

Release Schedule

Radio Free Europe / Radio Liberty Inc. + 📓	Wed, Apr 3, 2013 10:00 am CEST	04:00 am EDT
Voice of America +	Thu, Apr 4, 2013 10:00 am CEST	04:00 am EDT
Middle East Broadcasting Networks, Inc +	Thu, Apr 4, 2013 11:30 am CEST	05:30 am EDT
Office of Cuba Broadcasting +	Thu, Apr 4, 2013 12:30 pm CEST	06:30 am EDT
LibertyNET:	Thu, Apr 4, 2013 02:00 pm CEST	08:00 am EDT
Global News Dashboard	Thu, Apr 4, 2013 02:30 pm CEST	08:30 am EDT

Please note that we've slightly adjusted our schedule. Due to grow of the content and growth of the database file our limit of 40 minutes for CMS outage is not sufficient for RFE release. Please expect up to 50minutes long CMS outage.

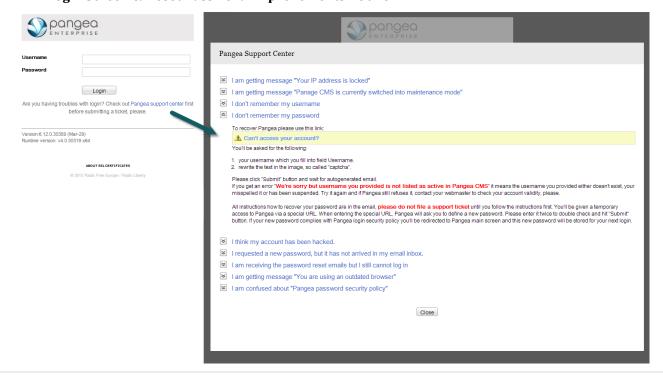
Because of the extensive scope of new features introduced in this version and keeping this document as short as possible, we're listing only the biggest features/bug fixes. Check our weekly update status emails to see more details on the status of your request, please

Just for your curiosity let us attach some stats: during the last development cycle (30 working days) we've completed 89 tasks, divided into 267 milestones; during testing period we've identified and fixed 151 bugs. Total 1028 commits to the code repository.

So what about version 6.13? Sorry to say, but Pangea needs some housecleaning! We've worked so hard on delivering new features and we were overlooking stability and sustainability over the couple of last months, so now we need now to stop and review our code base -- to do some much needed optimization, fix some long term issues, address performance etc. All this effort is called "refactoring", you may remember us performing it late in the version 6.08. Tech savvy users follow this Wikipedia link to learn more.

New Features

Login Screen & Reset Password Improvements #6076





We've completely revamped Pangea CMS login screen to provide as detailed as possible level of support. Reset password functionality has been moved into so called "Pangea Support Center" covering other troubleshooting which may happen during login.

We would like to ask all users to check the Pangea Support Center prior filing a support request.

Furthermore we've implemented other improvements such as:

- o When asking for new password, password complexity rules are clearly specified
- o Increased captcha size with an option to reload it case it's not readable.
- o UX improvements such as tabs, proper hints etc.
- Warning when reaching given number of invalid login attempts

Please be advised that we've temporarily suspended our Pangea service page, it's now being under reconstruction to provide you updated info on Pangea health, list of release notes or planned maintenance/release. We hope to announce new service page within a few weeks.

- GeoTag fields in Pangea (Phase II) #6045 We're now introducing a new possibility to display a small location map on the article page. To enable this option simply check "Display map on article page" checkbox on the article edit screen. Checkbox can be checked by default for newly created articles/news/transcripts or we can make this option hidden. For customization, file a request via Quickbase form, please.
- Managing TopStory Navigation as widget #6300 (requested by VOA/Alen) primary goal of the TopStory navigation is to advertise the most important content and to improve SEO. To make editor's life easier we've replaced manual link functionality to the "Search-and-attach" functionality there.
 - Sharing individual photos on Facebook/Twitter #5841

 (requested by RFE/Grant) Facebook users who share Pangea

 photo-gallery have now option to choose particular image thumbnail for Facebook teaser.



Newly-elected Pope Francis was inaugurated as pope on March 1

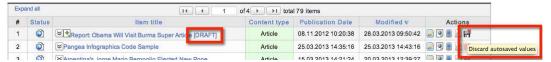
Say something about this link...

Croatian Serbs In Limbo
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Eighteen years after the Balkan wars ended, many Croatian Serb returnees are still living in barely functional, war-damaged homes. A handful of ethnic Serbs in the southern village of Strmica and the nearby former Serb stronghold of Knin are continuing to wait for assistance to help them rebuild or assistance to help them rebuild or



Estimated Civis downtime: RFE up to 50mins, VOA up to 40mins, otherwise 15mins

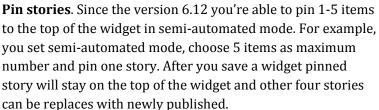
• **Drafts in Pangea #6328** - it was time to improve a bit the way how drafts are being displayed in Pangea. To distinguish drafts from regular content, we've added [DRAFT] keyword at the end of the title and made the delete icon more prominent. We'd like to remind you keep deleting outdated drafts to maintain your article list organized.



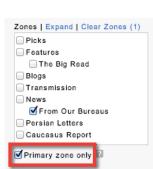
• Image Cropping function in Photo gallery - #5589 (requested by RFE/Grant)

There was one place where we didn't implement Crop functionality and it was on each photo item attached to a photo-gallery. This has changed now. Please not images can be cropped after being attached, not during attaching.

• Content widgets improvements - pin stories and search primary zones only - #6040 (requested by VOA/Matthew)



Search primary zones. When you search for content you're now able to narrow your search results using "Primary zone only" option which returns you only content where selected zones were checked as primary.





• Article Page – Possibility to keep third-party HTML content in mobile sites and mobile apps #5873 (requested by MBN/Mossab)

As you may know, we currently strip all third-party HTML content (such as embedded objects, JavaScript etc.) when showing articles in mobile sites and mobile applications. We do this in order to ensure best user experience for mobile users, because we cannot guarantee how any third-party HTML will look on all of different mobile devices. For example, flash objects create problems on most of mobile devices, so we remove them on purpose.



However, we understand that this may represent a nuisance for web editors who expect all of article content to appear on mobile platforms. As a compromise, we are introducing improvements to our HTML embed box. Web editors can paste any third party HTML to article content via a **HTML Embed box**, and explicitly define if this content should appear on mobile platforms by checking "**Enable for Mobile**" checkbox. If this checkbox is checked, content from HTML embed box will be kept for mobile site and mobile applications.

Please note that any third-party HTML content that is not in the HTML Embed box will still be stripped. If there are any old articles that you care about, and that are not looking good on mobile devices because of HTML stripping, you can manually fix those articles by placing critical third party HTML content in HTML Embed box, and selecting "Enable for Mobile".



• Different versions of video for download #5985 (requested by VOA/Chia-Hui Vivian)

We have improved the video download link on the video page, so that it makes it possible to download different qualities of video. Download link text can be localized in CMS, by changing the values of following keys:

- Video.DownloadLink.Web
- Video.DownloadLink.Mobile
- Flash player Support for multiple file Qualities #6197
 We improved the flash player, so that it gives users the option to choose the quality of video file that will be played. Numbers 360p and 240p indicate the height of video that will be played (just like on YouTube).

For the time being, changing of quality during the playback will result in video being reloaded from the beginning – we are looking forward to improving this logic in the future.





Kaltura Multimedia Import - Support for "Hide Links" Kaltura field #6128

Users that upload audio and video items to Kaltura can now decide whether those items should show download link once they appear in Pangea web sites.



• Internet TV – quality control for archived videos #6323

Starting version 6.12 Internet TV offers the possibility to stream archived videos. Till now, we have been streaming web quality videos (640x360), which were often too big for live streaming. This resulted in frequent player buffering, and bad user experience.

It is now possible to configure Internet TV (per site), to use lower quality (mobile) files when streaming archived materials. We hope this will reduce the frequency of player buffering during playback of archived videos.

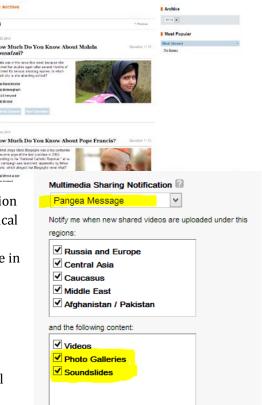
- New Quiz Archive Layout #6222 (requested by RFE/Nedim)

 Nedim had a good point when he filled his request, so starting now everyone can benefit from a new special zone layout for Quiz. Site admins, feel free to set it up to be monthly/yearly or per items on page in CMS | System configuration. As always, should you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact our Product Managers via the Quickbase Form.
- Subscription to new photo-galleries and sound-slides, similarly as video (setup for RFE only) #5892 (requested by RFE/Tanya)

Tanya from RFE approached us with a request for allowing subscription to newly published photo-galleries and sound-slides in RFE. It's a logical step, because we do support video notification. To configure your subscription, please navigate to your profile page (click you username in the CMS navigation). The notification may be delivered via Pangea and/or email.

As shown on the right side, you're now able to select regions and content types you want to subscribe to.

Please note that new fields such as English title and list of regions will appear on the photo-gallery and sound-slide edit screen.



- User Report Statistics supporting multiple users (requested by VOA/Matthew)

 After some time, we've finally managed to update Pangea user statistics to be giving reports on multiple users.
- Embedded able sound-slides into CKeditor #6091 (requested by RFE/Francisak)

 Similarly as we support embedding of all other content types into CKeditor, we've implemented embedding of sound-slides.
- Sharing Icons for Multimedia player #6154 (requested by RFE/Artur and Anton)

From this release, all multimedia players have implemented sharing button functionality. It applies for audio flash player, Internet TV Flash player and HTML 5 player.

Embed this Video

Email this



• Author for Video, Photo Gallery and Sound slide #6098 (requested by RFE/Andriy and Alik)

In 6.12 we have made another round of unification of authors in videos, photogalleries and sound-slides. Authors are available to be assigned to video, photogallery or sound-slide multimedia and are being displayed on black page (or a photoblog page). Author names may be linkable link to the bio page which contains all the generated content of the select author.

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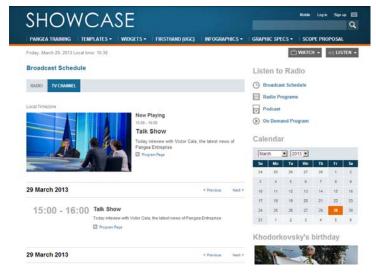
In CMS videos/ photo-galleries and soundslide should be searchable according author as articles are.

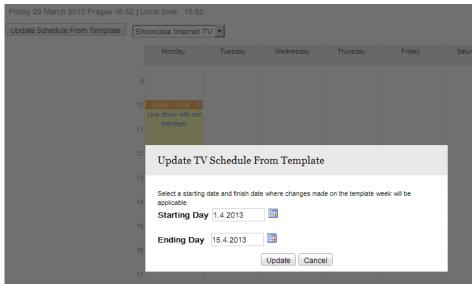
• VIDEO: Scheduler Front End - PHASE II #6090 & #6113

The same way we have audio scheduler Pangea, now you can setup your template week with all your programming for Video, and let your audience know when what programs is on air, when it's going to be broadcasted.

The Schedule is one page where there would be display 2 tabs, one for audio content and second one for TV content, the TV tab is set on request so if you are interested please send us request and we can enable it for you.

The Template week for TV schedule now allows you to do the Automatic Replications, meaning once the Template week is set you just press the button and this will be set as your daily schedule – the same way as we handle Audio template week.







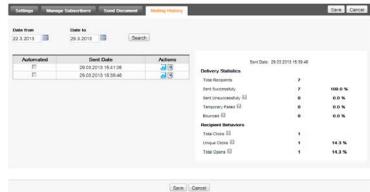
• Goolara improvements #6037 (requested by VOA/Donna and RFE/Vladyslav)

We've implemented more advanced ways for analyzing your Marketing Campaign, now you can track Recipient Behaviors.

- Total Clicks
- Unique Clicks
- Total Opens

Other Features:

- Configuration to set Maximum amount of items sent on Auto Mode
- Possibility to add on mailer template a link to view mailer campaign as a webpage



Support of Info-graphics #5641 (BETA Version)

From this release, Pangea supports a brand new content type called "INFOGRAPHICS", allowing web editors handle requests for Flash infographics more convenient way. Please note that due to a huge scope of the functionality, we declare it as a beta version, in other words not all functionality may be working as you would expect. However we've spend an extra testing time on making sure the key functionality is working properly. We're currently supporting two types of infographics – dynamic (Flash with support XML files) and static (images). For more details, visit our new Showcase site.

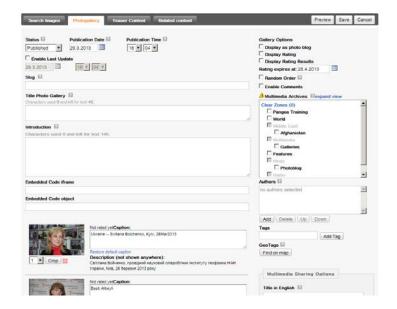


Info-graphic items may be

- Attached to widget
- Attached as Related Content
- Archived

• Improvements to CMS UI Photo-galleries #6355

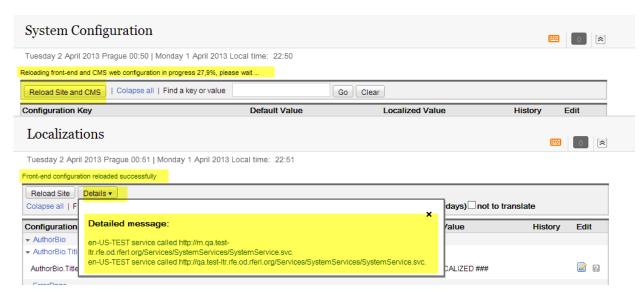
We've made several visual improvements to the Photo-gallery edit screen to provide maximum level of user experience.





Reload Config buttons unified, with more details #6131 (requested by VOA/Hakki)

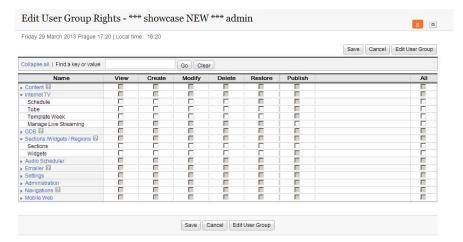
After Hakki's request we've realized that the current reload function can't be called very user friendly, so we've invested our time on making it more convenient. Foremost by adding status (in %) and detailed information which can be displayed after clicking "Details" button (on Localization screen).



System Configuration and Users Rights #6343

Some more UI facelifts, namely the following:

- Search Functionality
- Collapse/Expand
- Reload of System Configuration





Mobile web: Preserve certain HTML #6233 + #6275

As you may notice, the initial version of the mobile web pages was pretty aggressively removing HTML tag, now we've worked hard on preserving some, the most important tags. Please see the full list of supported HTML tags

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<b> convert to <strong> and keep
<i> convert to <italics> and keep
<br/>
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Also the new mobile web version will keep any embedded audio, video and photo-gallery. Sound-slide won't be supported due to underlying Flash technology.

• Mobile web: Render photo credits into images #6435 (requested by VOA/Donna)

Similarly as on the desktop version, mobile images will now contain proper photo credits. Please note that credits will appear only in images bigger than set threshold (currently set to width 320px+).

• Showcase redesign

Please visit our new showcase site http://showcase.rferl.org/ with a new design switch allowing you to preview new features in RFE/VOA/OCB/MBN designs.





Bug fixes

• CMS: Split Article and Split News Widget - change saved in manual mode #5953 (requested by RFE/ Alik)

We've made saving old content and zone setting changes in Split Article or Split News Widgets behaving the same way. All changes in zone and content type settings in CMS, will save as for manual as for auto mode.

