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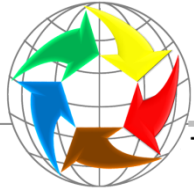
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Building a community on ICT for governance and policy modelling

Implementation through two projects: eGovPoliNet and Crossover

Coordination Actions funded in Framework Programme 7 of the EC
Objective 5.6 ICT solutions for Governance and Policy Modelling





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Strategic backgrounds and status quo

- ❖ Significant societal transitions and drastic changes in economy, climate and demography currently affect societies and social behavior around the globe
- ❖ Longer-term transformation to be mastered and steered well ahead in time
- ❖ Several projects running
 - to respond to challenges and to bring forward solutions to
 - ❖ deploy innovative ICTs to support open governance
 - ❖ facilitate policy development through innovative ICT support
 - to foster disciplinary integration and multi-disciplinary problem solving



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Demands to resolve jointly



- ❖ Joint efforts to achieve substantial contributions to advance the field and to improve economic growth and social welfare
- ❖ Governance and policy making demand
 - appropriate support through governance and policy models, process flows and analytical tools
 - appropriate tools ensuring reliability and validity
 - proper understanding, interpretation, visualisation and harnessing of collaborative online tools

Need for Integration and Joint Efforts



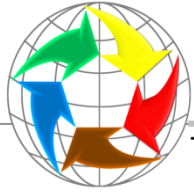
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- ❖ Overcoming traditional fragmentation of research efforts through consolidation, community building, integration
- ❖ Researchers and practitioners to exchange and learn from each other in specific themes
- ❖ Establish respective communities spanning across the globe to discuss advancements and future challenges

eGovPoliNet and crossover to foster co-operation and coordination of research and practice to address issues that could not be solved alone



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Overarching objective



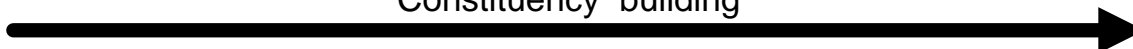
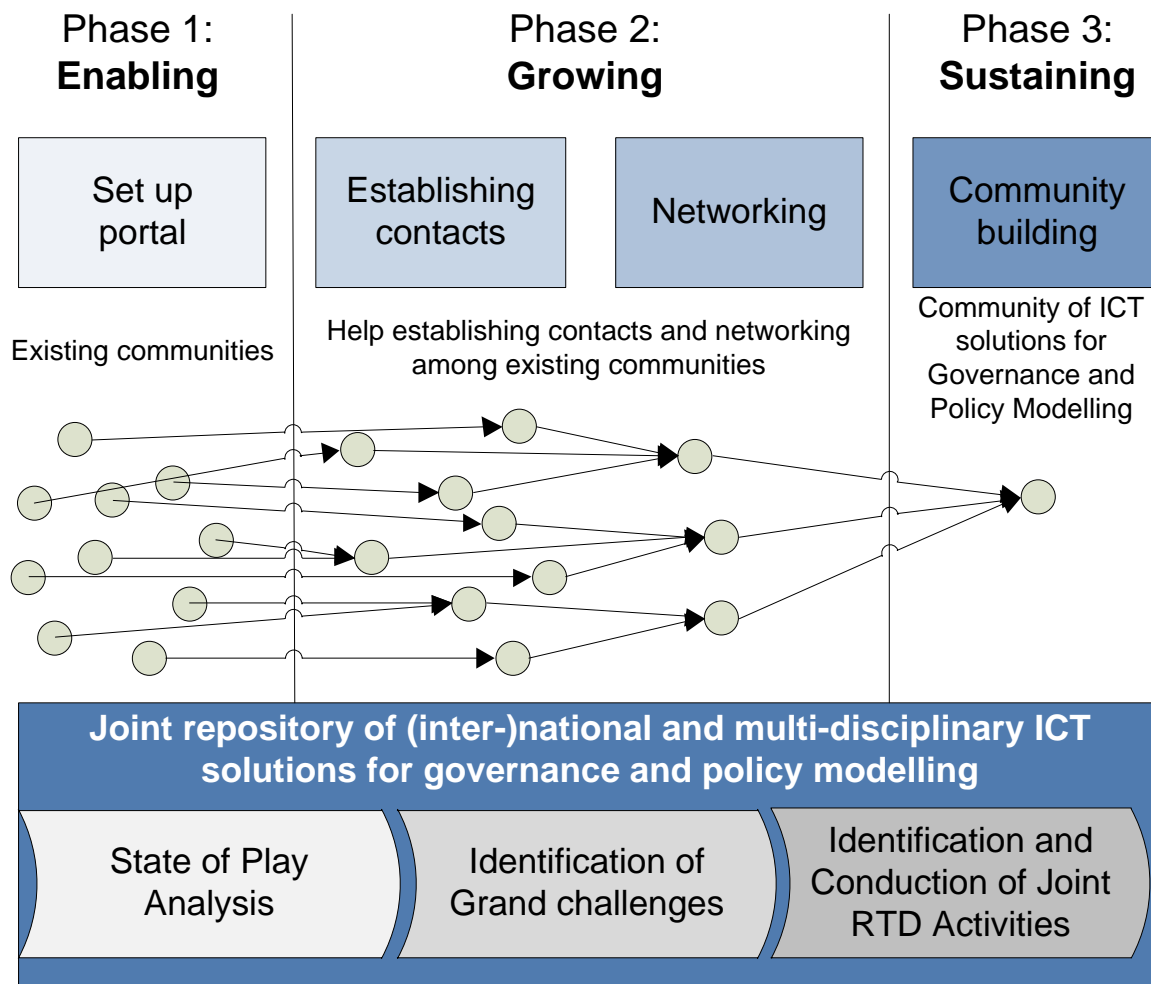
- ❖ Strengthen scientific, technological and social research and practice excellence in digital public governance and policy modelling by
 - integrating the research and practice capacities of individuals and organisations spread across Europe and worldwide
 - including lessons and innovative approaches of the existing projects and future projects

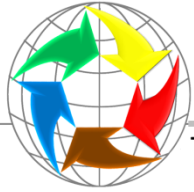


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Concept for international community building





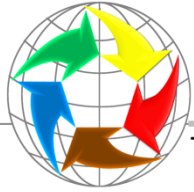
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Expected achievements



- ❖ Establishment of a community
 - Regular interaction via online and offline international and multi-disciplinary constituency building events
- ❖ Set-up and growing of community knowledge portal
- ❖ Studies and comparative analyses of cases and the field
 - Identifying research, practice and development projects
 - Identifying good-practice examples concerning modelling and simulating
 - Investigating and visualising social behaviour for better understanding



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Knowledge portal



- ❖ Cases (applications, sorted along domains) and projects (R&D), mixed
- ❖ Tools & technologies
- ❖ Methods
- ❖ Theories
- ❖ Papers
- ❖ Actors / institutions (who is who)
- ❖ Interrelations among concepts
- ❖ Comparative analyses from cases

Your projects planned to be
in the knowledge base as
cases

Next community building events



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- ❖ June 2012: DG.o Conference, University of Maryland, USA – panel on policy development
- ❖ June 2012: BIG DATA workshop in Brussels
- ❖ September 2012: EGOV and ePart conferences, follow-up workshop with FP 7 projects, focusing on roadmapping future research needs
- ❖ October 2012: ICEGOV 2012, New York, workshop or panel or tutorial on policy modelling
- ❖ December 2012: Workshop in Washington DC on modelling
- ❖ January 2013: Conference



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