

Community as a Resource

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Who am I?

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Before We Start

- Most things here are based on my experience & opinion
- Hopefully you will get some insights from this :)
- Having different experience/opinions? Let me know.

Community



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Resource



Resource

A stock or supply of money, materials, staff, and other assets that **can be drawn** on by a person or organization in order **to function effectively.**

Community as a Resource



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- People in community has common interest
 - Most likely you will find something interesting.
- Everyone is unique
 - Most likely you will find someone with **different** set of knowledge/experience.



Community as a Resource

- People in community has common interest
- Everyone is unique
- Naturally you will be able to **take/give** something

Take and Give

CHANGING THE COURSE OF THE FUTURE
REVEALS THE WORLD AS IT IS



PLANNING THE FUTURE
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HUMAN KIND
CANNOT GAIN ANYTHING

○ ○ ○ WITHOUT FIRST ○ ○ ○

GIVING SOMETHING

IN RETURN.

○ ○ ○ TO OBTAIN, ○ ○ ○

something of equal value

must be lost

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Take & Give

(The Law of Equal Trading)

TAKE

- Knowledge
- Insights
- New friends/Exposure
- Job offer
- Free swags
- Public Speaking

GIVE

- Knowledge
- Insights
- Ideas
- Money
- Effort
- Time

Giving to The Community

- **Knowledge & Insight:** nothing to lose
- **Ideas:** Ideas can be expensive
- **Money:** Tangible, measurable, however the value is subjective
- **Effort:** Effort can be expensive
- **Time:** Time is irreversible



My Experience

INC-Malang



INC-Malang

INC (Indonesia Nunchaku Club) is a community focusing on nunchaku free-style. Occasionally we also do a bit of fire-dancing, tricking, and everything else.

INC-Malang members are mostly millennials.

FB: <https://www.facebook.com/incmalang/>

IG: <https://www.instagram.com/incmalang/>

INC-Malang

I take

- Skill
- Confidence
- Courage
- Friends
- Toys :)

I give

- Ideas
- Effort
- Time
- Money

Facebook DevC Malang



Facebook DevC Malang

Forum for developers in Malang and its surroundings who are interested in building on the Facebook platform to interact and collaborate with other developers who share similar interest.

DevC members are mostly professional developers and IT students

FB: <https://www.facebook.com/groups/DevCMalang>

Facebook DevC Malang

I take

- Knowledge
- Insights
- Exposure
- **Job (at kata.ai) :)**

I give

- Ideas
- Time

Tips & Tricks

Joining Community

- Stalk their social media account
- Join their local gathering
- Participate



Find Mentors/Friends

- Andi N. Nugroho (Traveloka, DevC Lead)
- Reyhan Sofian Haqqi (Kata.ai, DevC Lead)
- Agastya Darma (Kumparan, DevC Lead)
- M Luthfi (Bukalapak, DevC Crew)
- Edi Santoso (Kata.ai, DevC Member)
- Dian Haniffudi Subhi (Polinema, DevC Member)

Find Mentors/Friends

- Aditya Purwa (Kata.ai, DevC Crew)
- M Nindra Zaka (Polinema, DevC Crew)
- Go Frendi (Kata.ai, STIKI, DevC Crew)
- And many more...

Other things

- Most communities are non-profit
- Manage your expectation
- Have fun, you never know what you'll get :)



Always Giving Back

At kata.ai we encourage giving back to community

- Github Repos: <https://github.com/kata-ai>
- Wicara (DLS): <https://wicara-storybook.netlify.com>
- Kata platform (Building chatbot in minutes):
<https://platform.kata.ai>

Company as Community

kata.ai, is a massive ever-growing community. We value:

- Friendship
- Sharing
- Inclusion



Join us: career@kata.ai

Conclusion

Community is like a market. The more you make interaction, the more you will get the opportunity to give/receive something