# Circle Language Spec Plan Events Spec 2010-05 Strategy

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## Background

I had an idea about the basic diagram notation for Events since 2002, but an idea about an acceptable notation for drawing out a multicast event popped into my head now in 2010. Then after having studied and updated document templates for 6 ½ hours, I decided to reward myself with doing another *New Computer Language Functional Design* project: *Events*.

## Parent Project

New Computer Language Functional Design

## Character of the Work

Working out a chapter of documentation.

## Goal

The goal of this project is to work out the *Events* articles.

## Strategy

The strategy mostly was: *improvise*.

But lessons learned from the previous project were kept in mind:

- Pick the easiest topic

- Make a topic list out of existing rough texts, starting over,  
and then using the existing text as a cross out

## Before

Before the project the material was quite limited:

- there were just a couple of pages of loose ideas,

- loose texts coming out of a ± 2005 design of the code generator version,

- loose material coming out of a ± 2003 design of the diagram notation.

## After

After the project the *Events* concept was fully worked out including the diagram notation.

## Time Planning

No particular time planning was adopted.