

# Fortran Specialist Group Web Editor's Report 2022-2023

Only minimal changes to the website were made this year, for example small corrections to pages and updates for the committee membership along with the announcement for the 2023 AGM and meeting.

Looking forward to 2024 we need to consider how to maintain the considerable historic content we have and if we can or should keep it consistent with BCS website styling. We have been told that direct editing of the main BCS website is not possible, it was our intention to have a new site for the wider Fortran / Scientific & Engineering Computing group and keep the old Fortran site for its historical content but we need to be sure that can still be maintained as it relies on BCS styling external to the content we develop.

At present, BCS groups are taking different approaches to their sites...

1. Information in [Member Communities](#) section of the BCS Website:  
[Data Management specialist group](#)  
[Animation and Games Development Specialist Group](#)  
[Computer Conservation Society](#)
2. Accessible in a separate domain from main BCS website:  
BCS SGAI: The Specialist Group on Artificial Intelligence (<http://www.bcs-sgai.org/>)  
Advanced Programming Specialist Group (<https://apsg.bcs.org/>)

Groups in the first category have very limited information about their group and events. Groups in the second category either have limited information in a style similar to the current BCS website or completely independent websites. The same distinction applies to Branches, examples of branches with sites very similar in style to our group site are the [Aberdeen](#) and [Edinburgh](#) branches.

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