Group H South Saskatchewan Community Foundation: Usability Evaluation Insights

Page	Brooks feedback		
Home	-need consistent menu -no sign up -add more buckets to menu (7 buckets) -Dark text light background (contrast for accessibility) -basically reformat the whole home page -need learning opportunities -make a button linking to SSCF website		
Governance and legal resources	-fine		
About us	-good, already has a mission statement in it but Brook said she wanted a mission statement		
Webinar/Workshops page	-good/acceptable		
Testimonials	-good/acceptable		
Volunteer management	-no dashboards, no usable tools only supposed to be informative *volunteer management was added on our own initially as a tool		
Fundraising strategies	-fine		
Grant application	-mini scroll in bottom-right is not mobile-friendly -not intuitive to make it scroll		
Marketing strategies	-no comment		
Feedback Dashboard	-no dashboards		
Administrative support	-redundant, not really useful		
Project management	-irrelevant page -no dashboards		
Document and record-keeping	-irrelevant page -no dashboards		

Other notes:

- -simplicity is good
- -overall design is good
- -very close to wanted design, good progression
- -video and registration pop-ups don't have an "x", not intuitive b/c we're assuming the user will automatically know to click the background to close the pop up (good experiential takeaway: don't assume AKA you are not the user!)
- -prioritize content
- -more pictures would be beneficial but only add them if they're purposeful
- -keep accessibility and special needs in mind for a more inclusive user experience (ex: colour blindness)

Key Strengths

- **Comprehensive resource sections** covering essential charity operations (Granting, Marketing, Governance, Fundraising)
- Clear mission and vision statements that communicate the hub's purpose
- Localized content specific to Saskatchewan charities
- Practical tools including downloadable templates and guides

Brook's Feedback Analysis

Content & Navigation

Feedback Category	Key Points	Priority
Navigation Structure	 Menu present on all pages (✓) Need dropdown resources for main topics Remove dashboard/signup elements 	High
Content Focus	 More emphasis on informational content Redundant "Administrative Support" section Strengthen mission statement 	Medium
Grants Section	List companies offering grants without mini-scrollMake grant opportunities more prominent	High
Visual Elements	Improve video interaction (add X to close)Ensure dark text on light backgrounds for accessibility	Medium

Content Structure Analysis

The site contains seven main content sections/buckets. Below is the analysis of content completeness and effectiveness.

Brook's Recommendations

High Priority Improvements

1. Navigation Enhancement

- Add dropdown menus for main resource categories
- Make all menu items visible across all pages
- o Remove signup/dashboard elements as the site is mainly informational

2. Grant Section Optimization

- Create a comprehensive list of grant-giving organizations without mini-scroll
- Improve search functionality for charities and organizations
- Add clear categories for grant types

3. Content Structure

- o Focus on strengthening informational content
- Revise the redundant "Administrative Support" section
- Enhance mission statement visibility and impact

Medium Priority Improvements

1. Accessibility

- Ensure all text has proper contrast against backgrounds
- Add alt text to all images

2. Video Usability

- Add clear close (X) buttons to video players
- o Implement intuitive controls
- Ensure video descriptions are clear and informative

3. User Path Optimization

- o Direct "Contact" link to take users to the SSCF website
- o Improve connection between related content sections