# Building leadership in the journalism code community



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### Journalism code - what is it?

#### Underscore.js (1.6.0)

- » GitHub Repository
- » Annotated Source
- » Underscore-contrib

The project is <u>hosted on GitHub</u>. You can report bugs and discuss features on the <u>issues page</u>, on Freenode in the <u>#documentcloud</u> channel, or send tweets to <u>@documentcloud</u>.

Underscore is an open-source component of <u>DocumentCloud</u>.



### DocumentCloud

The cloud

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#### visualsearch

A Rich Search Box for Real Data

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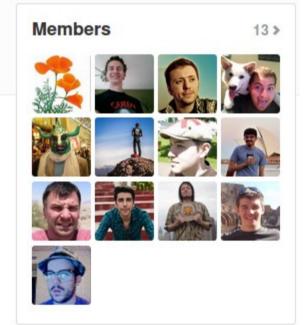
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#### documentcloud

The DocumentCloud platform

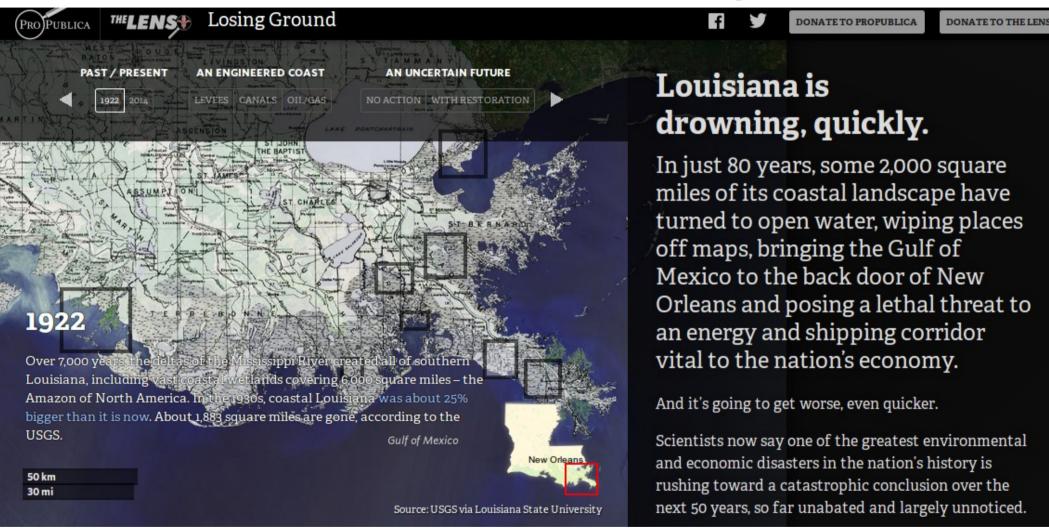
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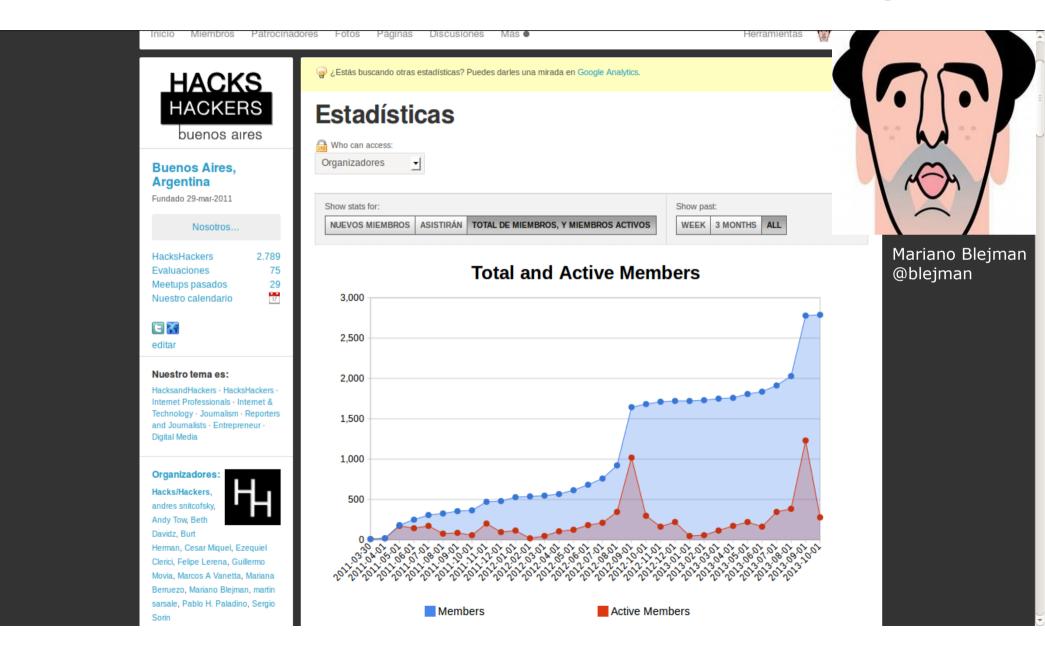
# BACKBONE.JS

## Journalism code that you see



Just launched project on disappearing coastline: http://projects.propublica.org/louisiana/

## Journalism code community?



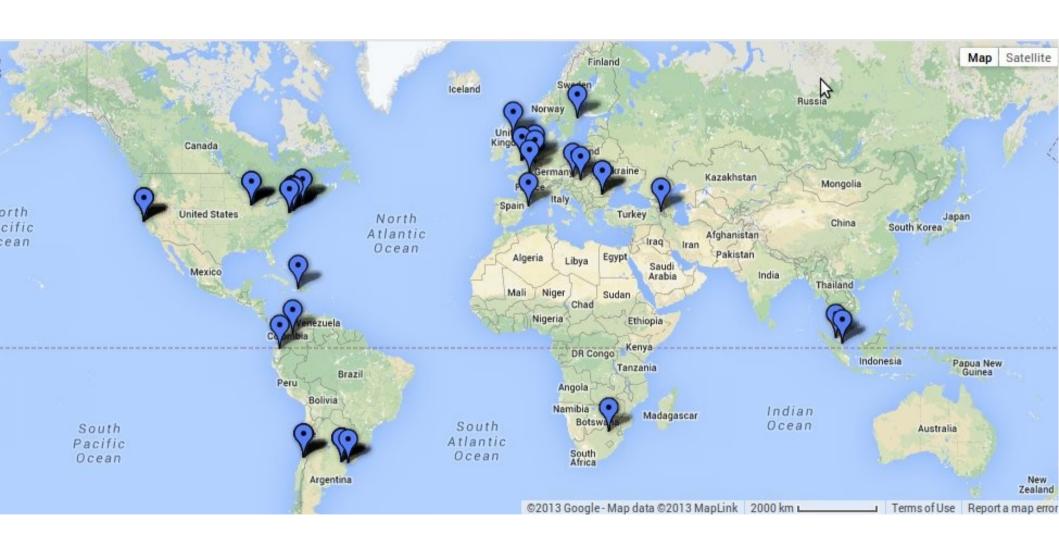
### How does the community grow?

- Connect
- Create
- Lead



Photo: Daniel X O'Neil

### Connect - Communities worldwide



Meet people where they are

### Connect – Foster relationships



Flickr - ifindkarma

### Connect – Learn together

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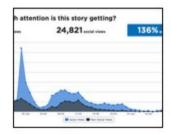




Journalism code and the people who make it

LEARNING / PROCESS

#### BUILDING SMART NEWSROOM TOOLS



By Melody Kramer | & Melody Kramer

OF NPR

Melody Kramer on how a user-centered design process and attention to newsroom culture can

#### **IOURNALISM CODE**

RECENTLY ADDED

#### dailygraphics

Jeremy Bowers, Tyler Fisher, Christopher Groskopf

OF NPR

#### mbtiles2s3

Alan Palazzolo

MinnPost

source.opennews.org

# Create – Pipeline of involvement



Marcos Vanetta, Texas Tribune, @malev

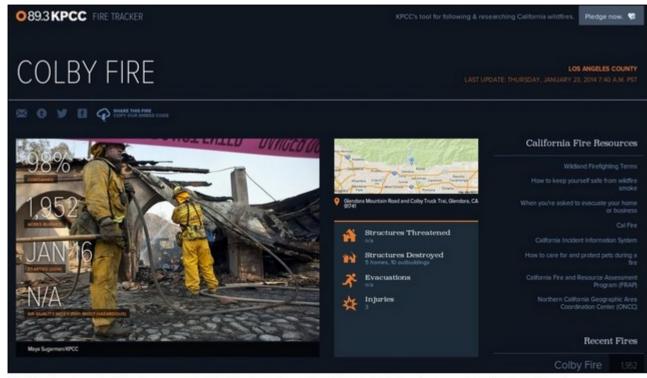






Multiple ways to build together

### Create - Document projects



Fire Tracker launched last summer, but just last week another fire started burning near Glendora, California. (KPCC website)

PROJECT / NATURAL DISASTERS DJANGO TABLETOPJS

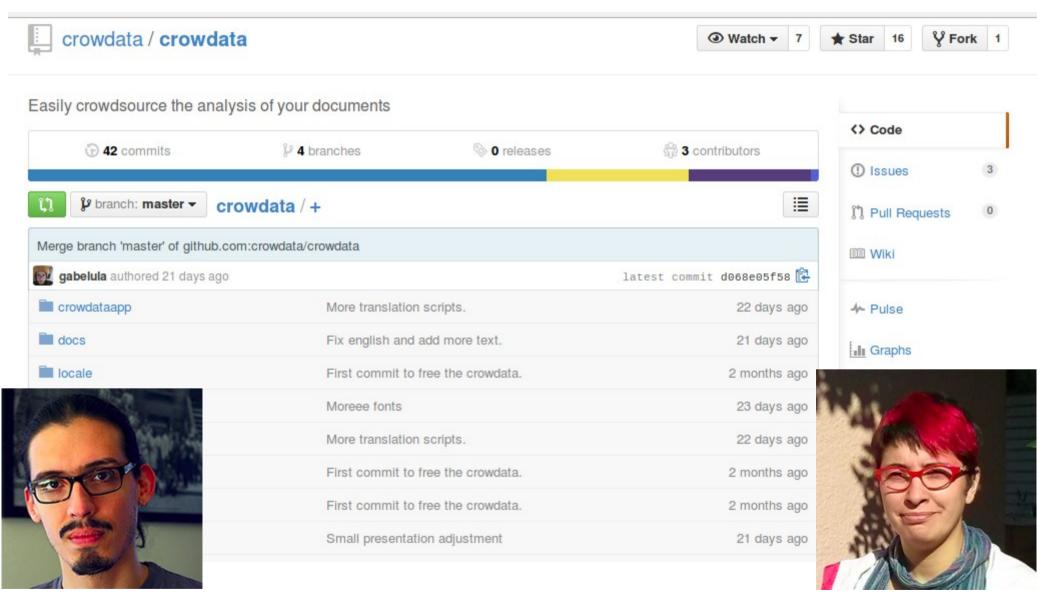
IF YOU BUILD IT, THEY WILL COME...BUT YOU HAVE TO REMIND THEM

How KPCC Built Its Fire Tracker app



Chris Keller, KPCC @ChrisLKeller

### Create - VozData



Manuel Aristarán, @manuelaristaran

Gabriela Rodriguez, La Nacion, @gaba

### Lead - Fellowship



2014 Knight-Mozilla Fellows (Photo: Dan Sinker)

Support new projects and new or deepened connections

### Lead – Launch initiatives

### Code with me: Portland May 4-5, 2013 · 9 a.m.-6 p.m. · Portland, Ore.

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A workshop for beginners

Learn to code with a mentor by your side. You want to learn how to program, but the newsroom always needs you to do something else instead. Maybe you've even tried on your own, but it's hard without compone there to help. At Code with me, a two-day workshop, we pair one

ery two students, and teach you how to code from the

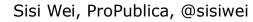
#### Details

The workshop is full and registration is closed.

Workshop cost: \$85



Tom Giratikanon, New York Times, @giratikanon



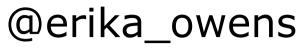
## Lead – Share back



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### Let's lead together

Thank you













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