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„Sailing in the open sea - Pirate design for tomorrow“

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About this Documentation

What you will find in this document is the complete documentation of the open space event that was held on 2 days during the PPI conference in March 2011.

After an initial round circle, where the principles of open space were explained, the participants created the agenda for the next 2 days based on the issues they had brought with them.

About 1 hour later, they started working together in 24 distinctive workgroups, self-organized over the next 1½ days. Then they reviewed their work and created unique projects that will carry the work beyond the initial creative power of the open space to resolve the issues raised.



DAY 1	
9:00	Begin Conference
11:00	Opening Open Space Collecting Issues Marketplace
	Work groups starting -12:15
13:30	Lunch Break
-14:30	Voting Blocks
-15:45	13-14 Memberships
-17:00	17-18 Statutes amendments
18:00	Reports Deadline Contact List Deadline
18:15	Evening Round
18:30	End of Day 1
19:17	LAST BUS! (15 min Walk)

DAY 2	
8:00	Coffee Break 8:15-8:45 Discussion and Fee
9:00	Morning Round - New Issues
9:45	Workgroups starting -9:45 -11:00
10:30-12:00	Deadline for Contact List
10:30-12:00	Reports PPI Board Presolution of Board Candidates
12-13:00	Lunch Break
13:00	Lunch Round
13:10	Reaching and Argumentation Phase Outlook and Action Planning
14:00	*30 Reflection *20 Collecting Projects *40 Working on Projects *10 present next steps *20 Discuss + Meeting
16:00	Evening Circle / End of open space
16:30	Closing Keynote Rick Falkvinge
17:00	Official End of Conference

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Open Space Technology – be prepared to be surprised!

Open Space Technology (OST) offers a revolutionary way of working – regarding theory, practice and terminology – for organizational transformation and conflict resolution. It requires a completely different form of facilitation. Emerging in the late 1980s, Open Space manifests the revolutionary shift from organizational development to organizational transformation. Based on the theories of Self-Organizing Systems and Chaos, and Complex Adaptive Systems, Open Space Technology has developed into the main working approach in the realm of transformation. It is particularly characterized by the “invisible presence” of the facilitator, the absence of a preset agenda and its lack of imposed structure and control. At the same time, Open Space Technology gatherings turn out to be very structured and controlled – by the people involved. In this way they meet the needs of the participants infinitely better than any pre-planning could ever achieve. Open Space unleashes the full potential of groups and systems, welcoming both conflict and surprise, and relying on the individual’s responsibility and participation based on passion.

Concept of a neverending coffee break

In conferences, important things happen during coffee breaks. There, participants discuss what really matters to them. They exchange ideas, laughter, sorrows, they network and plan projects. Based on this phenomenon, Open Space emerged. In other words, Open Space is one big break – with all its characteristics: energetic, self-organizing, adapted by participants to their needs, unpredictable, chaotic, spontaneous, very productive and definitely fun.

Open Space Technology is a deceptively simple approach to meetings in which groups of from five to more than two thousand people quickly self-organize to deal productively and constructively with complex issues in a very short time (HO 2000:10).

Basic to Open Space are ...

- The Circle – Real things happen in circles, where there’s no above or below, no “we” or “them”.
- Breath – When people are “out of Breath” good things cannot happen. They first have to find their rhythm for cooperation and learning.
- Bulletin Board – People share their passions and their concerns with each other.
- The Market Place – People offer, choose and bargain.

Open Space always works!

It increases effectiveness and commitment. Participants gain new insights, energy and sense of direction and plan actions complete with tangible next steps.

OST has worked in all kinds of organizations and cultures around the planet: small businesses, large corporations, parishes, cooperatives, community based groups, neighborhoods, government departments, schools, networks and families.

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No preset agenda

People come together in a circle. After the opening of the space, everyone has the opportunity to post issues and questions they care about. Within the first hour and a half of the gathering, participants create an agenda and self-organize in parallel breakout sessions.

Self-organization

Every issue may be addressed. In order to move forward, there is no better way than to start from what a person is passionate about. All those who share the same or a similar interest, question or concern get together to work on it. Team learning and cooperation take place. The potential for commitment is increased because participants take ownership of issues and procedures. That way, the greatest share of hidden resources within the system is activated.

The role of the facilitator

Following the welcome and the opening of the space by the sponsor, the Open Space facilitator introduces the process. Afterwards the facilitator's main task is to manage time and space. Non-intervention keeps the space open for self-organization and the unfolding of the power of the participants and the system. The facilitator knows that participants are competent and able to manage all situations – even when there is a lot of conflict. Using this approach the result is powerful effective learning, planning, decision-making and action. It strengthens what is already there: passion, participation, responsibility and performance.

Documentation and Outcome

Open Space Technology is an action-oriented approach. Already during the event the participants start taking responsibility for putting the next steps into practice.

During the process, outputs are published on the Documentation Wall. In this way, everyone can follow what is happening in all other groups. Towards the end, the participants develop action plans and create action groups. On the last day, everybody receives the complete documentation (book of proceedings) containing an index, short reports on the issues explored and actions that are planned. It also includes the names of the participants in each group and a contact list of everybody involved. This information supports the development of rich and diverse networks and the sustainability of further steps (the Action Planning).

Prerequisites for Open Space Technology gatherings

Open Space Technology is not a recipe for every situation. It is a great approach for exploring issues, planning for the future, navigating through chaos and conflict, building teams, improving communication and (re)energizing an organization. It is not useful in situations in which people think they know the answer already. Leaders who initiate Open Space must be ready for the unexpected and be open to change. Their intention should be transparent. The theme for the meeting should represent a real issue of interest.

This text was compiled by Juliane Ade, boscop eg, from the rich resources of Open Space workers worldwide.

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Four principles one law two apparitions and one admonition

1. “Whoever comes are the right people”

Whoever shows up and whatever number shows up for the event, they are the right people to take up the issues raised, because they are the ones who care. They care in many different ways and that makes the exchange diverse and rich. Thus it is possible to consider the questions from a lot of different angles, through different lenses.

2. “Whatever happens is the only thing that could have”

... is an invitation to concentrate on what is and what has a meaning to you. It is about getting rid of should have beens, might have beens, could have beens, that occupy time and space one can use for better and more enjoyable things.

3. “Whenever it starts is the right time”

This principle is about the fact that things usually do not start when we say so or want them to. If a meeting starts it is rather seldom that creativity breaks out at once and therefore it is a good thing to remember that “whenever it starts is the right time”.

4. “When it’s over, it’s over / When it’s not over, it’s not over”

...is about the use of time. When a job is done before meeting time is over, we should leave and do other things. On the other hand, when talk, just when the meeting is supposed to be over, finally gets down to the point – obviously it is not over...

“The law of two feet or the law of mobility”

...is very simple, but it is the most complex part: If at any time during an Open Space event you find yourself in a situation where you neither learn nor contribute, you move to another place that is more productive for you. In other words: If you find your mind wandering, you let your body follow and honor the group with your absence.



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When people follow the law there are two apparitions or creatures:

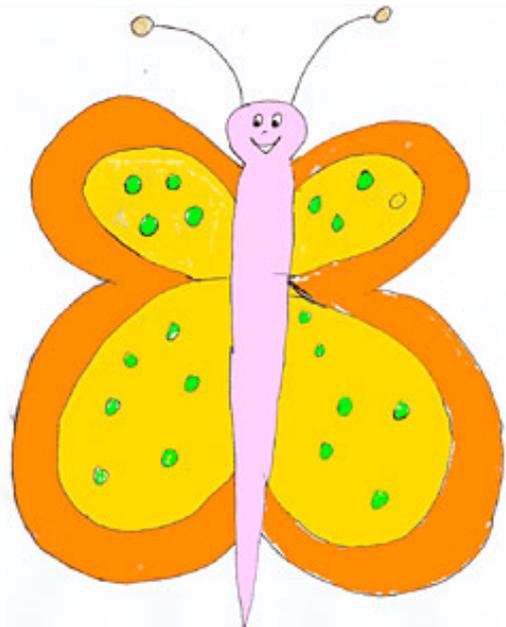


Bumble bees

are all sorts of people – industrious, fastidious, fidgety, inquisitive, whatever – that use the law of mobility. They buzz in and out of a group, collecting and spreading information, ideas, thoughts. They stimulate, fertilize, create synergy and sometimes they provide exactly the missing part for a group to come up with an idea that makes the difference.

Butterflies

are people that do not – sometimes never – make it into a session. They can be found at the buffet, outside in the park, and you might wonder why they came or why they stay. They are centers of inactivity and therefore they actually have a very important function: There is no intention and nothing is planned, and therefore there is space for the unexpected to happen.



"Be prepared to be surprised!"

...is a reminder that whatever agenda we might have come with, we would do ourselves a favor to put it aside for a while. Since what is possible out of (the diversity of) the group exceeds any expectations a single person might have had, not being open to this can only be a limitation.

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Discussion Group Report

Issue: Journal on Pirate Politics

What did we discuss?

Please write ssds (short / simple / direct / structured) and clear and readable for everyone. Use the provided black fineliner only.

"scientific" articles

longer term view

how to name it?

Lay or informed members

↳ more politically interested readers

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Sven Clement

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Denis Simonet

Joset Collentine

Fabricio

Pascal Gloor

Discussion Group Report

Issue:

ANONYMOUS - DOOS protests

What did we discuss?

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Anonymous - what we agreed on in the debate

- 1) they are no organisation, so there is no organisation to support or condemn.
- 2) People have the right to be anonymous and to protest.
- 3) We support their right to protest
- 4) The focus should be on what actions they are protesting against rather than on the means they use
- 5) They protest for legitimate reasons

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Discussion Group Report

Issue: BRADLEY MANNING

What did we discuss?

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Proposed PPI resolution (by Loz Kaye, ~~etc~~
leader, PPUK).

Participation in process

Support D.M. in media

Convened has (First name and Last name): FINLAY ARCHIBALD
- PIRATE PARTY UK

Attended have (First name and Last name): THOMAS GAUL

Discussion Group Report

Issue: How to kill ICANN?

What did we discuss?

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ICANN - Internet Corporation of Assigned Names and Numbers

Its a non-profit corporation responsible for managing Internet Protocol address spaces, management of the Top Level domain name space. Basically we are not happy that one organization and US Government are in charge of that.

And our ideas of what can we do with this are:

- 1) To buy it by all internet society
- 2) To run an* organization providing the DNS services
- 3) not names but IP addresses - to change to existing system
- * international and transparently organized
- 4) P2P DNS services

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Discussion Group Report

Issue: A network for people run by the people?

What did we discuss?

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Independent networks should spread in most populated places. Then we can work on the problem of connecting these networks. Ensure that these networks are interoperable. Technical education on how to use and provide emergency access to the internet and in case govt. decides to shut down the public network.* Instructions for setting up a node should be as easy as possible and available in local languages.

-HEJH: A KIND OF SCHEME BASED ON CONNECTED NODES (ANTENNA) TO EXPERIMENT, DEVELOPE & ALTERNATIVE NET (MINIX, FREIFUNK)

* Ask of the govt. shutting down node users

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Attended have (First name and Last name):

ANTURO MARTINEZ, ~~MORAGLIO CHIARA~~
Markus Stoff
Stephan Fricker
Flonike Kottacke
TAO/COURCOCA



Discussion Group Report

Issue: New Parties ~~workshop~~ taskforce

What did we discuss?

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- The Steps we need to take to support the creation and establishing of new Pirate Parties
- write a How-to with a flow chart diagram of best Practices
 - provide IT-Infrastructure and Resources (legal, graphics)
 - ↳ Forum, Wiki, Website, mailman, tele/mumble
 - Getting NGOs and Academics to cooperate
 - Forstering partnerships between new and established Parties (Regular Exchange meetings / personal Visits)
 - PPI-Attachees (Newsletter that ~~all~~ information rather than wait for a push)



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Stefan Raynova

Lok Andree PPSLOVENIA

OLIVER (ISA)

Fabricio

+ Others

Josef Ohlsson Collentine (PPSE)



Discussion Group Report

Issue:

Education policies

What did we discuss?

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- Situation in Switzerland 4+3+5 ^{Matura} years, different each ^(States) Cantones
- in Germany: 4+5+8/9 ⁺³ each state different kind of schools ^{of level}
- in Discussion in DE: 6 Years Primary School? no 6 & 8 any more?
- DE Studiengebühren = Twitschen Fee 500,-€, differs on State if not
- CH " = differs from Cantone, from 500 to 2000 CHF: higher Fees for Foreigners
- Open Access (tertiar Education) ^{Semester or Year} → University
- Relative evaluation Systems based on the situation of the child, measuring the improvement rather than absolute values.
- Copyright / Copyleft; Elite ~~vs.~~ Integration
- Kindergarten: Local Dialect; Family + Social Politics } Fulltime service
- Class Sizes, more Teachers
- NL: University Fee very high, 3000€ per year after 4 years of Studium
- support of personal skills, high school rate Waldorf- / Montessori-School
- support of different Levels ~~Abi~~ Matura / Abifur; Stipendia - Support
- NL: free travel card weekdays whole NL country!

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Use of Open Source!

Attended have (First name and Last name):

Thomas Boudeser PPCH
NANJA - PPNL
Tat Mächler - PPCH
Martin Rudel - PPDE



Discussion Group Report

Issue:

Future Statute Amendments

What did we discuss?

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As of now:

- no joint declaration of principles that can be referred to
- no decision making body between GAs
- no definition of legal vote valid vote
- no documentation ^{new} of minority positions
- no powers of the ^{new} arbitrary court to decide if actions of the Board/decisions of the GA procedures etc. comply with the statutes are defined explicitly

Solution:

Change the statutes accordingly

Convened has (First name and Last name):

Stefan Raynova

Attended have (First name and Last name):



Discussion Group Report

Issue:

100% TRANSPARENCY IN PIRATE PARTIES

What did we discuss?

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- Levels in secrecy. Default should be as open as possible but sometimes things need to be discussed behind "closed doors".
- Publish details as openly as possible.
Good to have bank account transfers visible
- ALL money donations HAVE TO BE COMPLETELY TRANSPARENT
- T-SHIRT BUSINESS: Do not run a business ~~to~~ INSIDE THE PARTY. OUTSOURCE IT OR CREATE A COMPANY THAT IS COMPLETELY SEPERATED FROM THE PARTY.
- NEWS: should be independant formally even tho it should publicly announce te affiliation

Convened has (First name and Last name): ROK ANDRJE (PP SLOVENIA)

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Mica Jussa Nikolas Ferjencik
Stefan Frille
David Martinez

Discussion Group Report

Issue:

PIRATE ACADEMY Free Knowledge for Everyone

What did we discuss?

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IT Courses for Older One, whose PC first time "Mausfahrtschule"
IT Security (Comp. email + Harddisk)
Install PC with Open Source (Linux-Distro on HDD/USB-Stick)
Videocut-Seminar / AV

Rules of Disinformation, Marketing
Social Rhetoric, Press Conference, Diplomatic, Moderation, Conflict Management
Competence Simplify Teaching of complex Topics, Fundraising
Languages

Political Education, Privacy, Social+Family, Queer, Environment Protection, Atomic, ...
Discussion → more effective than IT discussion in Web,

Webportal: Instructors Skills, Topic wishes of audience, organize courses
Locations, material, stuff (Beamer, Server...), Social/Medical ID Card with all medical data

Creative Common License, Open Access Wikiiversity?, No censorship
eLearning, Screencast Tutorials

Convened has (First name and Last name):

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~~Simon~~ Simon Schmitt (Lims) FR

Sylvester Heller (Hellboy) PPO



Discussion Group Report

Issue: Pirate Academy - Free Knowledge for Everyone

What did we discuss?

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Link Collection of Pirate Groups with Teaching Experience
↓
of Organisations (CCC, Greenpeace, Amnesty International)
will be migrated into Database of Topics of Instructors
of Web Portal

Viral Marketing → Social Networks (Facebook, mypirats.net, ...) Twitter
→ external Forums
→ Word of Mouth

Convened has (First name and Last name) :

Martin Rudel 'Rhinux' PP DE / PwB

Attended have (First name and Last name) :



Discussion Group Report

Issue: ESTABLISHING OF DRM RADIO OF PPI

What did we discuss?

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ESTABLISHING OF DRM RADIO-STATION OF PPI
FOR WORLDWIDE BROADCASTING

- form team for internet-radio
- get technical stuff works.

<10,000 \$

80 kW = 3500 km

Convened has (First name and Last name):

Jurij Alimoff

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Discussion Group Report

Issue:

PPI statement of Principles and Policies

What did we discuss?

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→ PPI should be able to formulate common principles and Policies the members have to commit to

•) PPI should be an open platform without binding its members to anything.

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Attended have (First name and Last name): Daniela Martinesa
OLIVER REUZLER
Stefan Tring



Discussion Group Report

Issue:

Advocacy newsletter
- news from other pirate countries

What did we discuss?

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Digg, Flogger buttons to measure impact. Stats.

Supported by parties / PPI

Bi-weekly newsletter. Divide parties in 2-3 parts =
newsupdate every 6 weeks / party.

Two parts. Curated newsletter + rest of
content dumped in a wiki for ~~part~~ interested to
wiki (docu?) read more

Newsletter would contain tips, advice
"Something to copy" + results from elections
and other news you can use in your country
NOT news specific to only one country

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Discussion Group Report

Issue: HEALING CANNABIS

What did we discuss?

Please write ssds (short / simple / direct / structured) and clear and readable for everyone. Use the provided black fineliner only.

- WE SUPPORT THE MEDICAL USE OF CANNABIS BECAUSE EVERYONE SHOULD HAVE THE RIGHT TO DECIDE THE BEST THERAPY: "THE BOOK IS MINE AND IF I CHOOSE TO USE IT, I WANNA BE FREE TO CONTROL MY BOOK"
- WE SUPPORT A "FAIR USE" BECAUSE THE COLLATERAL EFFECTS OF CANNABIS ARE "LOWER" THAN ALCOHOL
- STIGMATIZE PEOPLE, TO CREATE A SENSE OF GUILT DOES NOT HELP TO SOLVE THE "PROBLEM": IT'S HORRIBLE TREATING PEOPLE WHO SMOKE, LIKE CRIMINALS.
- LEGALIZE "IT": JOIN THE CAUSE TO FIGHT THE MAFIA.
- WE CARE ABOUT FREEDOM OF SPEECH, OF PRESS, OF FACT AND IT SHOULD BE NATURAL TO JOIN THE CAUSE.
- THEY TOLERATE US, BUT WE DON'T HAVE TO ASK FOR THE PERMISSION

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Discussion Group Report

Issue:

PPI Fundraise → TARGET i.e.: To get
 THE MONEY FOR AT LEAST

What did we discuss?

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1¹ a PERSON. EMPLOYMENT - 3015
 COMMUNE - 25
 OFFICE - 125

→ Maybe sth. like a political foundation such as the Heinrich-Böll-Stiftung (Green Party/Germany).

→ Maybe HAVING A IT COMPANY
 "Administrational money?" A lot of stuff has been donated, e.g. the new PPI server.
 But for administrational tasks you should have someone paid because of the time and in order to apply pressure. There are E-bureaus which start with contracts 50€/money.

50k€

option → Membership Fee
 PPI status / official

- FUNDING (DONATION, PRIVATE + CORPORATE)
- 2 → Products / Merchandise, → What PPI can offer to Society? What is acceptable to us?
- Grants for Projects

Convened has (First name and Last name):

Pat Mächler / FABRÍCIO DO CANTO

Attended have (First name and Last name):

ALEKSANDAR BRAGOSJEVIĆ-PP-SR

NANJA -PPNL

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Pat Mächler PP-CH

Sven Clement PP-LU

Discussion Group Report

Issue:

What did we discuss?

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=> Invite leaders from IT to help to support for this little effort to change the Basic Infrastructure (employ 1 Person)

=> Crowd Funds

=> ~~VPN~~ PN

VPN Network

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Discussion Group Report

Issue: INDECT

What did we discuss?

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- 1) What is INDECT about.
- 2) INDECT isn't new, only upgraded
- 3) How can ^{we} you inform people about this project?
- 4) How can you explain this to ordinary people, that everybody has a private-sphere.
- 5) How many people are killed in Favelas and how many in Middle-Europe? "Cameras are no transformers"

Convened has (First name and Last name): Patryk KOPACZYŃSKI - PPO
"bloodybooman"

Attended have (First name and Last name) :

Pascal Fouquet PPS

Luca Jureca PPOE

Sylvester Heller PPO"

Discussion Group Report

Issue:

Ex-Taskforce wikileaks officially move to PPI?

What did we discuss?

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YES!

Combined Effort on wikileaks
current effort in northern africa,
near east

Permanent workgroup for doing stuff
current events.

The board should define the right
place to fit!

What about the criticism to "too much activism"

We need an organisational structure
Missing a general consent on the purpose
of PPI.

~~Thomas Gaul~~

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Denis Simonet (PP-CH)

Thomas Gaul (PP-DE)

Aleks A. Lessmann
(PP-De Press)

Discussion Group Report

Issue: Desertification of Spain

What did we discuss?

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Within the next two or three years, Spain will be desertified by about 95%.
The reasons are tourism and agriculture in arid regions.
The effects will be migration pressure and lack of food in the rest of Europe.
European politics have no interest in making these facts public, because they have no whatsoever ideas how to deal with the problem.
The only countries who have adequate experience are China and Iceland, but so far, no one is willing to carry the costs of programmes to avoid a catastrophe.

Convened has (First name and Last name):

Sylvester Heßler PPO⁴

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Discussion Group Report

Issue:

Language & Pirates

What did we discuss?

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CORRECT

WRONG

copying monopoly
intellectual ~~property~~ poverty
fee collector
entertainment industry
~~dangerous~~ healing, cannabis
copying
restriction

author's rights, copyright
intellectual property
collective administrator, collecting society
creative industry
dangerous drugs like marijuana
stealing
protection

- The correct terms have to be descriptive!
- then the media use it!

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Catherine

NANJA - PPNL

Miri Ferjencik, Ivan Bartos

Discussion Group Report

Issue:

Democracy in Northern Africa

What did we discuss?

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- Leaders revolutions in Tunisia / Maroc
- Internet didn't ignited the revolutions, but transmitted it. Informed people about manacles of government.
- But not all people in Northern Africa admire more freedom / democracy. More education / information done by blogs would be helpful.
- Collaboration between PP of Northern Africa and other PP is necessary. PPI should assist to develop democracy, but should only respond to requests of PP of Northern Africa.
- Contact to foreigners can be harmful for Africans. Secure communication is absolute necessary. Therefore contacts on a personal basis is needed.
- A real change in constitutional matters can only expected from a new elected assembly.

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"guest" from MENA

Discussion Group Report

Issue: EU ELECTIONS CO-ORDINATED CAMPAIGN

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ABLE TO RUN

PP-SE, PP-DE, PP-LU, PP-CZ, PP-UK
PP-FR, PP-NL, PP-BE, PP-ES, PP-FI
PP-RO, PP-IT

IN QUESTION

PP-AT, PP-SL, PP-PT

~~NON-EXISTENT~~
EE, LV, LT, MT, PL, HU, IE, SK, BG, CY, GR

ALMOST IMPOSSIBLE ?? PP-CR
PP-DK PP-SB

Next Steps: Set up a Mailinglist
FINLAY ARCHIBALD (CPPUK)

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about 25 ppl

Discussion Group Report

Issue: Pirate Party
MARKETING

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TARGET GROUP

SHARE LEAFLETS: AT CARS, IT CONFERENCES

FLYERS: INTERNET CAFE, UNIVERSITY (!!!)

You do not have to target professions, just get ppl to join

STUNTS: Organise events with un-singod artists (tickets!)
Find cheap music venues; Beam boxes on buildings (projector/comp + cut-out from cardboard; Culture bombing - get old cds, books etc. put stickers on it, hand it out;

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Discussion Group Report

Issue: Financial Transparency: Could pirates fix the credit system that generates economic crisis?

What did we discuss?

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Introduced a theory of splitting banks by roles, either one:
- deposit bank (keep money, no loan)
- loan bank (borrow money long-term, loans short-term)
- investment bank (borrow money from public, or loan bank, and invest)
Concluded we should develop the theory to take into account many other aspects (like money creation...)

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Attended have (First name and Last name): 3 people

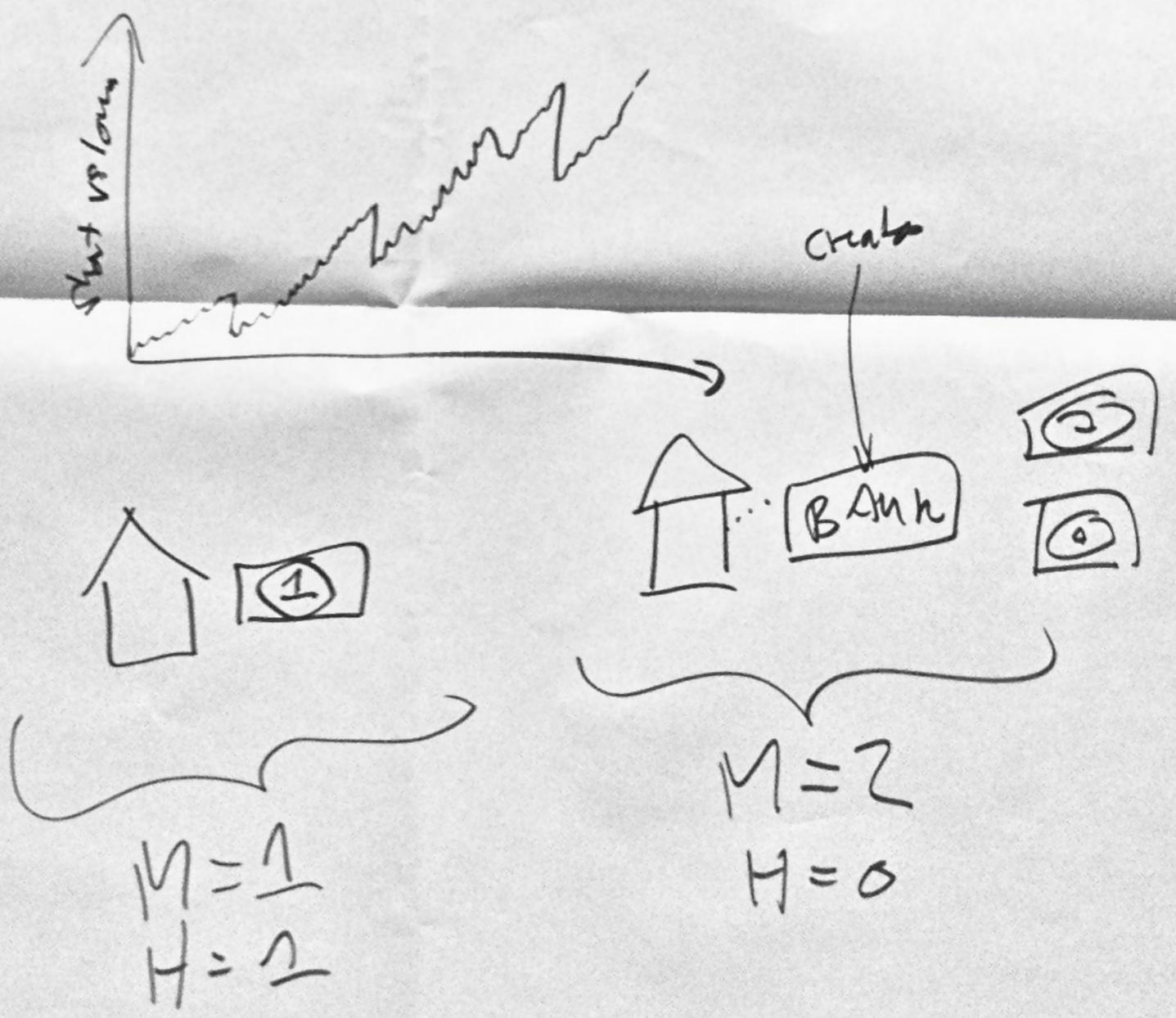
Financial Transparency

Could pirates fix the credit system that generates economic crises?

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Problem: Banks can borrow, lend, and invest without enough control

- Banks manipulate money that is not "real"



Split banks into:

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1) Deposit banks:

- No loans (no overdraft)
- Ensure receipt & payments
- Keep deposit of clients

2) Loan banks:

- Borrow money
- Loan it (shorter term)

3) Investment banks

- Borrow (from public or loan banks)
- Invest in enterprises



Additions, Ideas, Comments, Questions, ... concerning the Issue:

FINANCIAL TRANSPARENCY

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Removing the ill. of money would
lead to less movement and
a stagnating economy. Josef

Discussion Group Report

Issue: The upcoming links between Internet & Democracy
"Democracy 2.0"

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* Going behind voting every few years? (P) See Flipchart

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3 others

THE UPCOMING LINKS BETWEEN

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INTERNET & DEMOCRACY

"DEMOCRACY 2.0"

RMS: "go beyond voting every few
year" (or PPI ML)

Note: This is not a reform for today,
but a reflexion for where we could be
heading to...

⊕ Could we delegate our vote to politicians
with the possibility to switch of representant at any time?

⊕ Citizens get back control

⊖ Some people elected for 2-3 day...
Inconsistency

* Combine the two system?

- Same election of the Parliament

- But citizens can switch who
actually in the Parliament represents them.

⊕ Fixes inconsistency

⊖ Media focuses attention on a few % of the MP.
⇒ Power concentrated into the hands of a few.

○ Freedom of speech, Internet and democracy, transparency
⇒ Initiatives like nosclipatas.fr (our MP.com?)

⊗ Absolute transparency is necessary

⊗ Dangerous: even less stability of votes

(*) Make people work together instead
of competing ... how?

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(*) Getting & sharing information
- Then give good feedback

(⇒) Politicians need a feedback, to know what we want

(*) ~~Do not~~ Do not focus only on politicians.

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Projects / Next Steps

1. EU-Elections Coordinated Campaign
2. PIRATE ACADEMY
3. A network for the people run by the people
4. HEALING CANABIS

EU & WORLDWIDE SUPPORT

5. PIRATE DICTIONARY „COPYING MONOPOLY“

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EU-Electrons Coordinated Campaign

- **All who participate**

First and Last name

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What / Who / When / Where / How

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