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# Software-Assisted Accessibility Test for resilient communities forum.org

#### **Entire Site**

### Menu/Navigation Bar Low Contrast

Low contrast between foreground and background colors on the top navigation bar, footer menu, and copyright text. Adequate contrast is necessary for all users, especially users with low vision.

### How to Fix It

Increase the contrast between the foreground (text) color and the background color. Large text (larger than 18 point or 14 point bold) does not require as much contrast as smaller text. Text is present that has a contrast ratio less than 4.5:1, or large text (larger than 18 point or 14 point bold) has a contrast ratio less than 3:1. Elements with background images must have a background color defined that provides adequate contrast when images are disabled or unavailable.

#### **Document language missing**

The language of the document is not identified. Identifying the language of the page allows screen readers to read the content in the appropriate language. It also facilitates automatic translation of content.

#### How to Fix It

Identify the document language using the <a href="html">html lang="en">).

### **Home Page**

#### Missing/Non-descriptive alt text (This image is also on the About page toward the bottom)

The image below has alt text labeled *placeholder-image*. If the alternative text for an image does not provide the same content or information conveyed by the image, that content will not be available to screen reader users and when images are unavailable. Screen reader users will not know that there are logos here, or information about each company's logo.





















# The National Forum Images – Missing alternative text

Alternative text is missing from all images in this section. This may have been done intentionally to hide this content from screen readers using ARIA hidden.

#### How to Fix It

Ensure that the image does not convey necessary content or that the content of the image is conveyed in nearby text (e.g., a caption).







# **Sessions Page**

#### **Low Contrast Text**

Low contrast between foreground and background colors on the dates and times on this page (light green text on white background). Adequate contrast is necessary for all users, especially users with low vision.

#### How to Fix It

Increase the contrast between the foreground (text) color and the background color. Large text (larger than 18 point or 14 point bold) does not require as much contrast as smaller text. Text is present that has a contrast ratio less than 4.5:1, or large text (larger than 18 point or 14 point bold) has a contrast ratio less than 3:1.

# **Registration Page**

## Missing/Non-descriptive alt text

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# **Speakers Page**

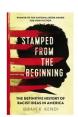
#### Missing alternative text

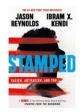
Alternative text is missing from all images in this section. This may have been done intentionally to hide this content from screen readers using ARIA hidden.

#### How to Fix It

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# **Sponsors Page**

### **Low Contrast Text**

Low contrast between foreground and background colors on the organization names on this page (light green text on white background). Adequate contrast is necessary for all users, especially users with low vision.

#### How to Fix It

Increase the contrast between the foreground (text) color and the background color. Large text (larger than 18 point or 14 point bold) does not require as much contrast as smaller text. Text is present that has a contrast ratio less than 4.5:1, or large text (larger than 18 point or 14 point bold) has a contrast ratio less than 3:1.

# **FAQ Page**

# **Skipped heading level**

FAQ page structure moves from H1 to H2 to H4. Headings provide document structure and facilitate keyboard navigation by users of assistive technology. These users may be confused or have trouble navigating when heading levels are skipped.

### How to Fix It

Restructure the document headings to ensure that heading levels are not skipped.