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## **1. Maven and AEM Project Structure Guide**

### **Maven Build Lifecycle**

Maven operates through a well-defined build lifecycle that consists of multiple phases:

- **Clean:** Deletes the target directory along with compiled files.
- **Validate:** Ensures the project's configuration is correct.
- **Compile:** Converts source code into executable bytecode.
- **Test:** Executes unit tests to verify functionality.
- **Package:** Assembles the project into a JAR or WAR file.
- **Verify:** Confirms the integrity of the generated package.
- **Install:** Stores the packaged artifact in the local repository.
- **Deploy:** Uploads the package to a remote repository for distribution.

Command to Execute Maven Lifecycle:

`mvn clean install`

### **2.What is the pom.xml File and Why is it Used?**

The POM (Project Object Model) XML file is the fundamental configuration file in a Maven project. It specifies:

- **Project Details** (such as name, version, and group ID)
- **Dependencies** (external libraries required for the project)
- **Plugins** (for tasks like compilation, packaging, and deployment)
- **Build Configuration** (custom settings for the build process)

Example pom.xml:

```
<project xmlns="http://maven.apache.org/POM/4.0.0" ...>
  <modelVersion>4.0.0</modelVersion>
  <groupId>com.myTraining</groupId>
  <artifactId>aem-project</artifactId>
  <version>1.0-SNAPSHOT</version>
  <packaging>pom</packaging>
</project>
```

### **3.How Do Dependencies Work?**

Dependencies specify the external libraries a project requires. Maven automatically retrieves these from a central repository and adds them to the project.

Example Dependency in pom.xml:

```
<dependencies>
  <dependency>
    <groupId>org.apache.sling</groupId>
    <artifactId>org.apache.sling.api</artifactId>
    <version>2.20.0</version>
  </dependency>
</dependencies>
```

#### 4. Checking the Maven Repository

Maven repositories store dependencies required for a project. They are categorized as:

- Local Repository: Stored on your machine (~/.m2/repository/).
- Central Repository: Maven's default online repository.
- Remote Repository: Hosted by organizations for custom dependencies.

Command to Check the Local Repository:

ls ~/.m2/repository/

#### 5. How to Build All Modules Using Maven?

AEM projects typically follow a multi-module structure, where multiple modules are built together.

To compile and package all modules in the project, run:

`mvn clean install`

This command ensures that all modules are compiled, tested, and packaged in a single execution.

#### 6. Can We Build a Specific Module?

Yes, you can build a specific module using the `-pl` (project list) flag.

Example: Build Only the Core Module

`mvn clean install -pl core -am`

The `-am` (also make) flag ensures that dependencies required by the specified module are also built.

#### 7. Role of ui.apps, ui.content, and ui.frontend Folders

- `ui.apps`: Contains AEM components, templates, and backend logic.
- `ui.content`: Stores sample content, including pages and digital assets.
- `ui.frontend`: Holds frontend resources like CSS, JavaScript, and client-side libraries.

#### 8. Why Use Run Modes?

Run modes enable environment-specific configurations (e.g., development, staging, production) in AEM.

Example: Running AEM in a Specific Mode

`java -jar aem-author-p4502.jar -r author,dev`

This command starts AEM in author mode with the development configuration.

#### 9. What is the Publish Environment?

The publish environment (port 4503) is responsible for delivering content to end users. Content is first created and managed in the author environment (port 4502) and then replicated to the publish instance for public access.

#### 10. Why Use the Dispatcher?

The Dispatcher is a key component in AEM, primarily used for:

- Caching: Enhances performance by storing frequently accessed content.
- Security: Filters incoming requests before they reach the AEM instance.
- Load Balancing: Distributes traffic efficiently across multiple AEM instances.

## 11. How to Access CRX/DE?

You can access CRX/DE (Content Repository Extreme Developer Edition) using the following URL:  
<http://localhost:4502/crx/de>

This interface allows developers to view, edit, and manage AEM content structures.

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## Digital Asset Management (DAM) and Tasks Execution Guide

### 1. What is DAM and Why is it Used?

Digital Asset Management (DAM) is a system that helps organizations efficiently store, manage, and distribute digital assets like images, videos, and documents.

In Adobe Experience Manager (AEM), DAM is used to:

- Centralize and organize digital assets.
- Enable easy retrieval and reuse of assets.
- Optimize asset delivery with renditions.
- Manage version control and access permissions effectively.

### 2. Creating a Folder and Uploading Images in DAM

Follow these steps to create a folder and upload images in AEM's Digital Asset Management (DAM):

1. Go to AEM Assets:
  - Navigate to AEM > Assets > Files.
2. Create a New Folder:
  - Click Create → Folder.
  - Set the path as: /content/dam/myTraining/us/en-us.
3. Upload Images:
  - Open the newly created folder.
  - Click Upload and select two images to add.
4. Open an AEM Page:
  - Go to AEM > Sites and open a page for editing.
5. Add an Image Component:
  - Drag and drop the Image Component onto the page.
6. Select and Author Images from DAM:
  - Click the component and choose an image from DAM.
  - Save and preview the page.

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News

news-page1  
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### Epic Journey

Don't stop half way, go for the top!

**First Name:** Sample First Name

**Last Name:** Sample Last Name

### Hello World Component

Text property:  
lalala :)

Model message:  
Hello World!  
Resource type is: myTraining/components/helloworld  
Current page is: /content/myTraining/us/en

### 3. What Are Renditions?

Renditions are automatically generated variations of an image in AEM DAM, optimized for different devices and use cases. These ensure efficient asset delivery by providing multiple sizes and formats.

Steps to Check Renditions:

1. Go to AEM Assets:
  - Navigate to AEM > Assets > Files.
2. Open an Uploaded Image:
  - Select one of the images stored in DAM.
3. View Renditions:
  - Click on the Renditions tab to see the different available sizes.

### 4. Adding First Name and Last Name Fields in the HelloWorld Component

Follow these steps to add First Name and Last Name fields to the HelloWorld component in AEM:

#### 1. Open the HelloWorld Component

- Navigate to the AEM Component Editor.
- Locate and open the HelloWorld component dialog.

#### 2. Add Fields to the Dialog

- Add two fields inside the dialog XML (`_cq_dialog.xml`):
  - First Name (`firstName`)
  - Last Name (`lastName`)

#### 3. Modify helloworld.html to Display Values

Update helloworld.html to print the values stored in properties:

```
<p>First Name: ${properties.firstName}</p>
```

```
<p>Last Name: ${properties.lastName}</p>
```

This ensures that the values entered in the dialog are displayed correctly on the page.

## 5. Using @ValueMapValue in HelloWorldModel

Modify the Sling Model (HelloWorldModel.java) to use @ValueMapValue for retrieving the First Name and Last Name properties.

Updated HelloWorldModel.java:

```
@Model(adaptables = Resource.class)
public class HelloWorldModel {
```

```
    @ValueMapValue
    private String firstName;
```

```
    @ValueMapValue
    private String lastName;
```

```
    public String getFirstName() {
        return firstName;
    }
```

```
    public String getLastName() {
        return lastName;
    }
```

```
}
```

This ensures that the component retrieves the values stored in AEM properties and makes them available for rendering.

## 6. Why Use Package Manager? (Creating Packages)

The Package Manager in AEM is used for:

- Exporting/Importing components and assets between different AEM instances.
- Ensuring Consistent Deployment across environments.
- Backing Up assets, configurations, and custom components.

Steps to Create Packages:

### 1. Create a DAM Package (Images)

- Navigate to AEM > Tools > Deployment > Package Manager.
- Click Create Package.
- Set the name as: DAM-Images-Package.
- Add the path: /content/dam/myTraining/us/en-us.
- Click Build and Download the package.

### 2. Create a HelloWorld Component Package

- In Package Manager, create another package.
- Name it: HelloWorld-Component-Package.
- Add the path: /apps/myTraining/components/helloworld.
- Click Build and Download the package.

This method ensures easy content migration and deployment between AEM environments.

## 7. Configure Replication Agent and Publish a Page

### 1. Configure Replication Agent

- Navigate to AEM > Tools > Deployment > Replication.
- Click on Agents on Author.
- Select and edit the default replication agent.
- Set the Transport URI to:
- `http://localhost:4503/bin/receive`

(Assuming the default setup.)

- Click Test Connection, then Save the settings.

### 2. Publish a Page

- Go to AEM > Sites.
- Select the page you want to publish.
- Click Publish to replicate the page to the publish instance.

### 3. Test Replication via Command Line

Run the following cURL command to manually trigger replication:

```
curl -u admin:admin -X POST "http://localhost:4502/bin/replicate.json" -d "path=/content/my-page&type=activate"
```

This confirms that the page is successfully sent from the author instance to the publish instance.

### Final Note:

- If issues arise, check logs in AEM Error.log (`/crx-quickstart/logs`)
- For further debugging, use AEM Web Console (`http://localhost:4502/system/console`).

The screenshot displays the CRXDE Lite web console interface. On the left, a tree view shows the file structure, including folders like 'apps', 'core', 'dam', 'mcm', 'myTraining', and 'rep'. The 'rep' folder is expanded, showing sub-folders like 'policy', 'settings', 'system', and 'wcm'. The 'content' folder is also expanded, showing sub-folders like 'cq.graphql', 'rep.policy', 'dam', 'appdata', 'assetinsights', 'collections', 'dam.batch', 'jcr.content', 'myTraining', and 'asset.jpg'. The 'jcr.content' folder is selected, and its properties are displayed in the main area.

The main area shows the 'Properties' tab for the selected 'jcr.content' folder. The properties table is as follows:

Name	Type	Value	Protected	Mandatory	Multiple	Auto Created
1. jcr:data	Binary	...	false	true	false	false
2. jcr:lastModified	Date	2025-03-21T08:37:14.170+05:30	false	false	false	true
3. jcr:lastModifiedBy	String	workflow-process-service	false	false	false	true
4. jcr:mimeType	String	image/png	false	false	false	false
5. jcr:primaryType	Name	nt:resource	true	true	false	true
6. jcr:uuid	String	d59c16b4-5568-4587-962c-25a5654b6f6f	true	true	false	true

On the right side of the console, there are sections for 'Repository Information' (Apache Jackrabbit Oak 1.56-T20230927085643-189caed by The Apache Software Foundation), 'Developer Resources' (Documentation, Developer Blog, Knowledge Base), and 'Support' (Homepage, Support Center).

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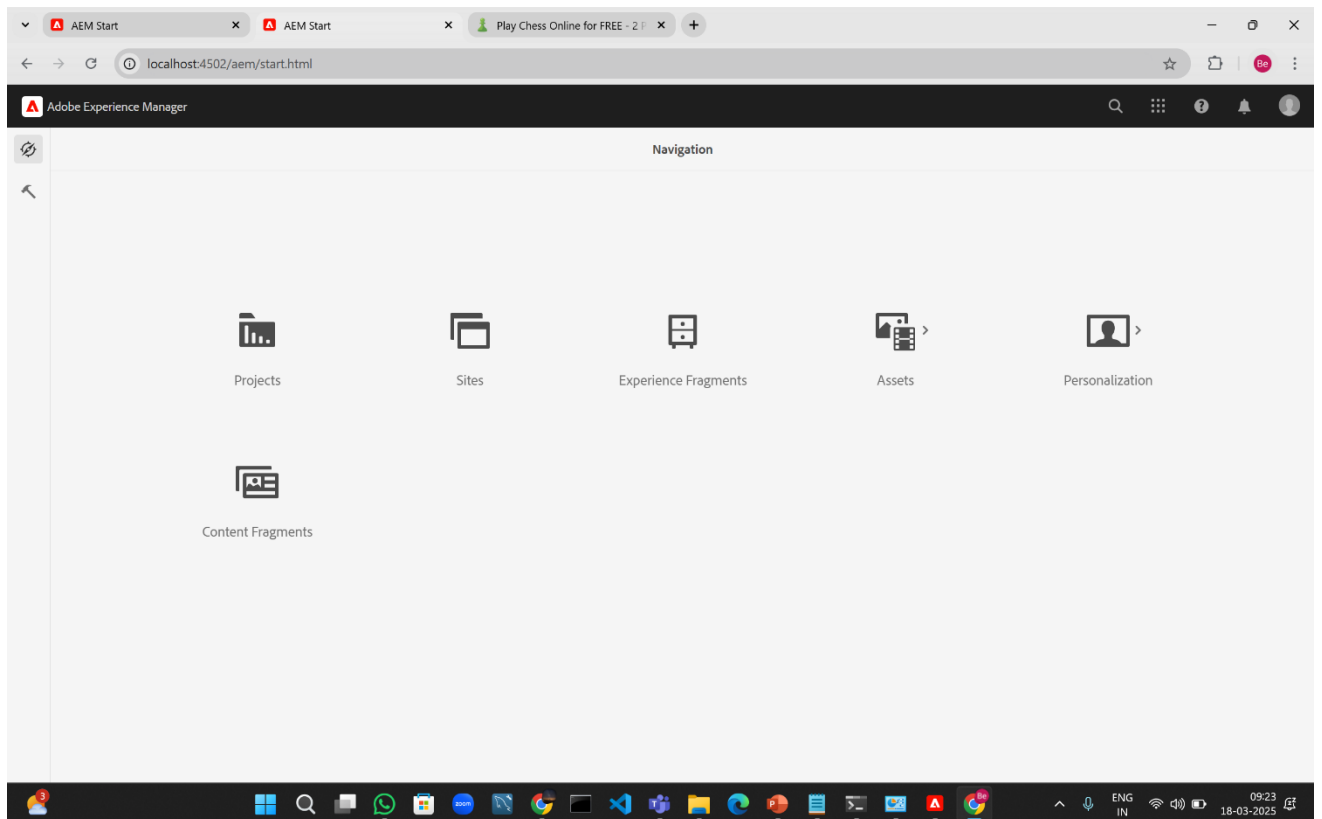
**First Name:** Sample First Name

**Last Name:** Sample Last Name

### Hello World Component

Text property:  
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Resource type is: myTraining/components/helloworld  
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### Applying CSS Styling

To ensure proper styling, inspect the page using **Developer Tools (F12) > Elements Tab** and verify the following styles:

```
h2 { color: green; }
```

```
p { color: yellow; }
```

```
.date { color: black; }
```

### Steps to Apply CSS in AEM:

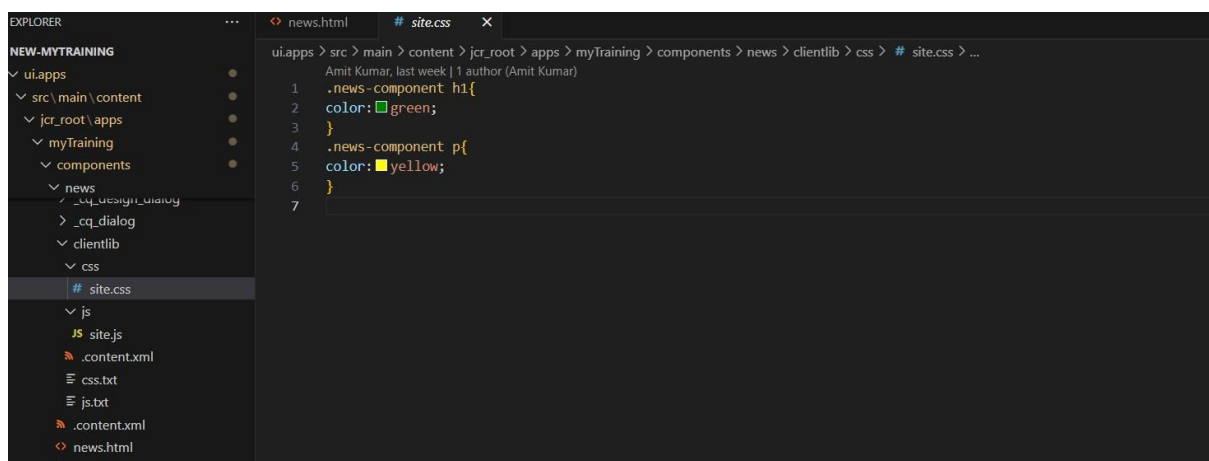
1. **Locate the Component's CSS File:** Navigate to **ui.frontend** → **clientlibs** → **your-component** → **css/style.css**.
2. **Apply the CSS Styles:** Add the styles inside the appropriate CSS file:
3. 

```
h2 { color: green; }
```
4. 

```
p { color: yellow; }
```
5. 

```
.date { color: black; }
```
6. **Ensure the Styles Are Loaded:** Verify that the **CSS client library** is included in your component's HTML file:
7. 

```
<cq:includeClientLib categories="your-component"/>
```
8. **Check in Browser:** Open **Developer Tools (F12) > Elements Tab** and confirm that **Heading (<h2>)** is **green**, **News details (<p>)** are **yellow**, and **Date** is **black**.





```

1 <sly data-sly-use.clientlib="core/wcm/components/commons/v1/templates/clientlib.html">
2   <sly data-sly-call="${clientlib.all @ categories='myTraining.newsComponent', async=true}"/>
3 </sly>
4
5
6 <div class="news-component" data-sly-use.newsModel="com.myTraining.core.models.News">
7
8   <div class="cmp-news-title">
9     <h1>${newsModel.newsHeadline}</h1>
10   </div>
11   <div>
12     
13   </div>
14   <div class="cmp-news-article-detail">
15     <p>News Published on: ${'dd MMM, YYYY' @ format=newsModel.newsPublishDate,type='datetime'}</p>
16     <p>${newsModel.newsDetail @ context='html'}</p>
17   </div>
18
19   <div data-sly-list.item="${newsModel.newsTitle}">
20     <p>${item}</p>
21   </div>
22
23 </div>
24

```

## 8. Extra ClientLibs (extraClientLibs) How to

Check:

- Open the multi-field component's HTL (HTML Template Language) file.

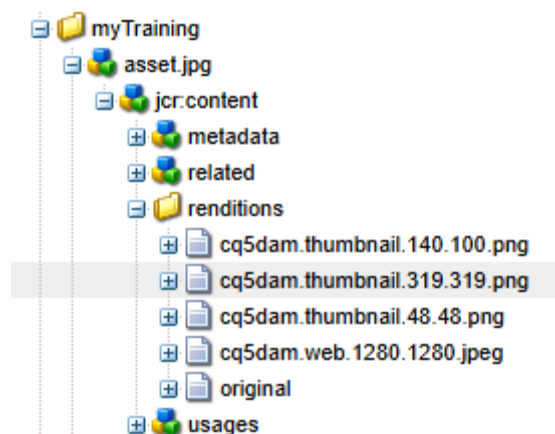
```

1 <sly data-sly-use.clientlib="core/wcm/components/commons/v1/templates/clientlib.html">
2   <sly data-sly-call="${clientlib.all @ categories='myTraining.newsComponent', async=true}"/>
3 </sly>
4
5
6 <div class="news-component" data-sly-use.newsModel="com.myTraining.core.models.News">
7
8   <div class="cmp-news-title">
9     <h1>${newsModel.newsHeadline}</h1>
10   </div>
11   <div>
12     
13   </div>
14   <div class="cmp-news-article-detail">
15     <p>News Published on: ${'dd MMM, YYYY' @ format=newsModel.newsPublishDate,type='datetime'}</p>
16     <p>${newsModel.newsDetail @ context='html'}</p>
17   </div>
18
19   <div data-sly-list.item="${newsModel.newsTitle}">
20     <p>${item}</p>
21   </div>
22
23 </div>
24

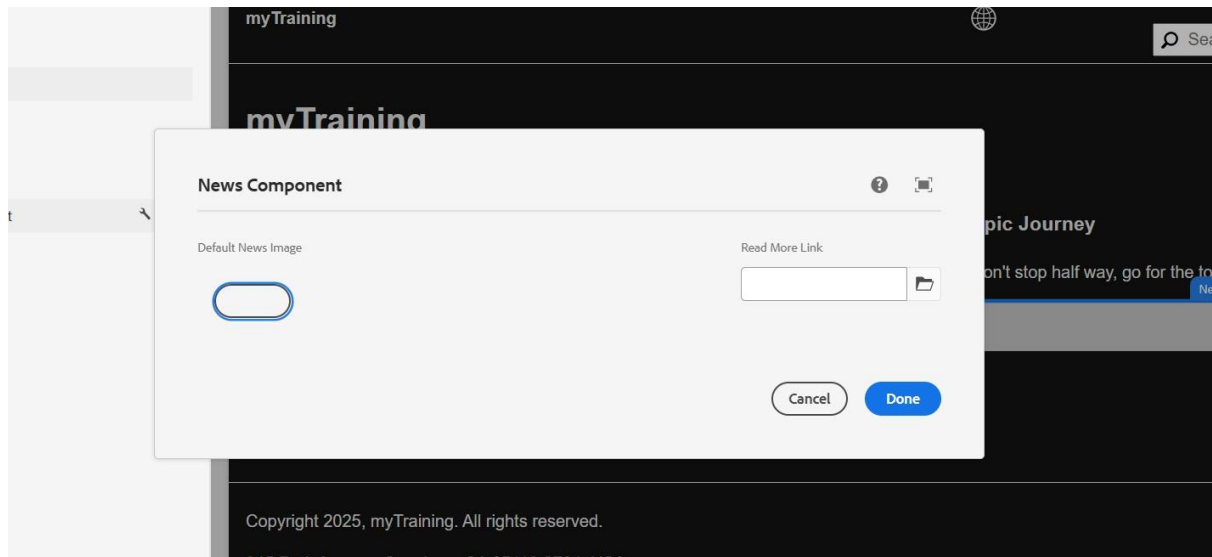
```

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1. Create a News Room Page Component using the Base Page Component



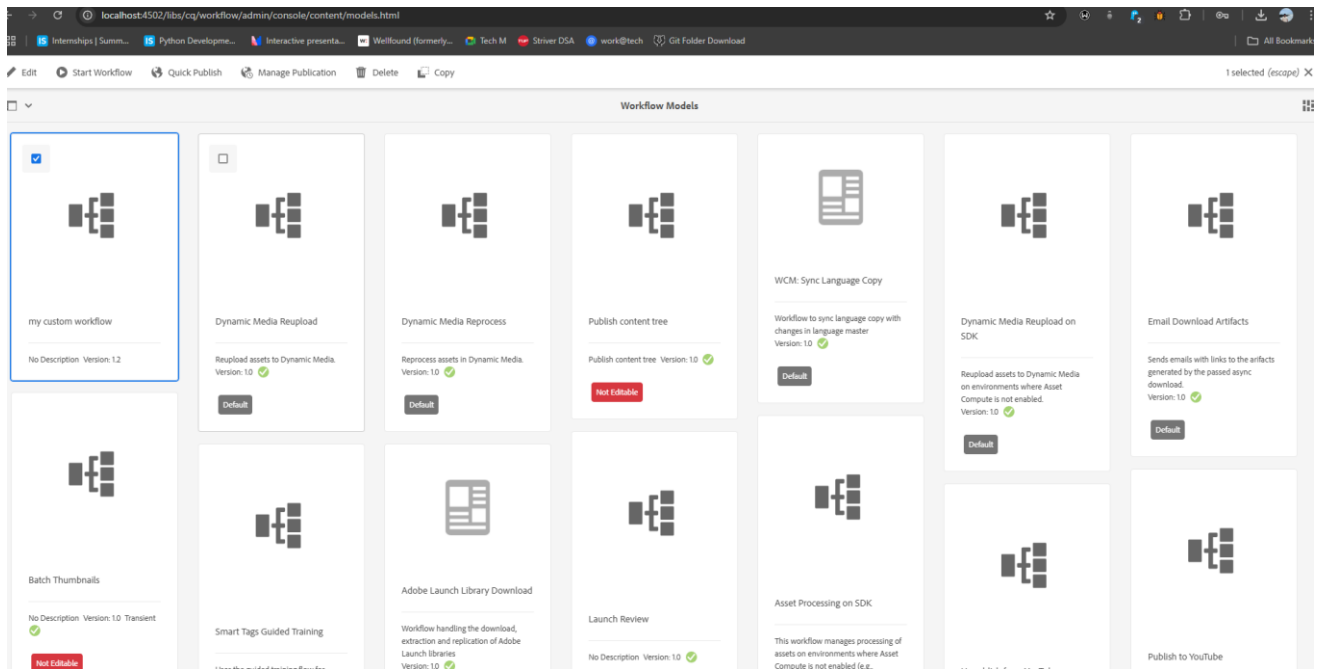
2. Create Custom Page Property: "NEWS Configurations"
3. Add "Read More" CTA for News Articles



#### 4. Creating News Room Template Type Using News Room Page Component

##### Steps to Implement:

1. **Navigate to Template Types:** Go to AEM > Tools > General > Template Types.
2. **Create a New Template Type:** Click Create and name it News Room Template Type.
3. **Set Allowed Resource Type:** Configure the Allowed Resource Type as:
4. `your-project/components/page/newsroompage`
5. **Save and Enable the Template Type.**



## How to Verify:

- Go to **Template Editor** and check if the template type appears.
- Try creating a template using this type.



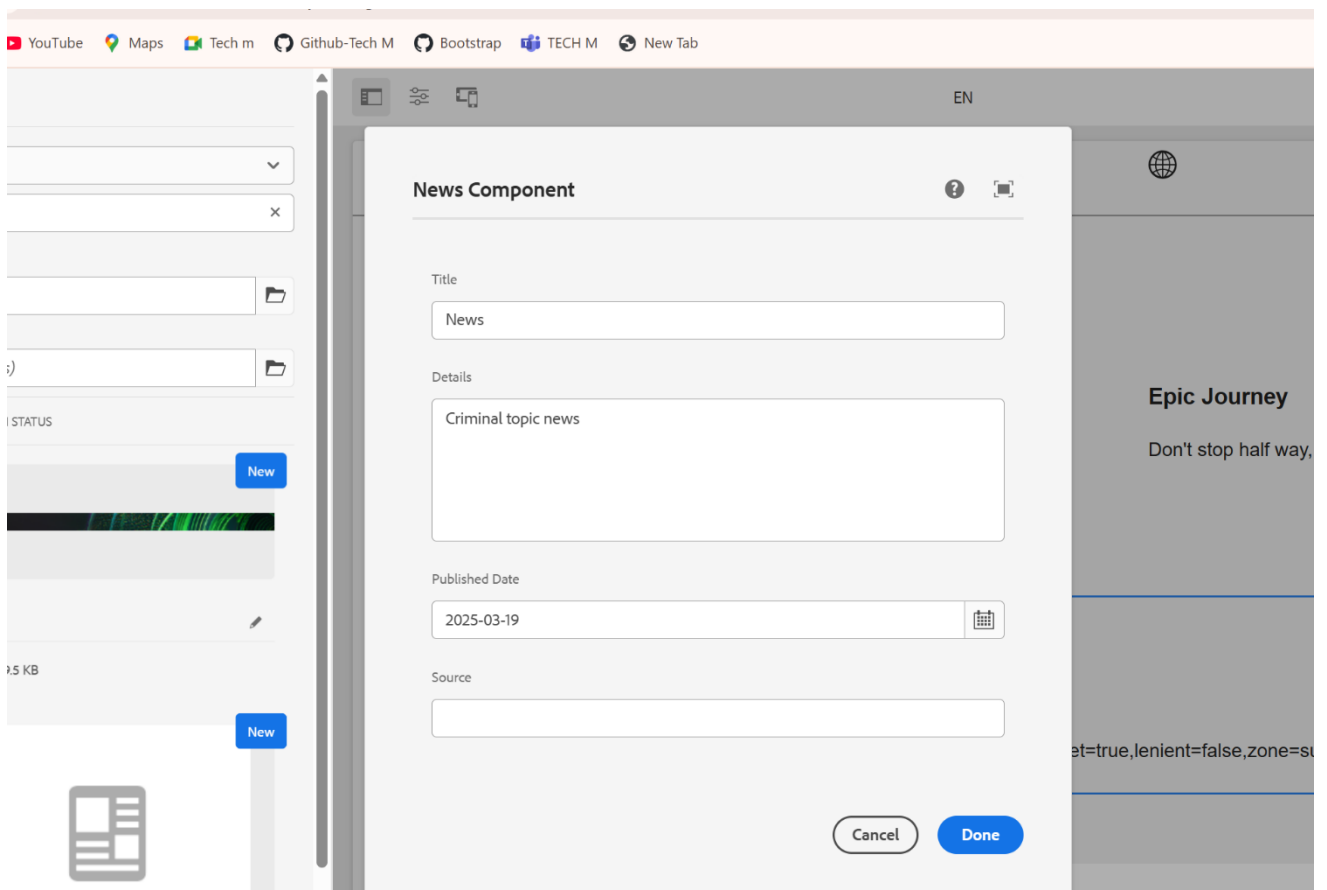
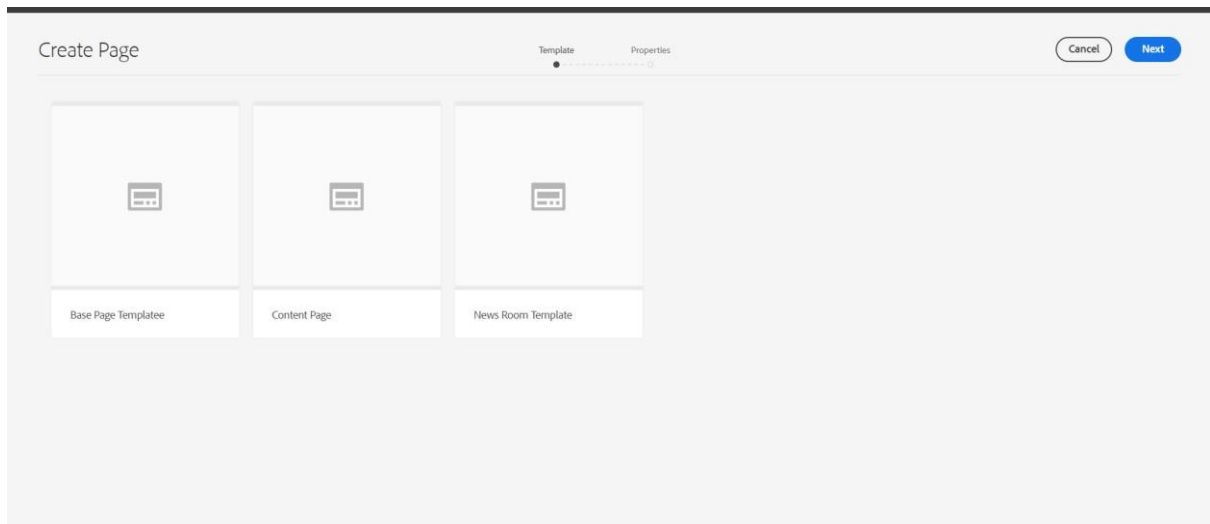
## Creating News Room Template Using News Room Template Type

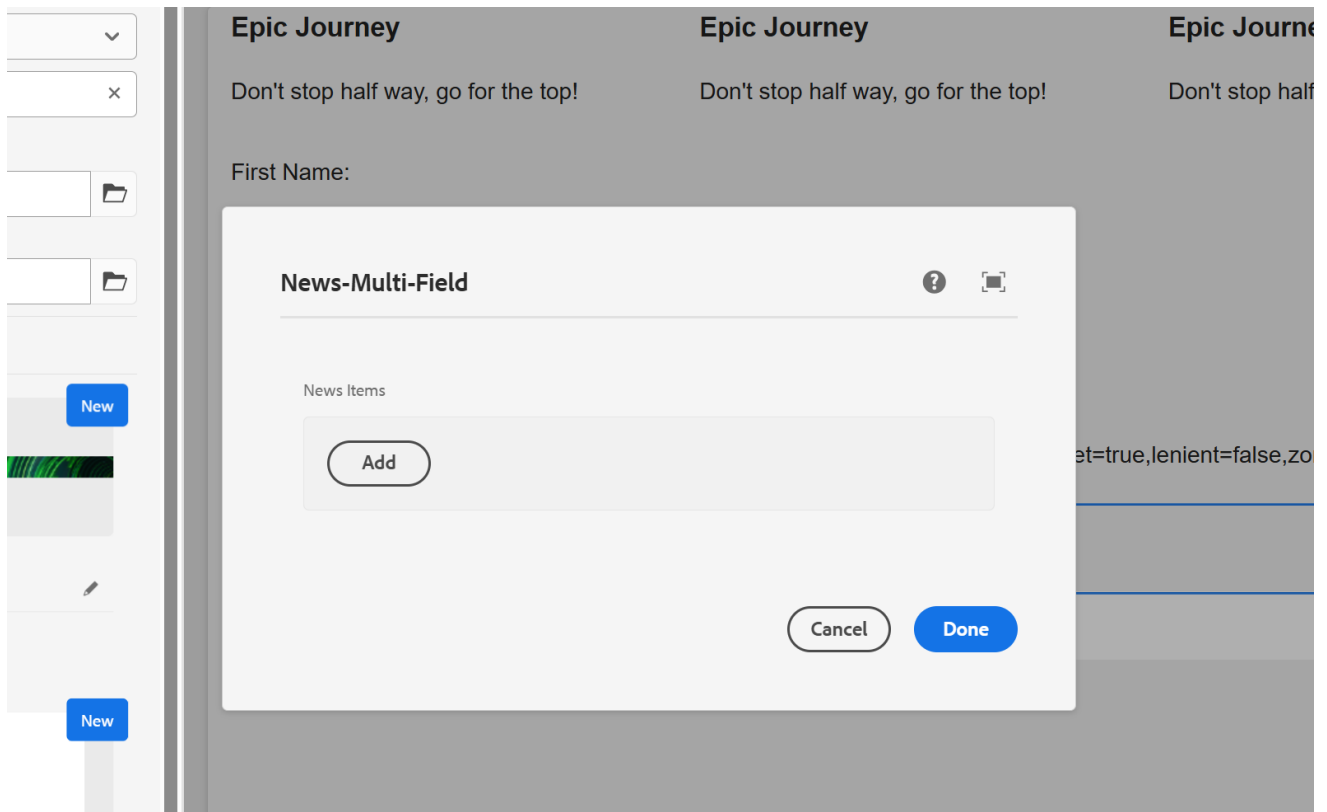
### Steps to Implement:

1. **Navigate to Templates:** Go to AEM > Templates and click Create.
2. **Select Template Type:** Choose News Room Template Type as the base.
3. **Define the Structure:** Add required components like Header, News Listing, Footer, etc.
4. **Save and Enable the Template.**

### How to Verify:

- Ensure the News Room Template appears under Templates in AEM.
- Create a new page using this template and check if the structure is applied correctly.





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### Steps to Check Custom Workflow in AEM

#### 1. Verify Workflow Model:

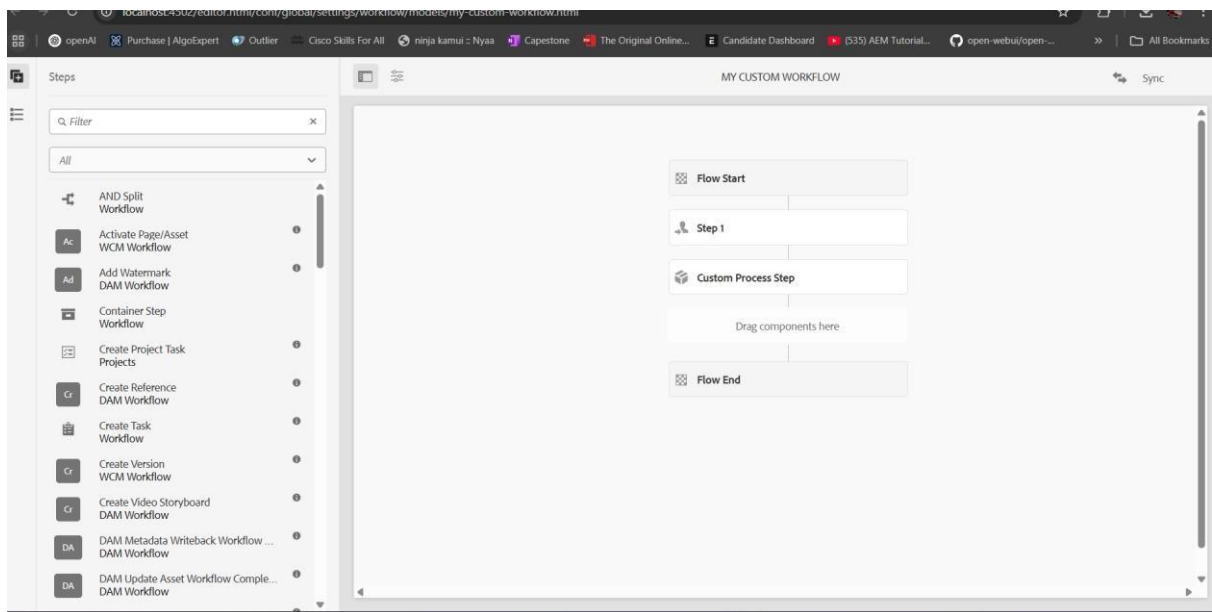
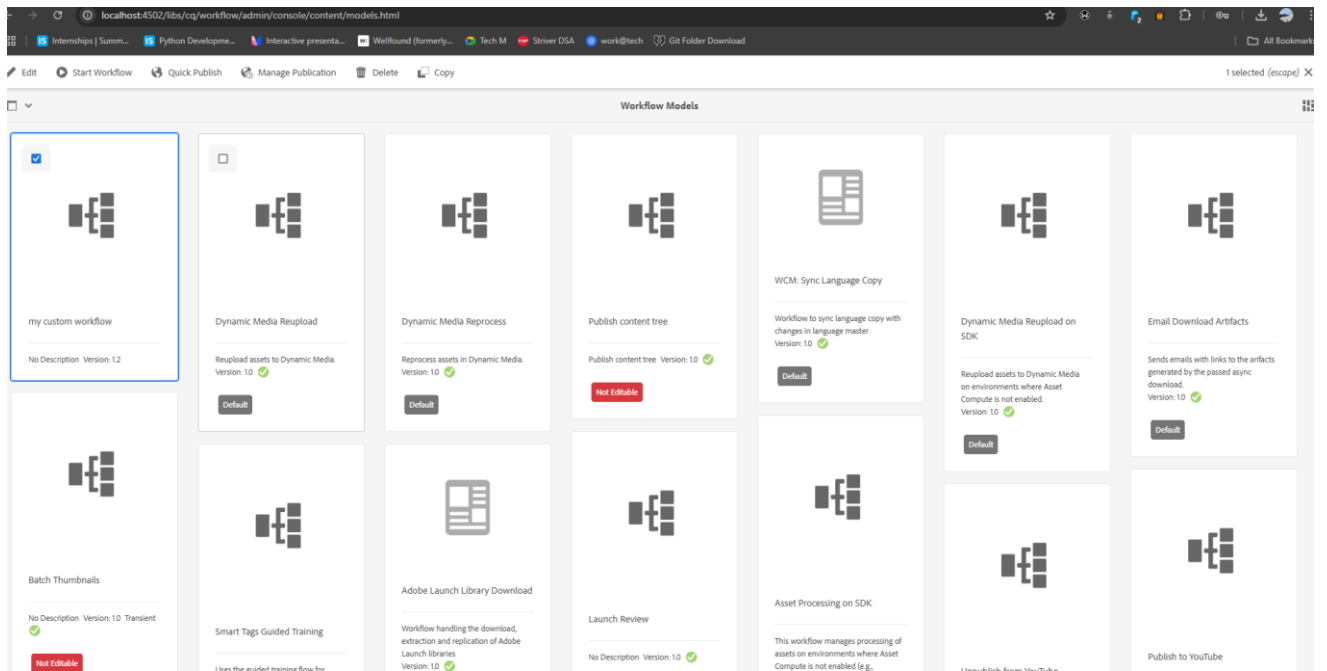
- Navigate to AEM Start → Tools → Workflow → Models.
- Ensure "my custom workflow" is listed.
- Open it and confirm that the custom workflow process step is properly configured.

#### 2. Trigger the Workflow on a Page:

- Go to AEM > Sites and select a page.
- Click on Page Properties → Start Workflow.
- Choose your custom workflow and start it.

#### 3. Check Logs:

- Open AEM error.log file located at crx-quickstart/logs/error.log.
- Look for log statements that print the page title to confirm execution.



# Run Workflow

Payload \*



Title

Comment

Cancel

Run

Publish content tree

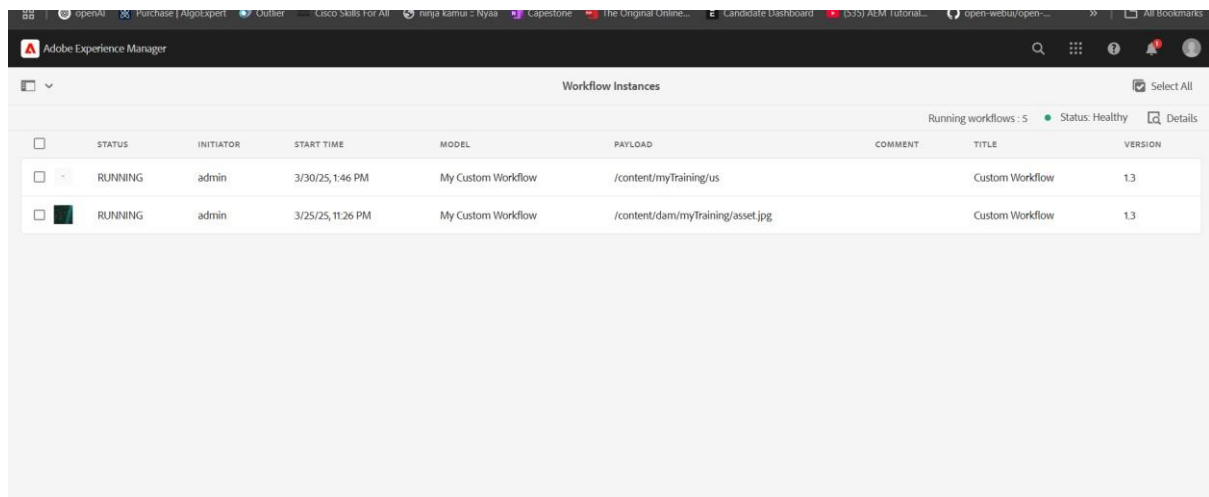
Publish content tree

Not Editable

## 2. Verify Event Handler Execution

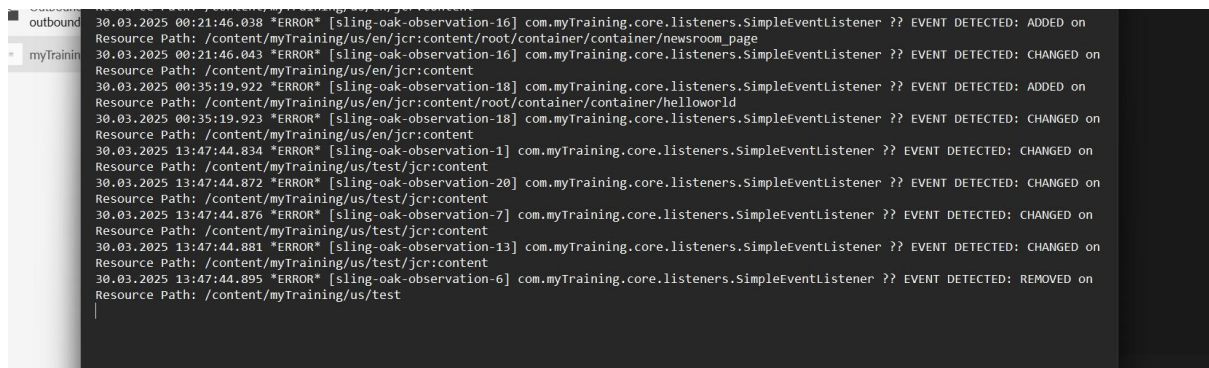
### Steps to Check:

- Perform an action that triggers the event (e.g., creating, modifying, or deleting a page or an asset).
- **Check Logs:** ○ Open error.log and look for log messages related to the resource path.



The screenshot shows the Adobe Experience Manager (AEM) interface with the 'Workflow Instances' table. The table has columns for STATUS, INITIATOR, START TIME, MODEL, PAYLOAD, COMMENT, TITLE, and VERSION. There are two rows of data, both with a status of 'RUNNING' and an initiator of 'admin'. The first row has a start time of 3/30/25, 1:46 PM and a payload of '/content/myTraining/us'. The second row has a start time of 3/25/25, 11:26 PM and a payload of '/content/dam/myTraining/asset.jpg'. Both rows have a title of 'Custom Workflow' and a version of '1.3'.

	STATUS	INITIATOR	START TIME	MODEL	PAYLOAD	COMMENT	TITLE	VERSION
<input type="checkbox"/>	RUNNING	admin	3/30/25, 1:46 PM	My Custom Workflow	/content/myTraining/us		Custom Workflow	1.3
<input type="checkbox"/>	RUNNING	admin	3/25/25, 11:26 PM	My Custom Workflow	/content/dam/myTraining/asset.jpg		Custom Workflow	1.3



The screenshot shows a log output window with several error messages. The messages are formatted as follows: [timestamp] [error-level] [sling-oak-observation-id] com.myTraining.core.listeners.SimpleEventListener ?? EVENT DETECTED: [event-type] on Resource Path: [resource-path]. The events detected are 'ADDED', 'CHANGED', and 'REMOVED' on various resource paths including '/content/myTraining/us/en/jcr:content/root/container/container/newsroom\_page', '/content/myTraining/us/en/jcr:content/root/container/container/helloworld', and '/content/myTraining/us/test/jcr:content'.

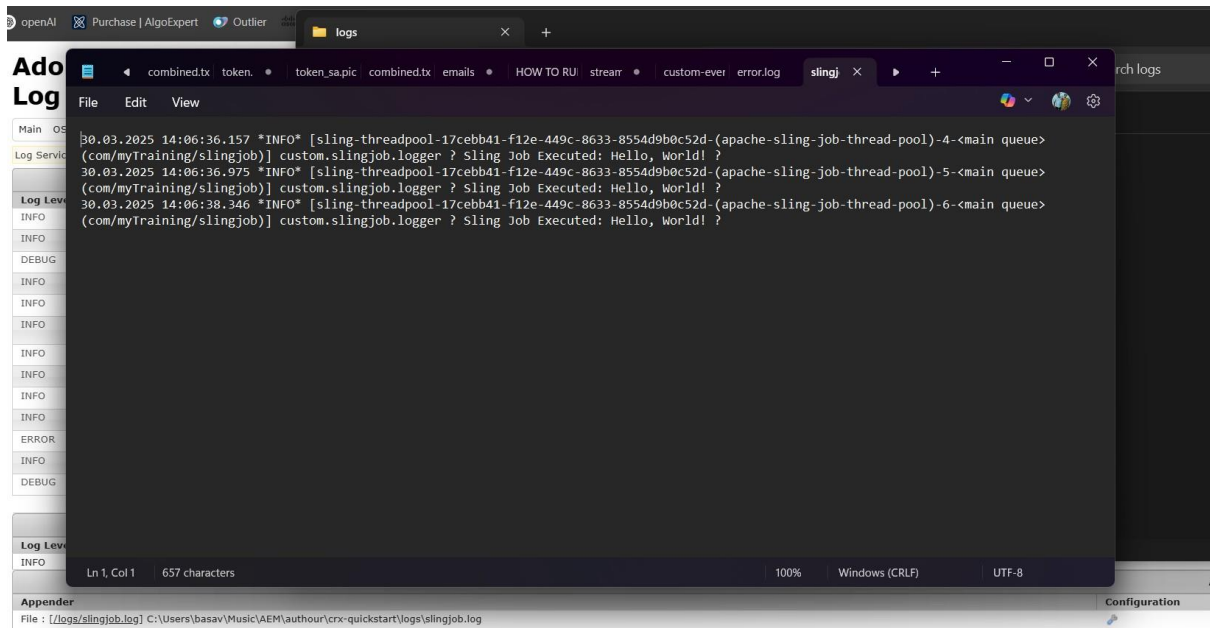
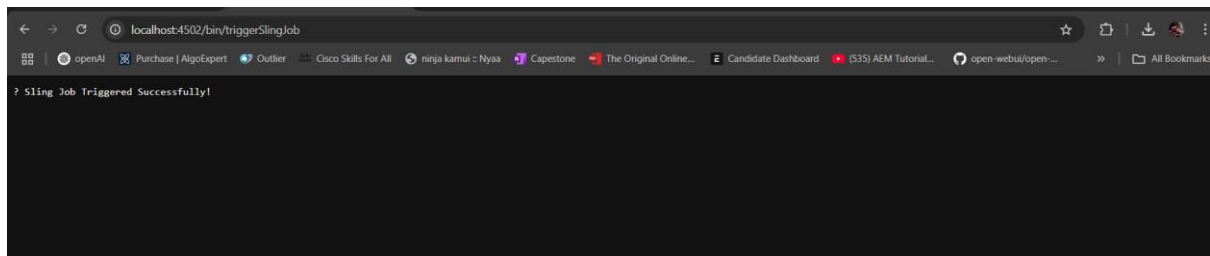
```
30.03.2025 00:21:46.038 "ERROR" [sling-oak-observation-16] com.myTraining.core.listeners.SimpleEventListener ?? EVENT DETECTED: ADDED on Resource Path: /content/myTraining/us/en/jcr:content/root/container/container/newsroom_page
30.03.2025 00:21:46.043 "ERROR" [sling-oak-observation-16] com.myTraining.core.listeners.SimpleEventListener ?? EVENT DETECTED: CHANGED on Resource Path: /content/myTraining/us/en/jcr:content
30.03.2025 00:35:19.922 "ERROR" [sling-oak-observation-18] com.myTraining.core.listeners.SimpleEventListener ?? EVENT DETECTED: ADDED on Resource Path: /content/myTraining/us/en/jcr:content/root/container/container/helloworld
30.03.2025 00:35:19.923 "ERROR" [sling-oak-observation-18] com.myTraining.core.listeners.SimpleEventListener ?? EVENT DETECTED: CHANGED on Resource Path: /content/myTraining/us/en/jcr:content
30.03.2025 13:47:44.834 "ERROR" [sling-oak-observation-1] com.myTraining.core.listeners.SimpleEventListener ?? EVENT DETECTED: CHANGED on Resource Path: /content/myTraining/us/test/jcr:content
30.03.2025 13:47:44.872 "ERROR" [sling-oak-observation-20] com.myTraining.core.listeners.SimpleEventListener ?? EVENT DETECTED: CHANGED on Resource Path: /content/myTraining/us/test/jcr:content
30.03.2025 13:47:44.876 "ERROR" [sling-oak-observation-7] com.myTraining.core.listeners.SimpleEventListener ?? EVENT DETECTED: CHANGED on Resource Path: /content/myTraining/us/test/jcr:content
30.03.2025 13:47:44.881 "ERROR" [sling-oak-observation-13] com.myTraining.core.listeners.SimpleEventListener ?? EVENT DETECTED: CHANGED on Resource Path: /content/myTraining/us/test/jcr:content
30.03.2025 13:47:44.895 "ERROR" [sling-oak-observation-6] com.myTraining.core.listeners.SimpleEventListener ?? EVENT DETECTED: REMOVED on Resource Path: /content/myTraining/us/test
```

## Verifying Sling Job Execution in AEM

### Steps to Check:

1. **Navigate to Jobs Console:**
  - Go to AEM Start → Tools → Operations → Jobs.
  - Ensure your custom Sling Job appears in the list.
2. **Check Logs:**
  - Open error.log file located at crx-quickstart/logs/error.log





### 3. Verify Scheduler Execution Steps

to Check:

- Wait for **5 minutes** after deploying the scheduler.
- **Check Logs:** ○ Open error.log and look for "**Yellow World**" printed at every 5-minute interval.

**Expected Output in Logs:**

Yellow World printed by Scheduler

### 4. Verify User Group & Permissions

**Steps to Check:**

- Go to **AEM Start → Tools → Security → Groups**.
- Find "**Dev Author**" group and open it.
- Ensure the three users are **added**.
- Check **Permissions**:
  - Go to **/useradmin** (<http://localhost:4502/useradmin>).
  - Select the group and verify **Read access** is set for **/content** and **/dam**.

- Ensure **Replication Access** is enabled under **Replicator Permissions**.

### Test Permissions by Logging in as a User in the Group


- Login with one of the created users.
- Try to **view** a page under /content and an asset in /dam.
- Try **editing** or **deleting** content (should be restricted).
- Try **replicating** content (should be allowed).

Edit Group Settings For Dev Author

CancelSave & Close

ActivateDeactivate

DetailsMembers



New Photo

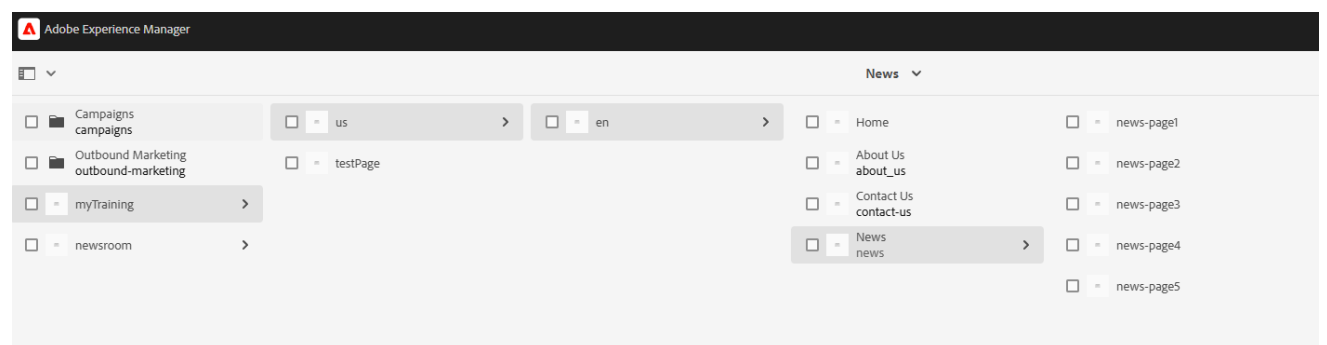
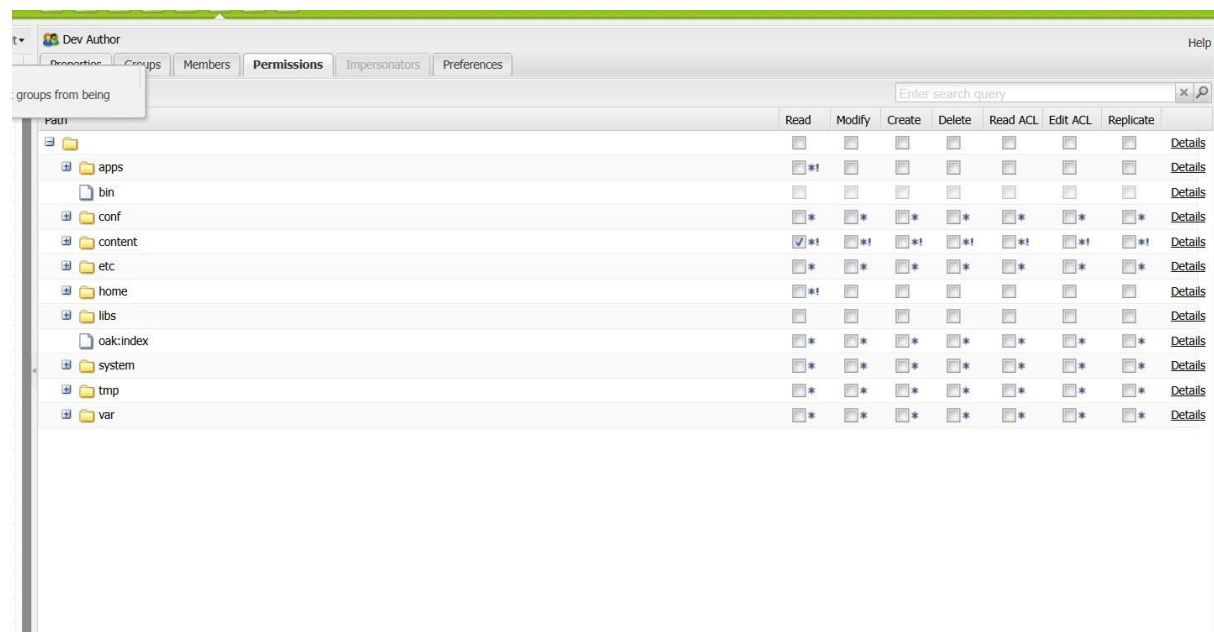
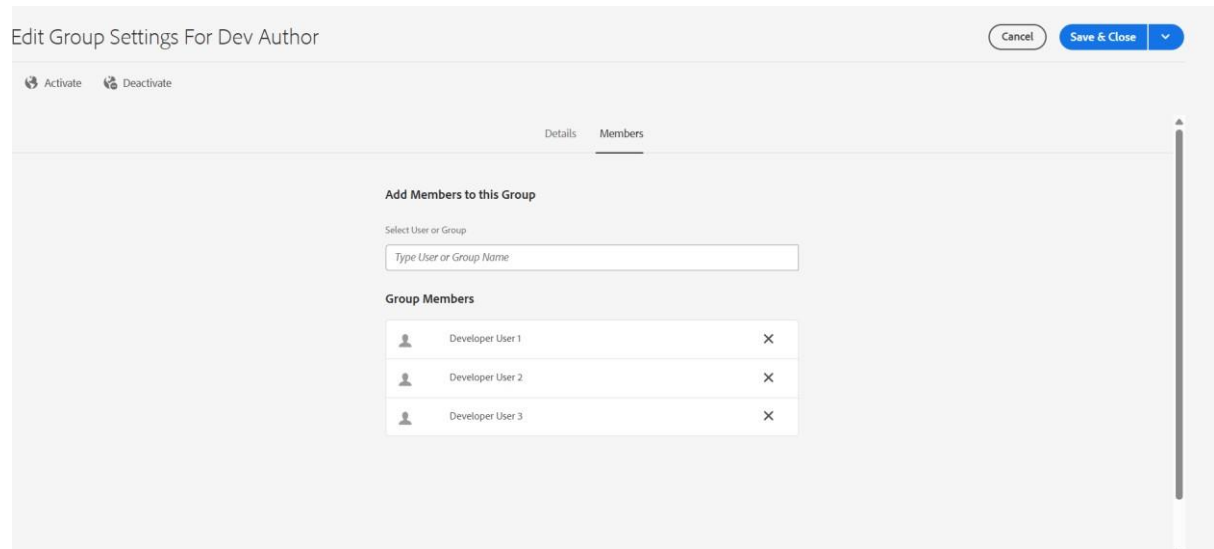
ID \*

dev-author

Name

Dev Author

Description



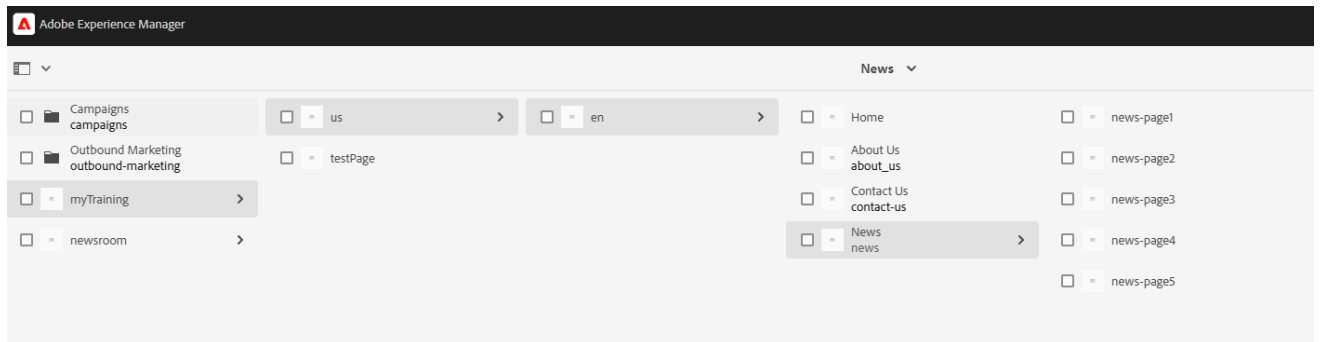
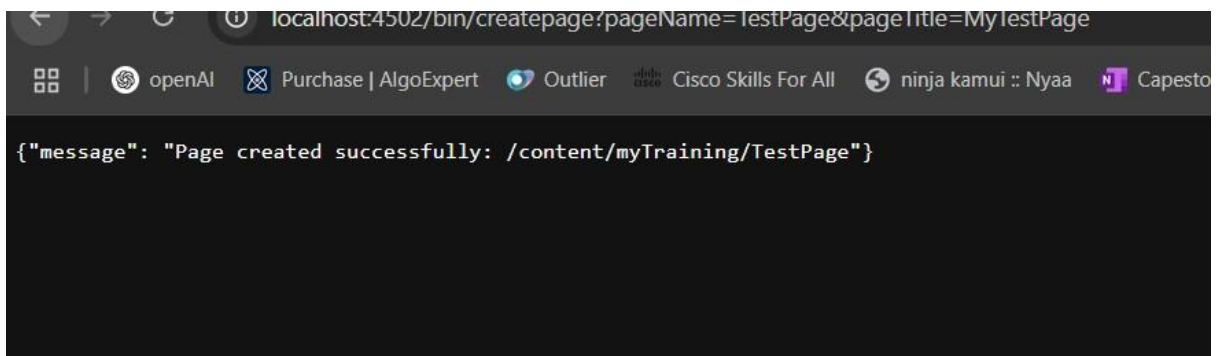
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### 1. SampleServlet (resourceType-based registration) Check

#### Output:

- **URL Format:** `http://localhost:4502/content/samplepage.sample.json` • Replace samplepage with the actual page where you registered the servlet.
- If it returns the expected JSON response, the servlet is working.

### 2. CreatePageServlet (Registered via path) Check Output:

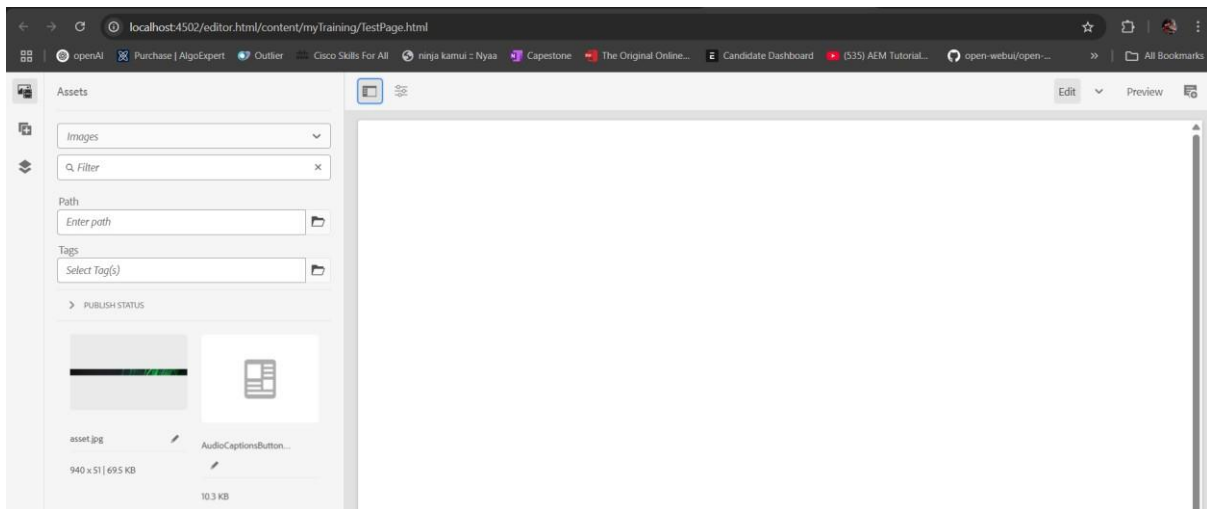


### 3. Page Creation Using PageManager API Check Output:

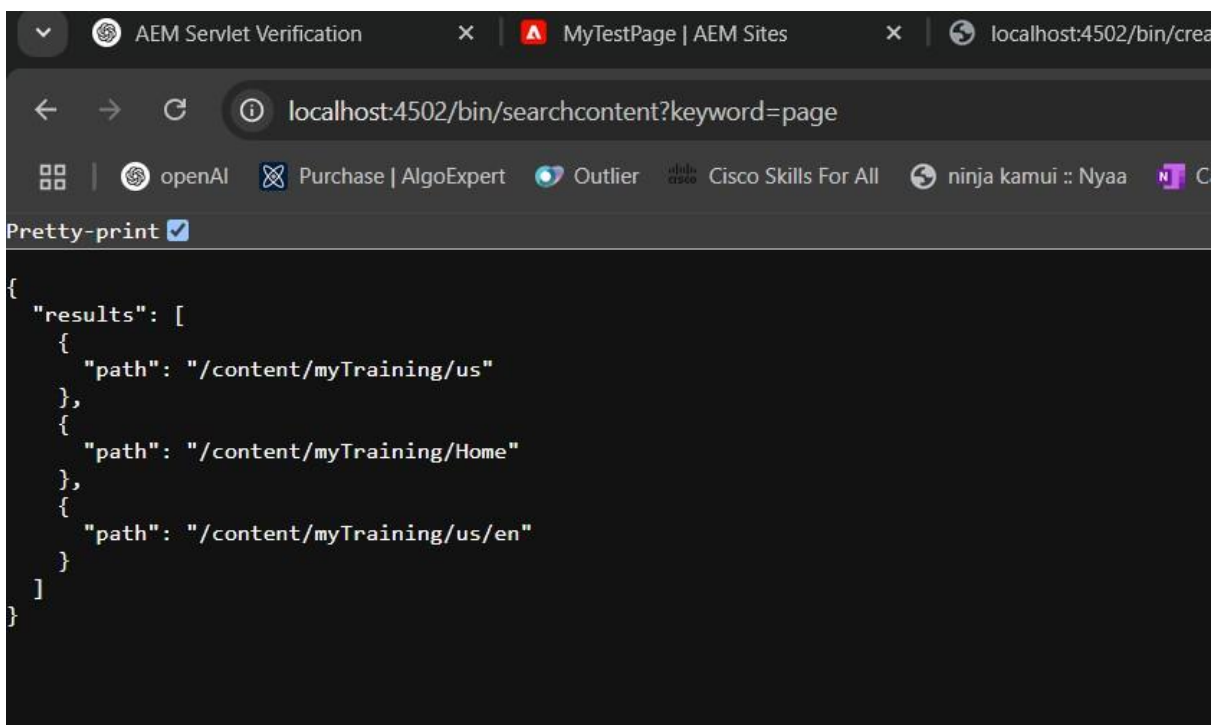
#### • Steps:

1. Run CreatePageServlet (Step 2).

Page created:

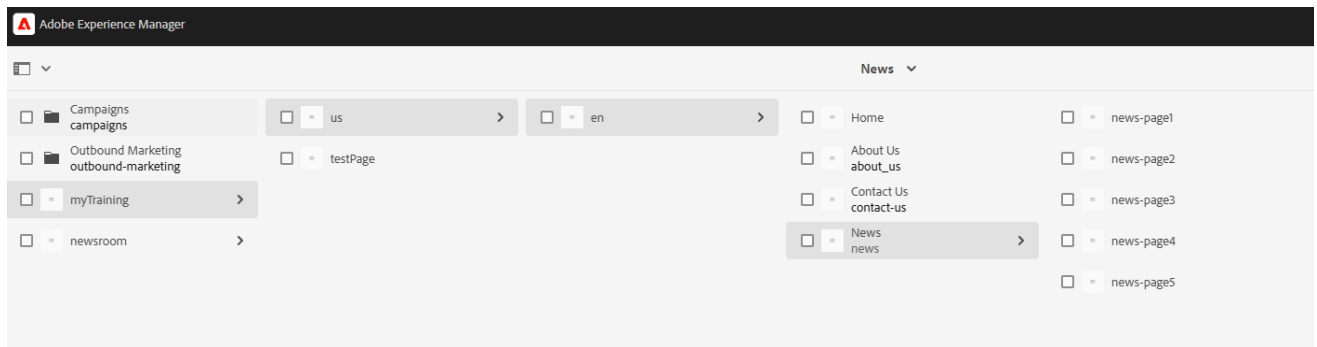


#### 4. SearchServlet (PredicateMap-based search)

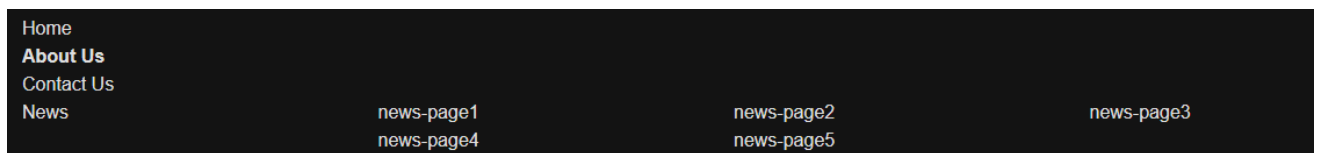


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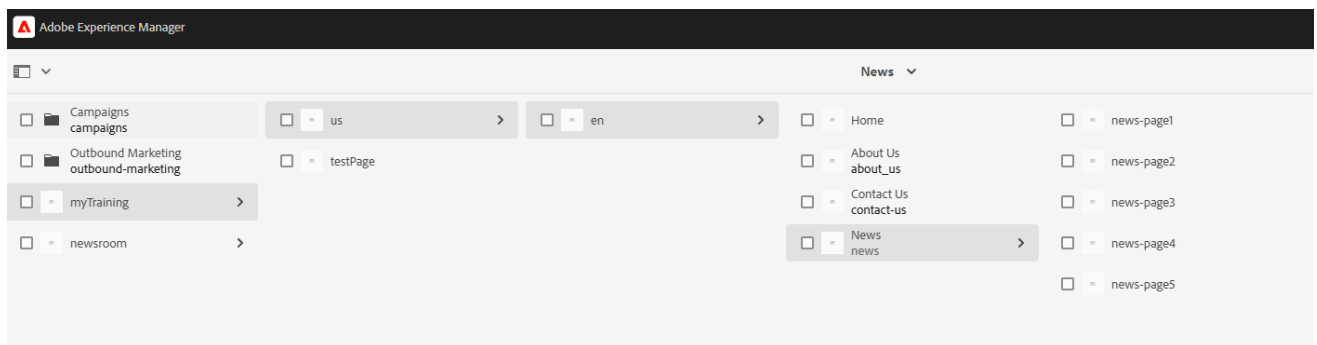
Task 1: Create 5 News Article Pages under /content/us/en/news



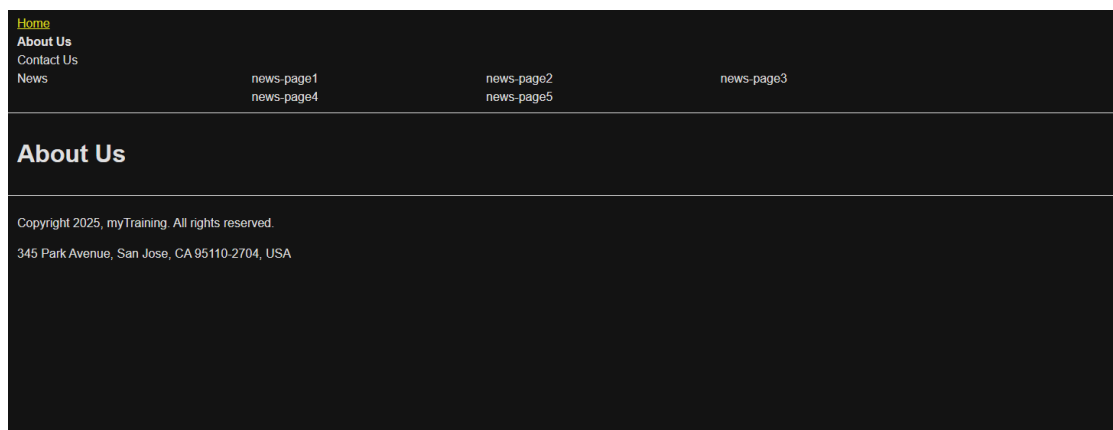
## Task 2: Create Header Experience Fragment and Use These Pages as Menu



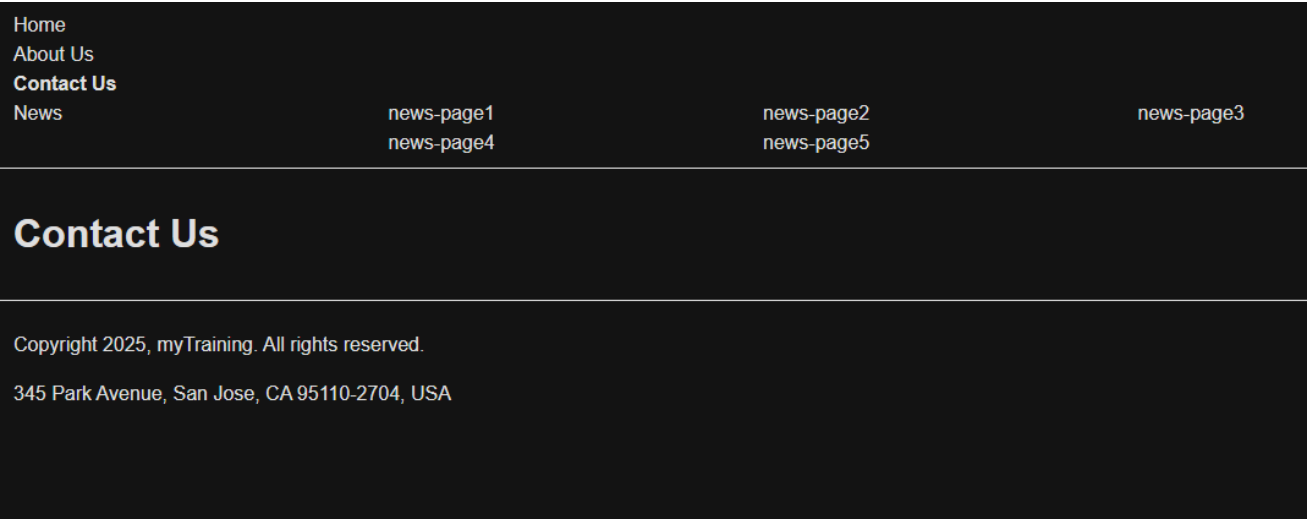
## Task 3: Create "Contact Us" and "About Me" Pages



About me page:



Contact page:



Task 4: Create Footer Experience Fragment with 4 Sections

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Step 3: Create a Site Using MSM with us/en as the Source

