



Git Your City Together

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What You Will Learn

- How To Bootstrap
- How To Get Resources
- How To Be Sustainable

Infrastructure



- Github Pages
- Twitter Bootstrap
- Font Awesome
- Google Groups
- Calagator
- Twitter/LinkedIn/etc

Origin Story

- GSoC Mentor Summit Oct 2010
- Git Together Developer Conf Oct 2010
- GSoC Mentor Summit Oct 2011
- Git Together Developer Conf Oct 2011
- Feb 2012 First Meeting
- Aug 2012 2nd Meeting

And then Git Togethers moved to Europe!

Finding Sponsors

- Who depends on Git?
- Who has a hiring frenzy?
- Who just got a funding round?
- Who is the "underdog" ?
- Ask at other user groups
- Libraries/Community Center/University (Venue)
- Local Mozillians

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The Usual Suspects

Without these people @pdxgit would not be possible

- Ben Cullen-Kerney - @beancuke (website)
- Bart Massey (logo and advice)
- Ben Hengst
- Christopher Swenson

/dev/random Tips

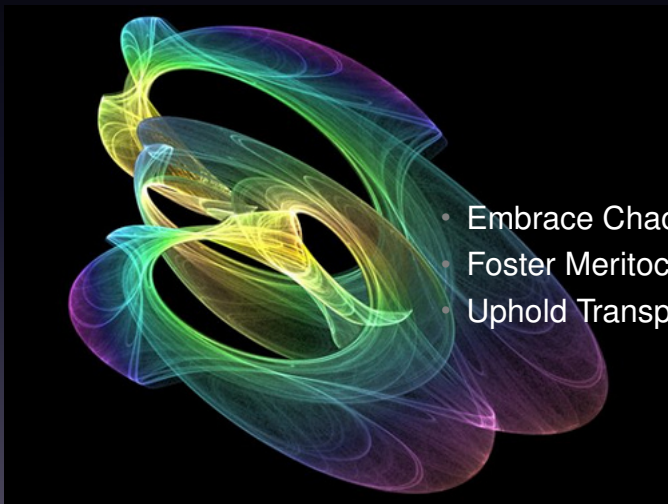
- Don't Do Everything
- Align With Conferences
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Getting Free Stuff



- Venue
- Food
- Schwag
- Publicity

Self-Organizing Communities



- Embrace Chaos
- Foster Meritocracy
- Uphold Transparency

Community Guidelines



- Define Publicly
- Modify Publicly
- Enforce Publicly

Stay Sustainable

- Rotating leadership
- Focused Projects
- Mix Things Up

Some Meeting Formats

- One Long Talk
- Lots of Small Talks
- Two or three 15/20 minute slots
- Co-hacking

Checklist

- Create a Github Org for your Clone
- Fork github.com/pdxgit/pdxgit.github.com
- Rename your repo ORG/NAME.github.io
- Register a domain
- Change CNAME file to be your domain
- Configure DNS → Github Pages
- Create a Google/FB/LinkedIn etc Group
- Get a Twitter/broadcast Account
- Update links/content

Dedication



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git merge -s=social

Mahalo!



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