ENABLING EUROPEAN E-PARTICIPATION

MAKE YOUR VOICE HEARD!
YOU ARE JUST A CLICK AWAY FROM EUROPEAN POLICIES
The EU has created online tools that everyone can use in all official EU languages. All you need is a computer and internet connection!

**WHY THIS PROJECT?**
Many people just don’t know that these tools exist. We want to raise awareness among European citizens that the EU is not something that happens only in Brussels, but is actually just a click away.

**WHAT IS E-PARTICIPATION AND WHY IS IT IMPORTANT?**
E-Participation is citizens’ participation in policies and policy-making through the help of ICT tools – e.g. signing an online petition for saving a forest or commenting on your mayor’s proposal to renovate a school.

**EU E-PARTICIPATION TOOLS**
- Submit or support a petition to the European Parliament through the Petition Portal http://www.petiport.europarl.europa.eu/petitions/en/registration/form or chat with your MEP on Twitter or Facebook!
- Submit a complaint to SOLVIT http://europa.eu/solvit if you experienced problems in another EU country
- Participate in public consultations launched by the European Commission though Your Voice in Europe portal http://ec.europa.eu/yourvoice
- Initiate or support a European Citizens Initiative http://ec.europa.eu/citizens-initiative/public/welcome
GET INVOLVED

Online Competition
My e-Participation Story
May-June
Citizens from all over Europe can submit their story online

Conference "e-Participation from citizens' perspective" in Brussels
December
Politicians and citizens come together to discuss

European e-Participation Day 7th May 2015
Citizens from 11 countries can participate in national events

e-Participation workshop in Belgrade
September
Telecentre leaders can learn how to introduce e-Participation to their target groups

Training on e-Participation for NGO leaders in Brussels
December
NGO leaders from other fields such as social inclusion and active citizenship learn how to introduce e-Participation in their field

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MAP OF PARTICIPATING COUNTRIES

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