

Tools & How to lobby the EU - Tools

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Plan

- ▶ Irc/xmpp/others
- ▶ Twitter
- ▶ Etherpad(lite)
- ▶ Wiki/mailling list/forums...
- ▶ Mumble/skype
- ▶ Parltrack
- ▶ The Political Memory
- ▶ Piphone
- ▶ Pippi Longstring
- ▶ RespectMyNet
- ▶ Press review tools

IRC/XMPP (jabber)/others

- ▶ Remember that they exist
- ▶ Useful for working and fast communications
- ▶ Won't work on a too small community
- ▶ Very geeky, will cut you out of a lot of people (web interfaces helps)
- ▶ Don't use it if you aren't used to it
- ▶ Cool irc bot usage: example of UnGarage (collaborative posting and information gathering)

Twitter

- ▶ Very useful for communicating to the world
- ▶ If you have for purpose to inform people, you sadly **must** be on it
- ▶ You don't post frequently on it? You don't exist

Etherpad(-lite)

- ▶ Very, **very** efficient for collaborative writing, we use it a **lot**
- ▶ Can also serve for translations, transcriptions, calling list (wd12) etc...
- ▶ Can be used for organisation (eg: RegardsCitoyens)
- ▶ Demo?
- ▶ Free software (java/node.js)

Wiki/Mailing list/forums ...

- ▶ Also remember that they exist
- ▶ Wiki: very useful but need either active members or big community
- ▶ Mailing list: probably the most easy and efficient way to communicate in a community
- ▶ Forum: in my experience not very efficient: high maintenance, not very efficient for achieving things but very easy for people to participate

Mumble/Skype

- ▶ Again, remember that they exist
- ▶ Very useful for intense work
- ▶ Avoid Skype if possible

Parltrack

- ▶ Share with the Political Memory MEPs listing but is less powerfull on that regards (not the objective)
- ▶ Is used to track dossiers
- ▶ Custom alerts
- ▶ Free Software

The Political Memory

- ▶ For citizens and activists
- ▶ World domination plan: you should use it!
- ▶ MEPs by floor/committee/countries/scores etc...
- ▶ CSV export on listings
- ▶ Data visualizations
- ▶ API
- ▶ Free Software

Piphone

- ▶ SIP + web interface
- ▶ Free call + automade campaign tool with automatic feedback form
- ▶ Free Software

Pippi Longstring

- ▶ Compare texts (eg: ACTA vs CETA)
- ▶ Still need to pass by stf
- ▶ Free Software

RespectMyNet

- ▶ Collecting net neutrality violations
- ▶ Could be re-used
- ▶ Free Software

Press Review

- ▶ Very good for informing people
- ▶ Lot of interesting traffic on twitter with relevant informations
-> lot of followers
- ▶ Easy for new commers to contribute
- ▶ Chain of verifications
- ▶ We don't have generic enough software to give to you for that
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