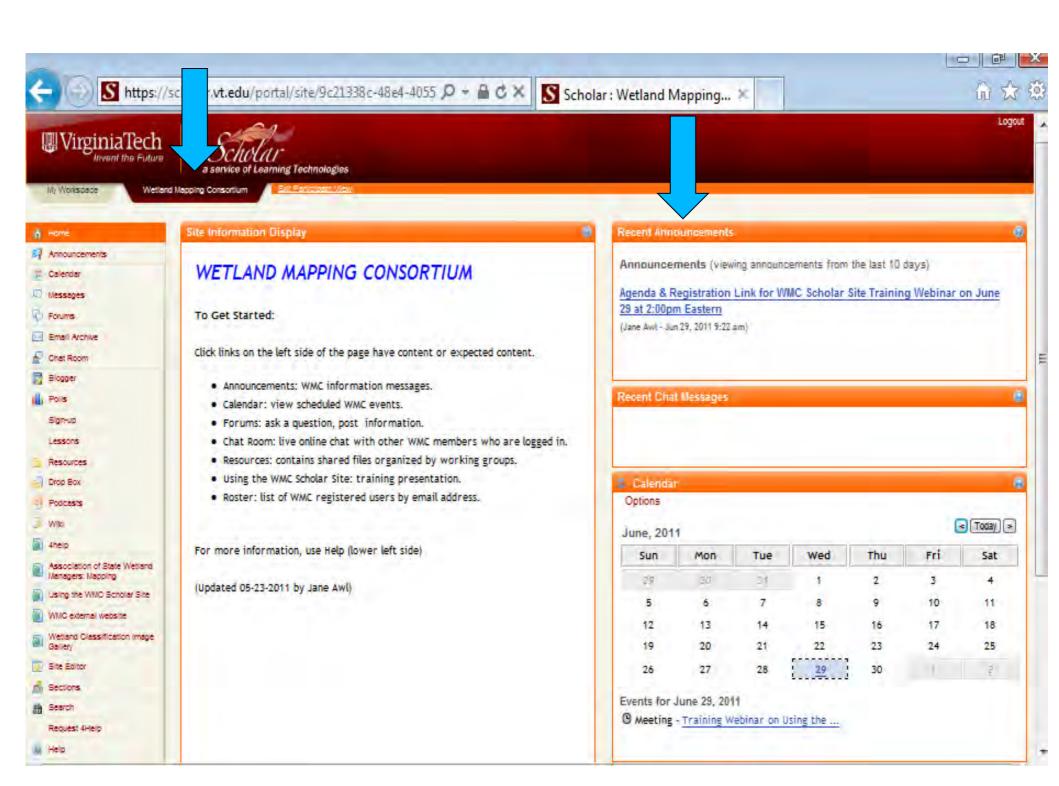


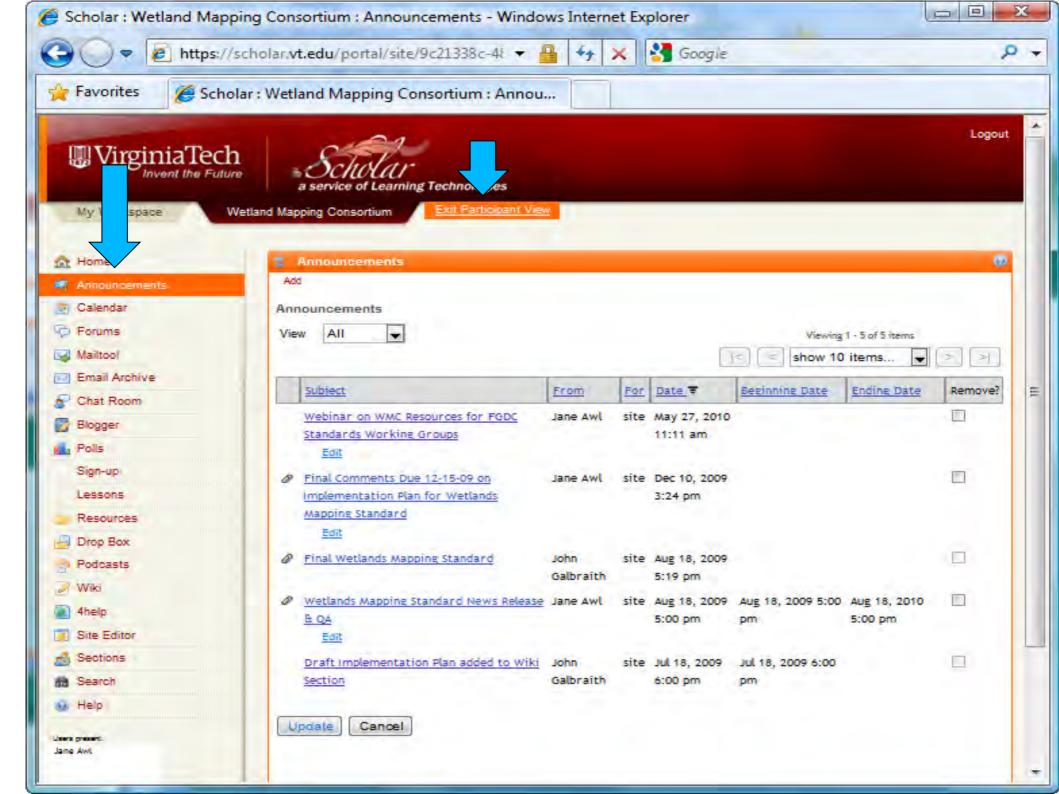


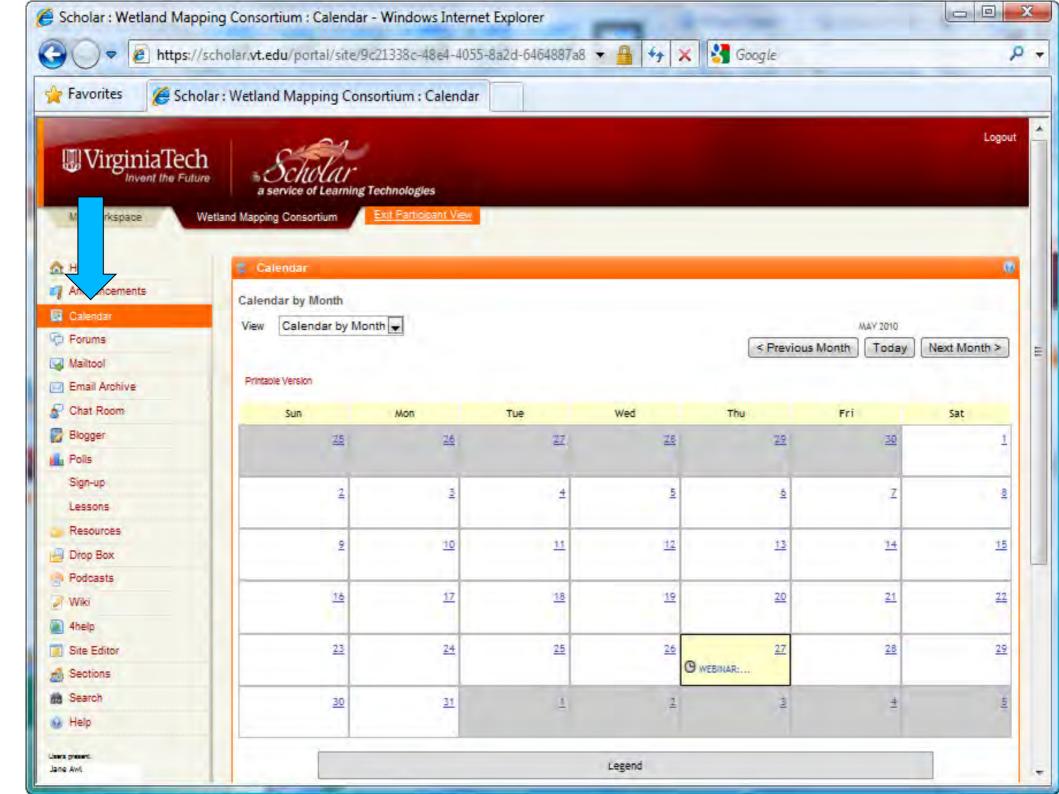


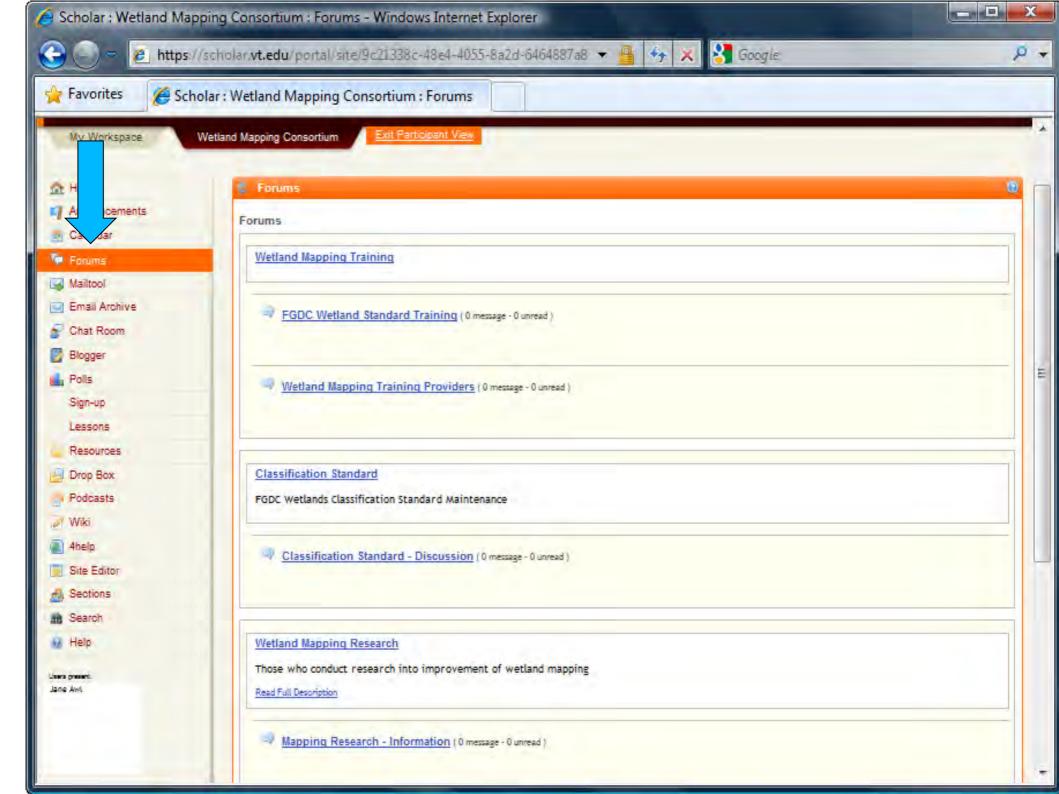


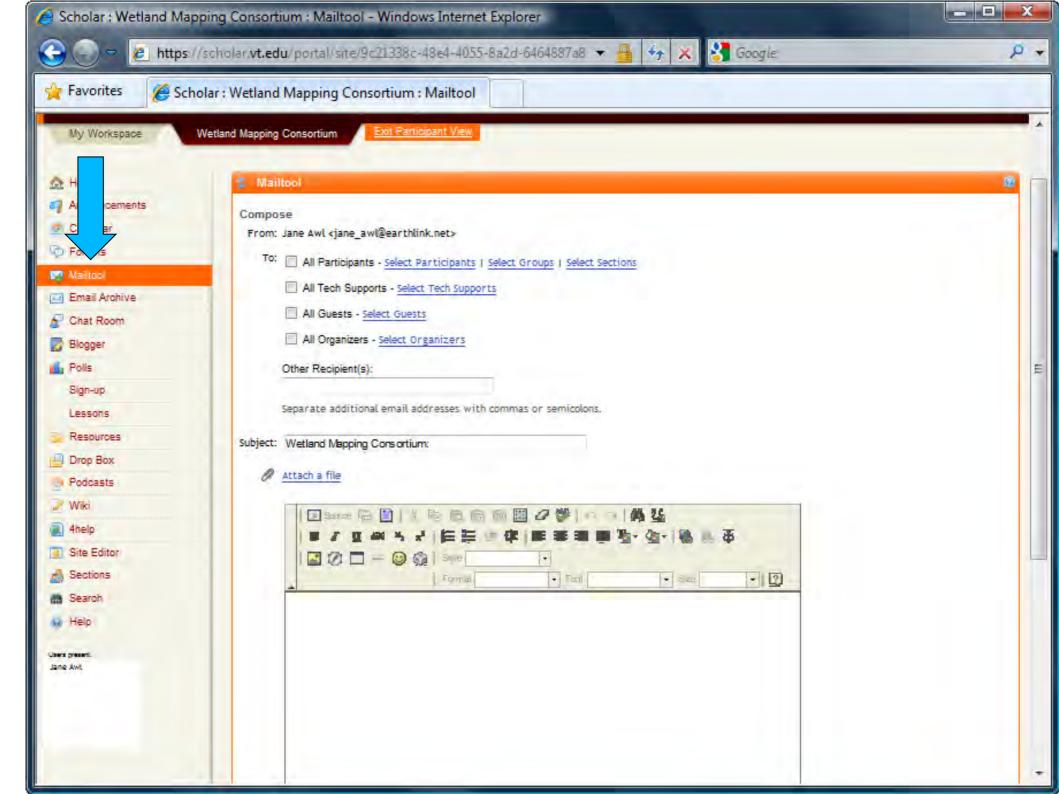
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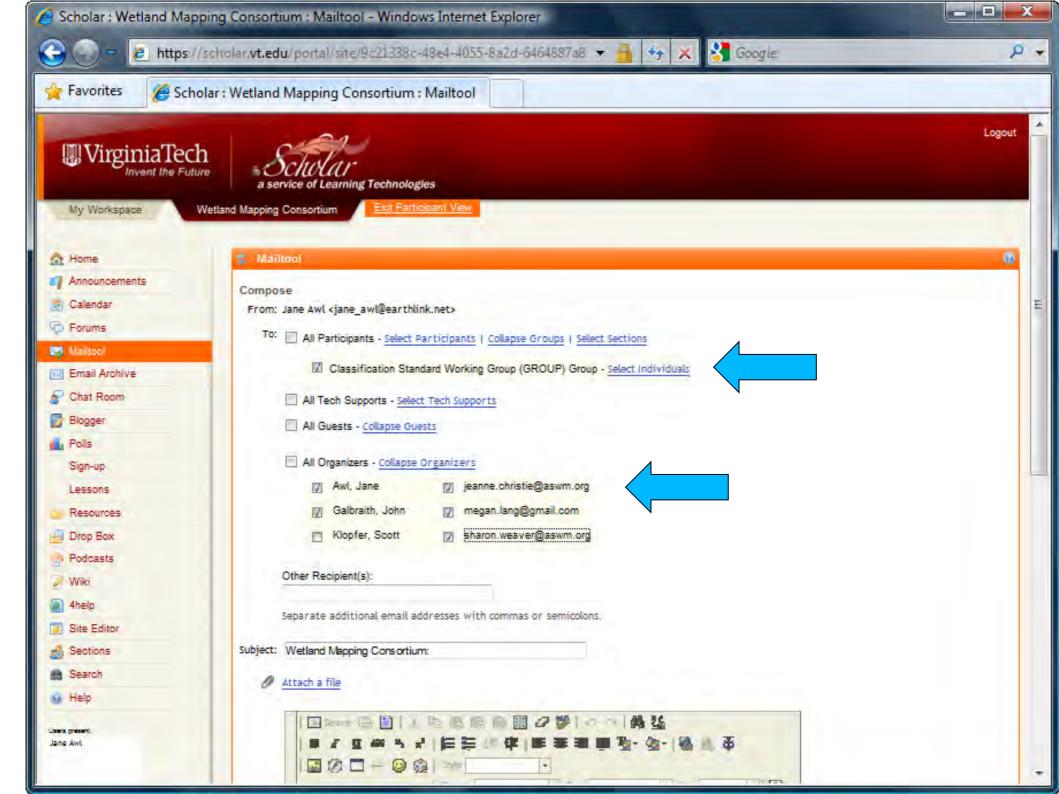


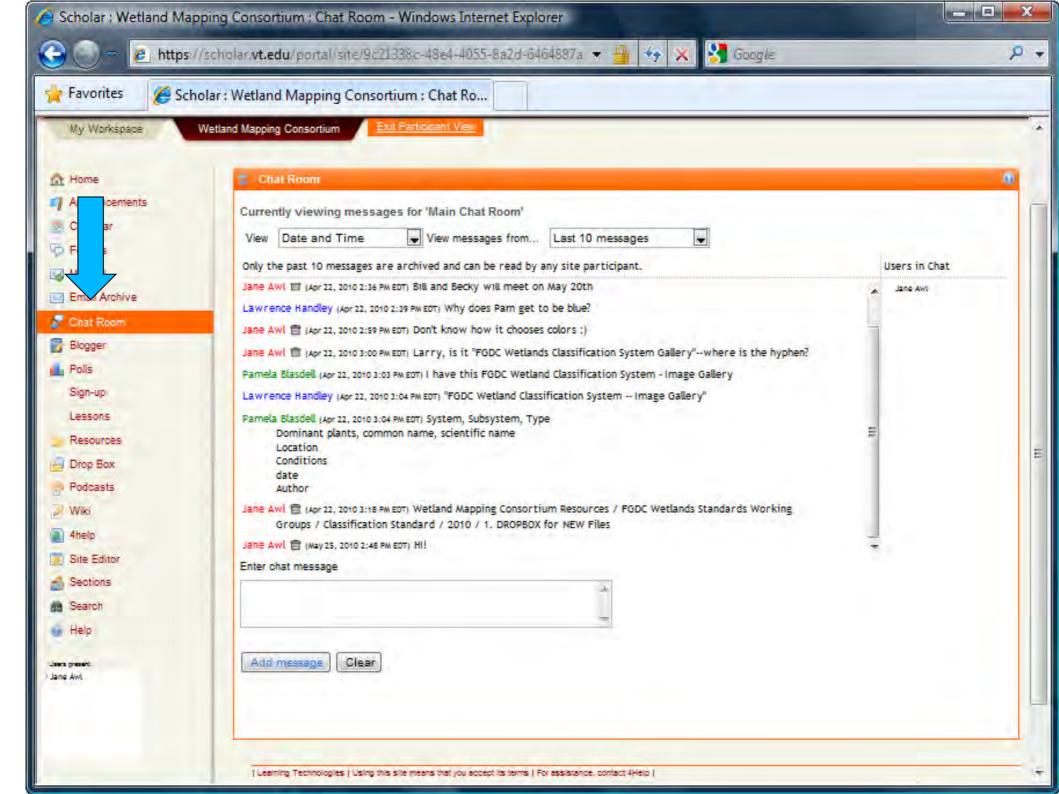


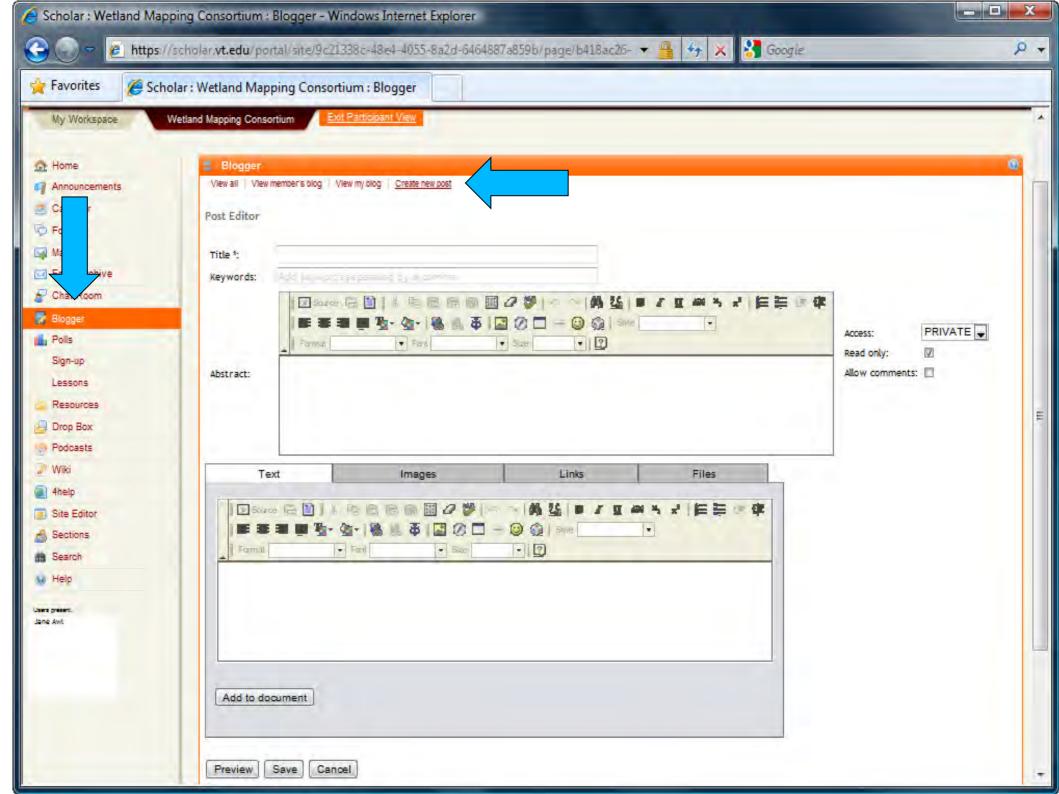


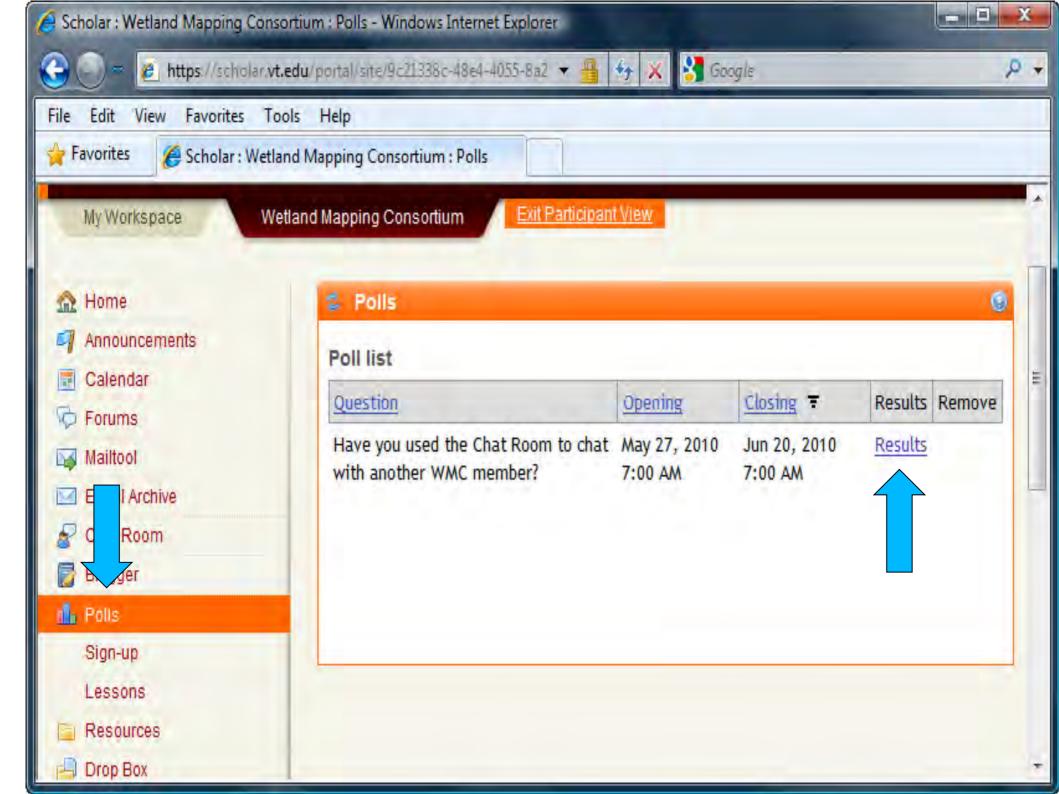


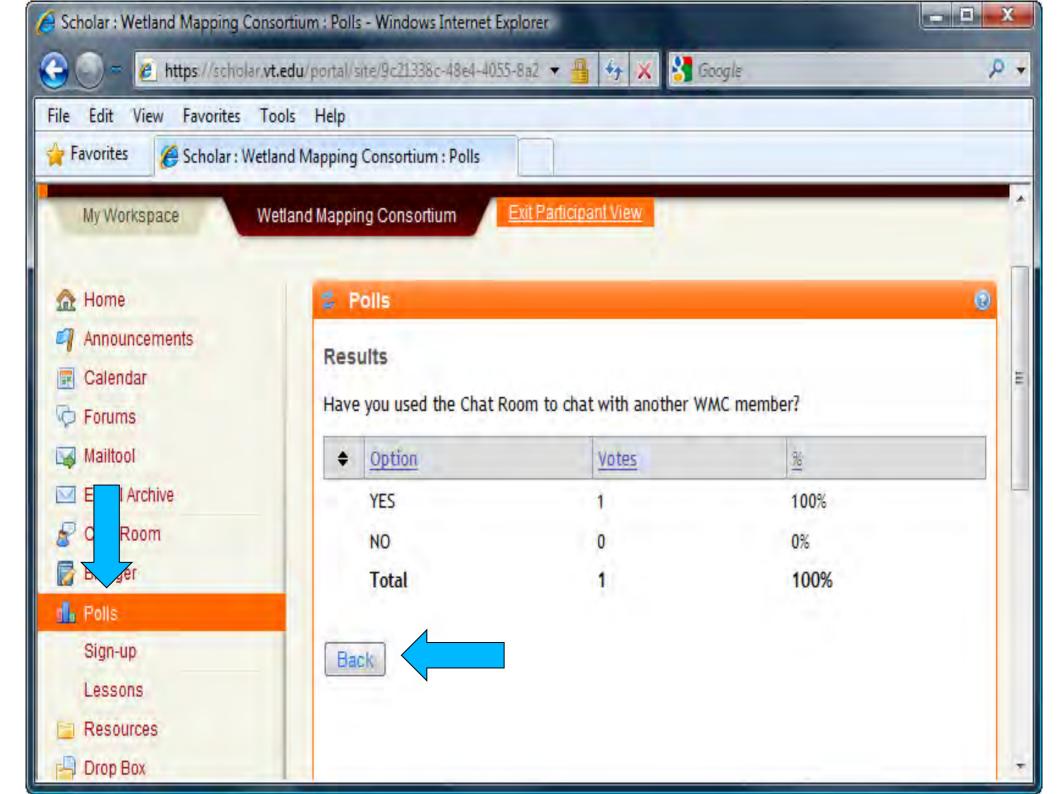


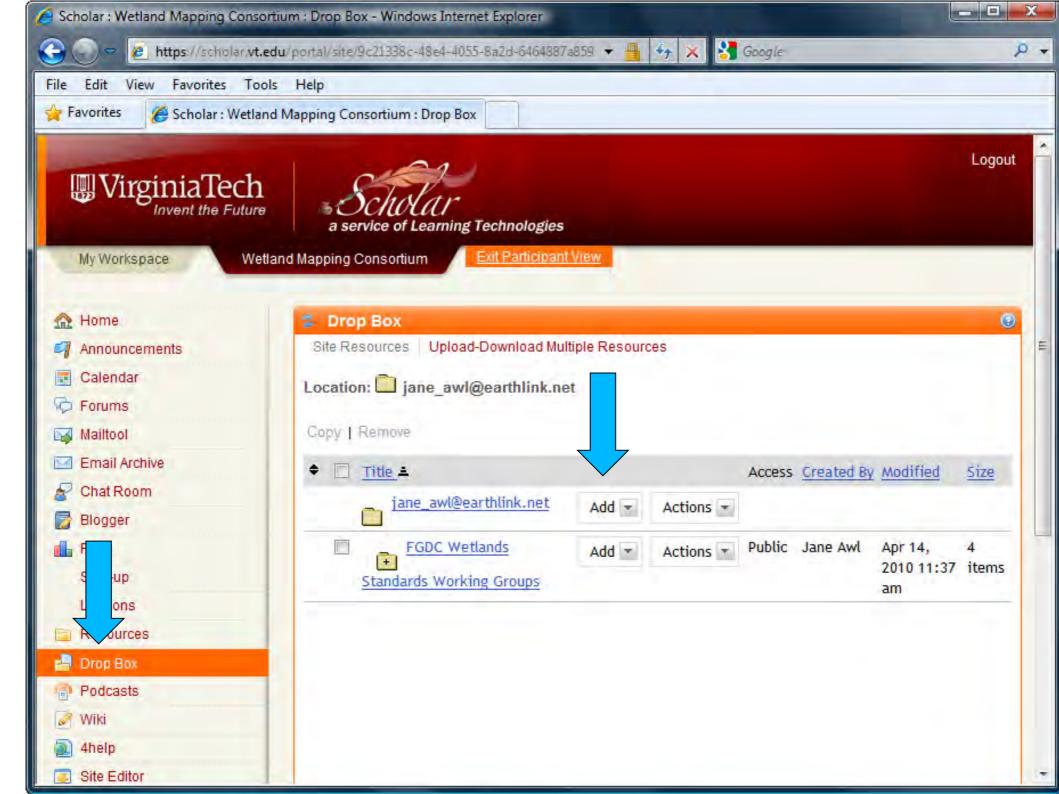


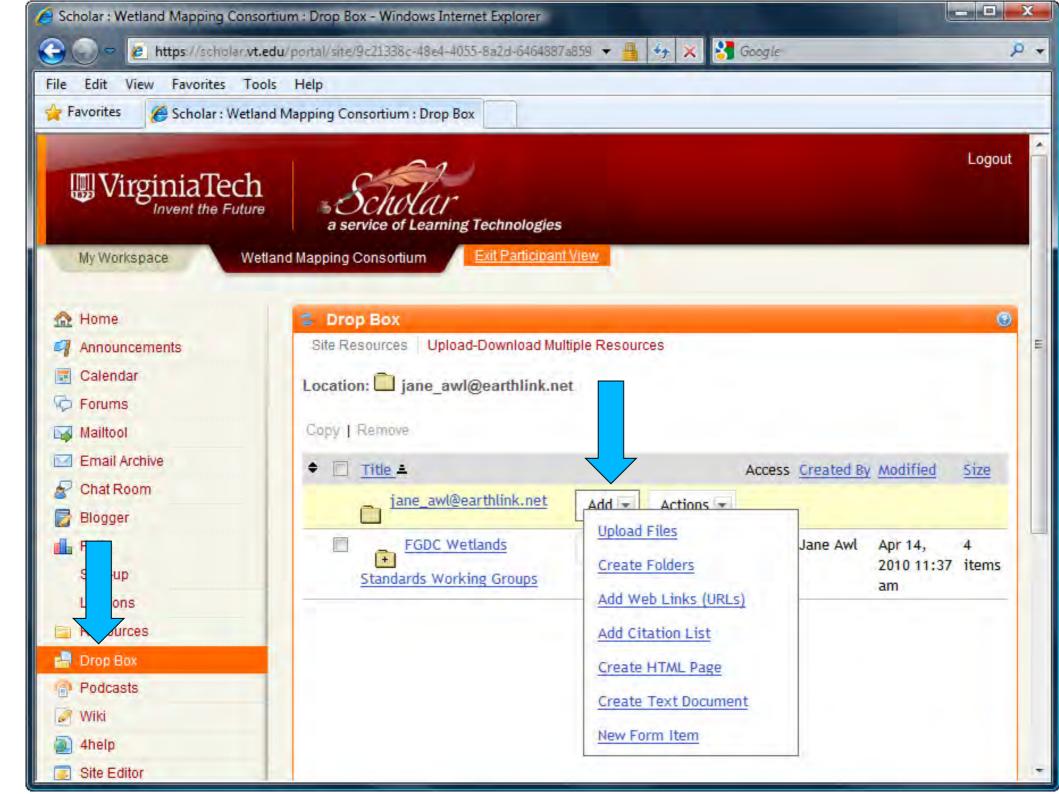


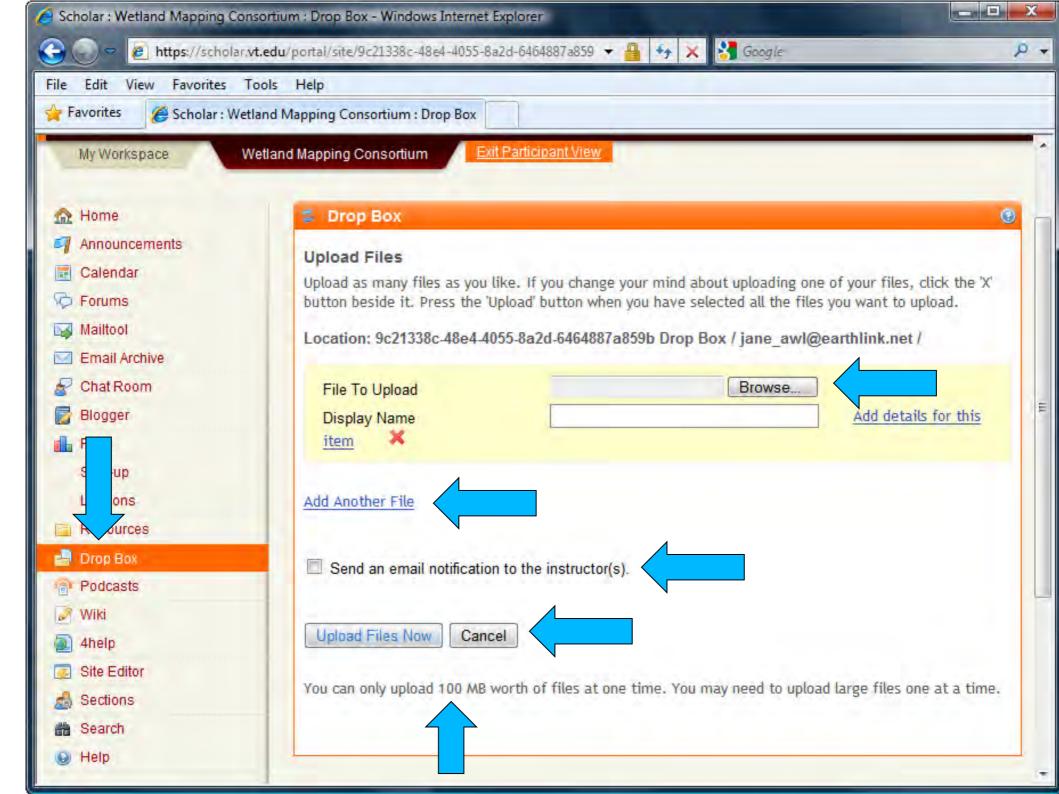


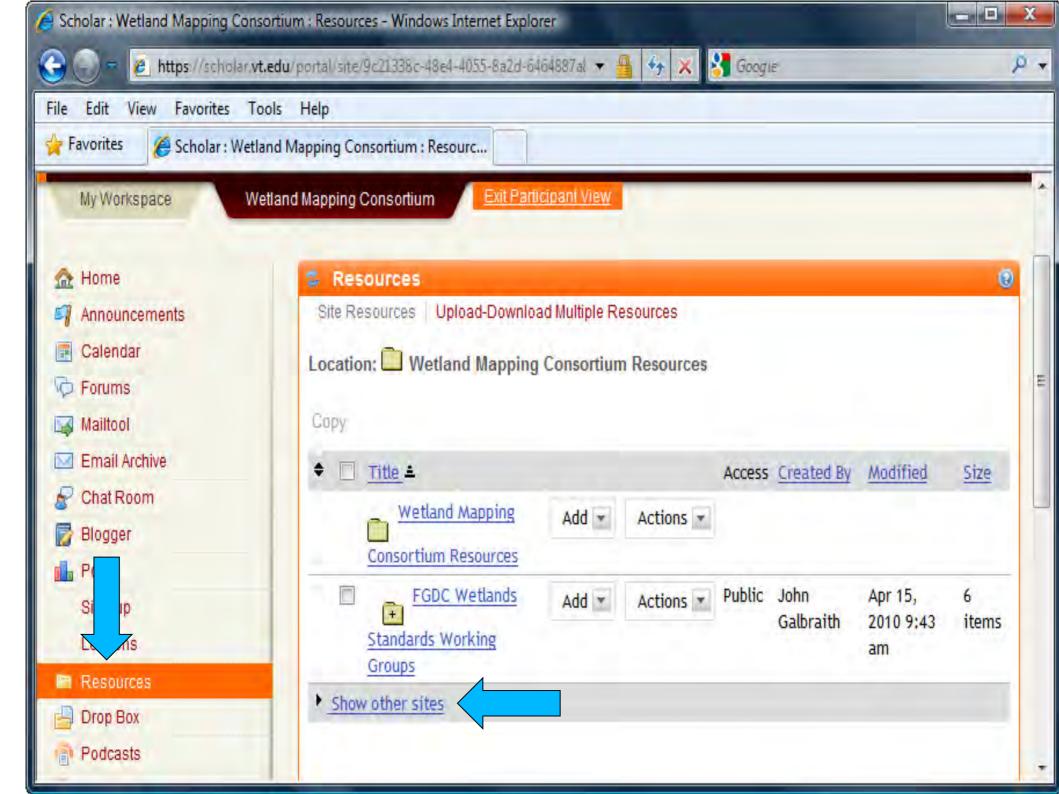


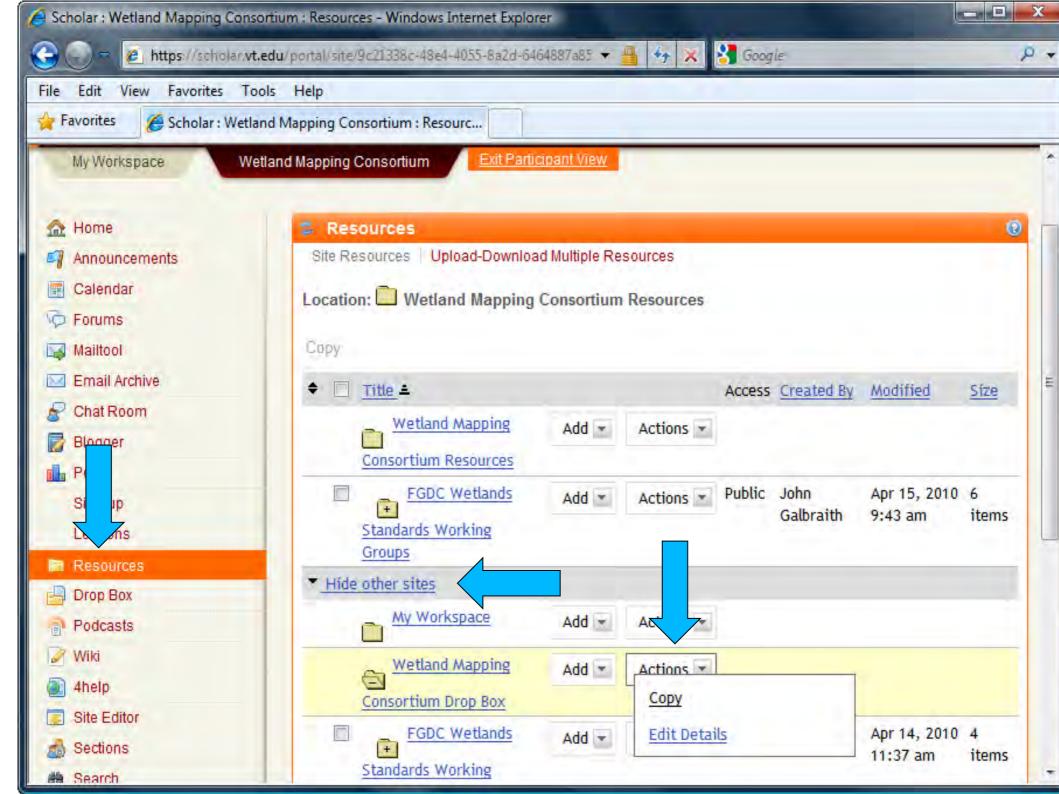


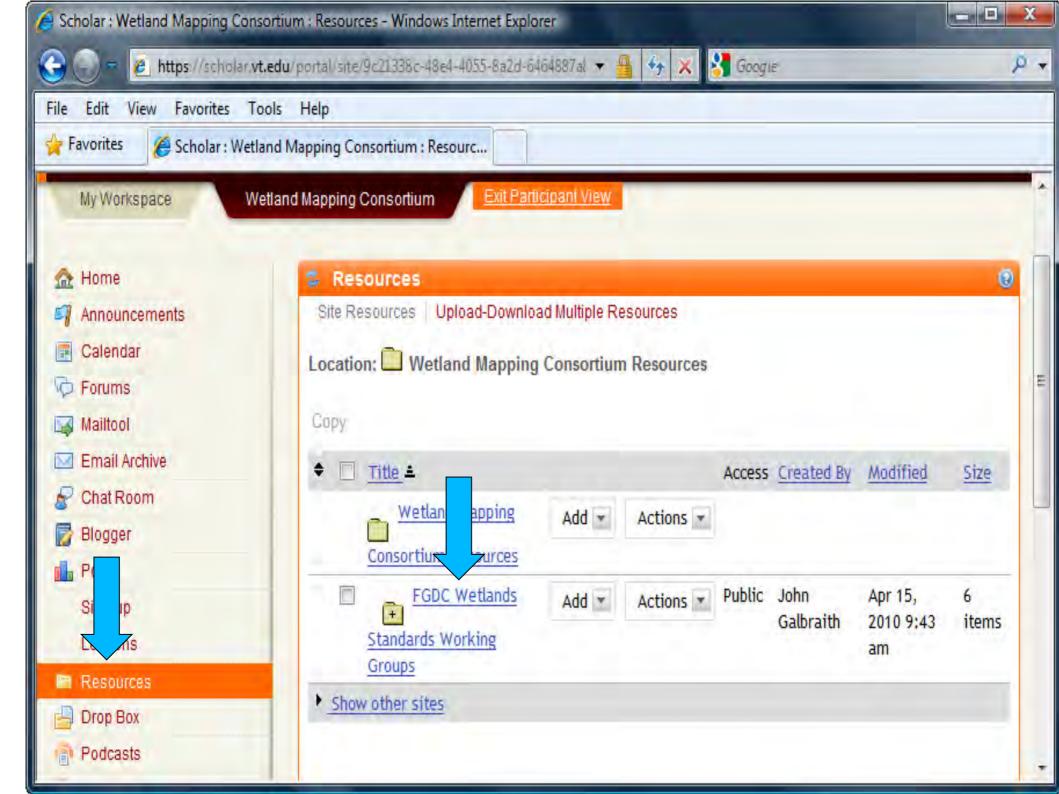


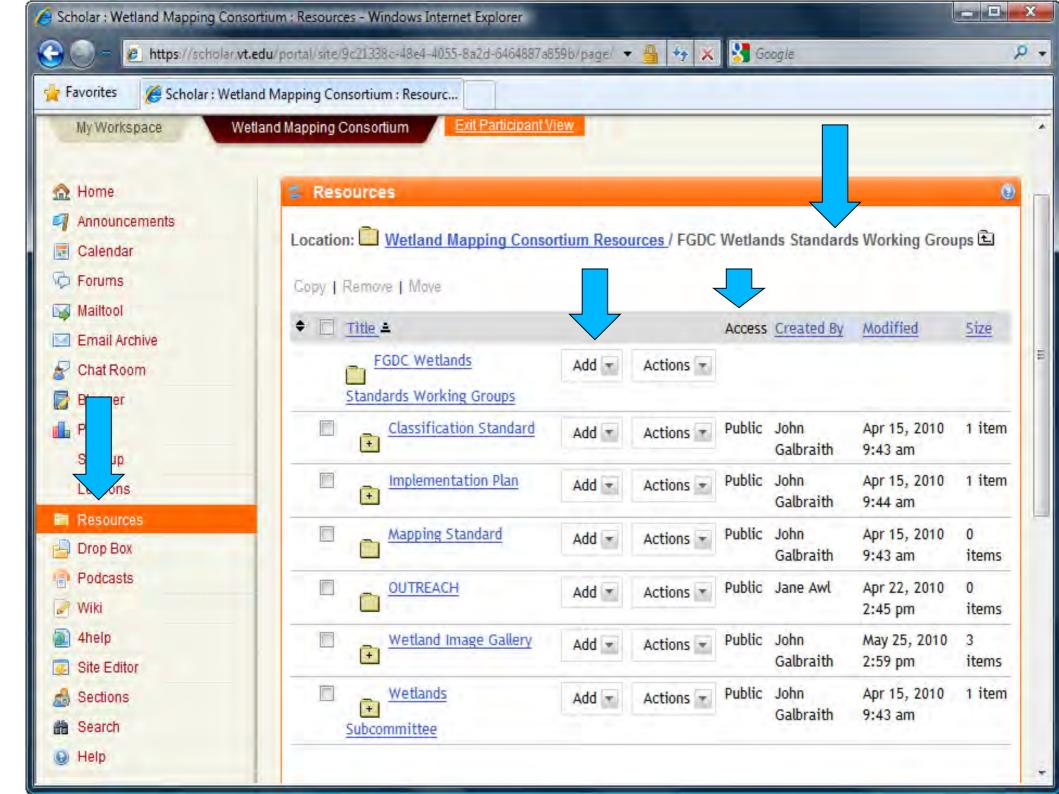


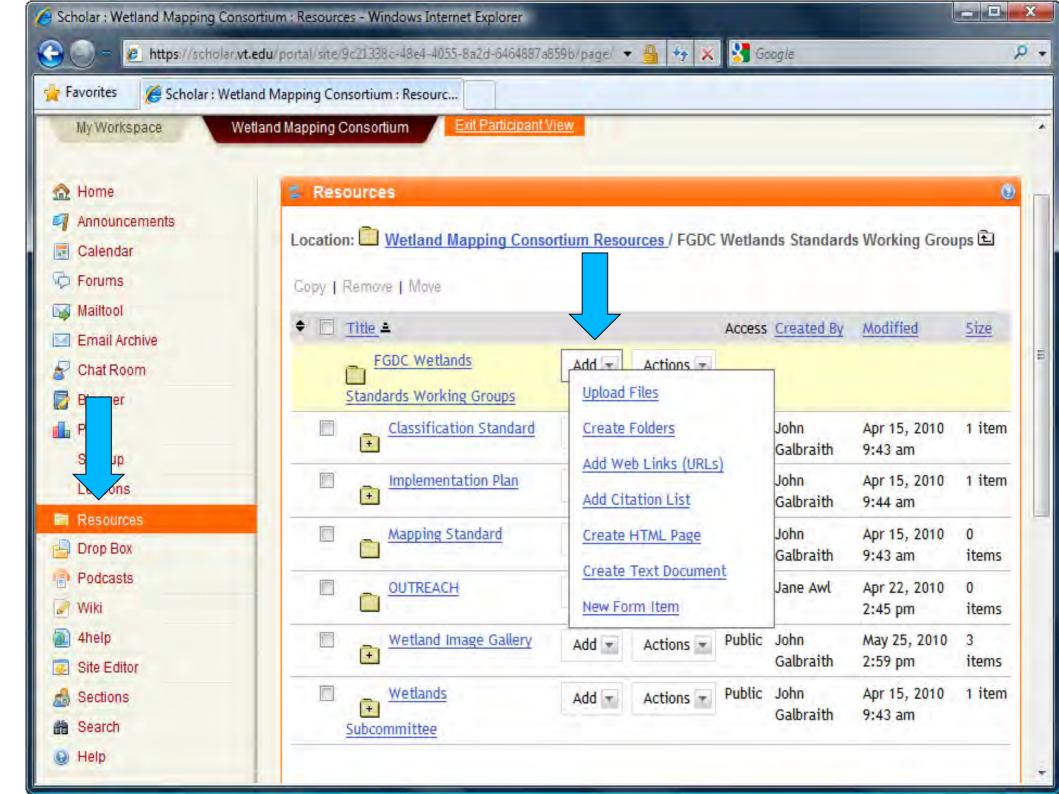


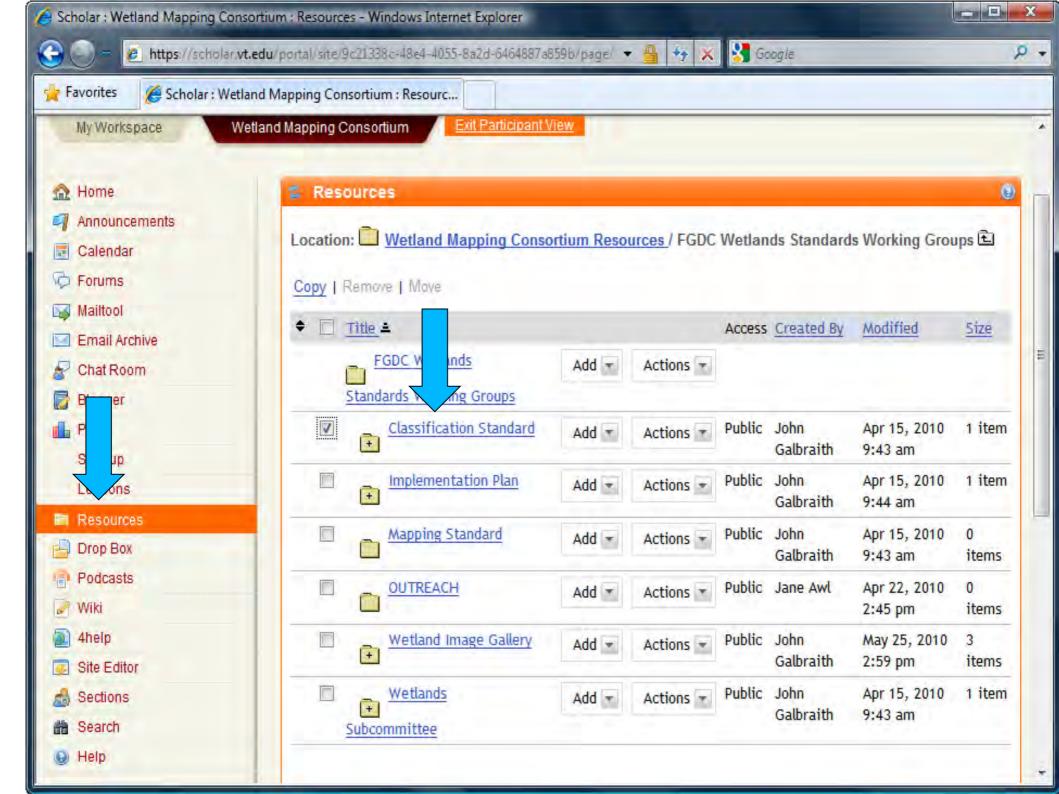


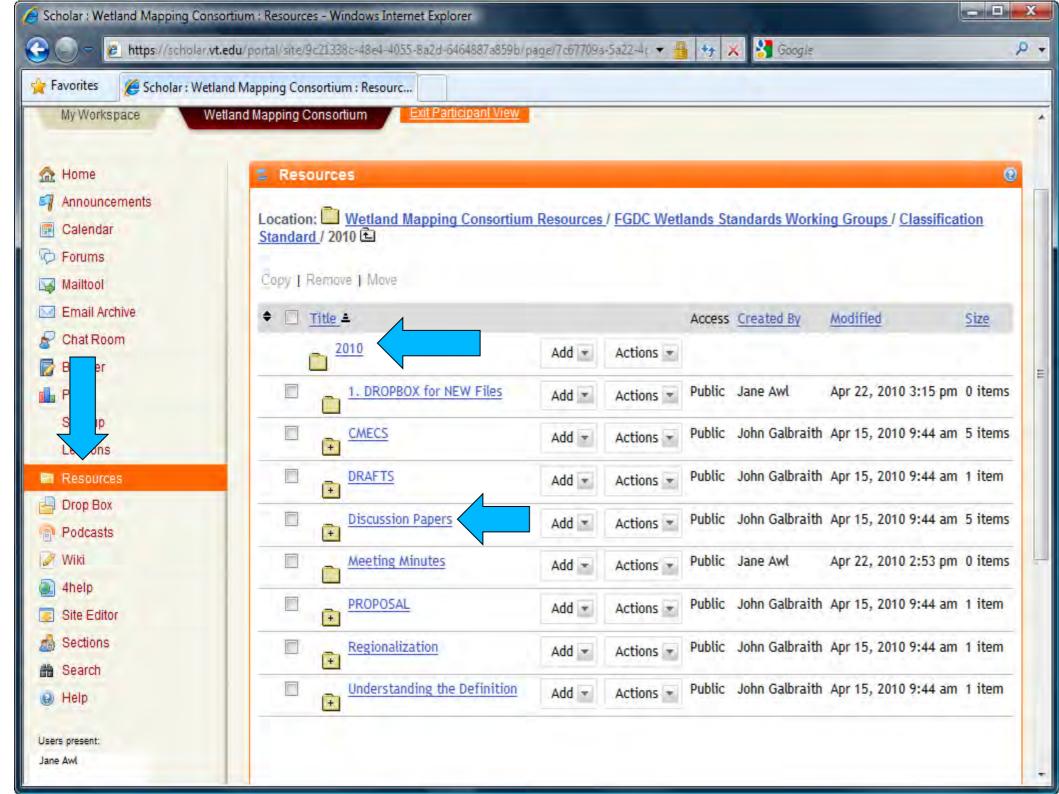


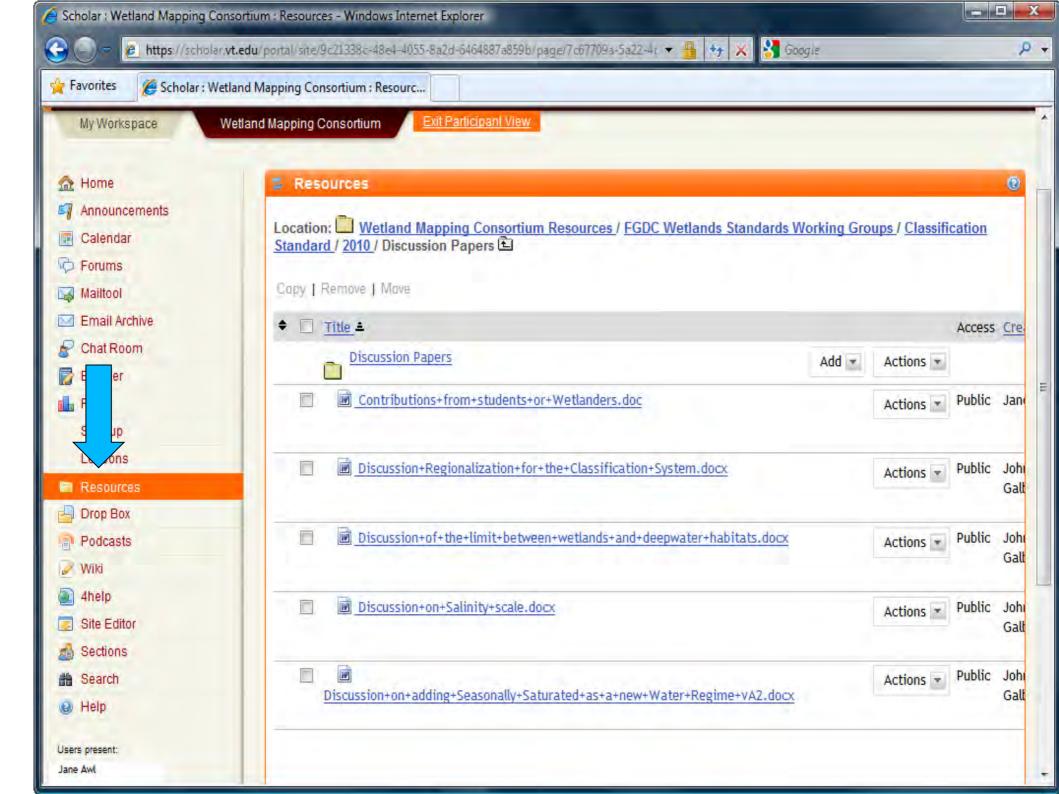












## Can the WMC help your project move forward?

- Utilize WMC communication tools and resources to foster collaboration.
- Individual project resource areas and member lists, such as for working groups, can be set up within the WMC.

## Wetland Mapping Consortium (WMC)



## **Helpful Links:**

- **❖** ASWM State Wetland Mapping page:
- http://aswm.org/wetland-science/wetland-mapping
- Wetland Mapping Consortium:
- http://clic.cses.vt.edu/WMC/



## QUESTIONS?

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