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# EDD15 First preparatory meeting

COMMUNITY



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# Setting the context

# Context – A new College

- **First participation** for President Juncker, HRVP Mogherini and Commissioner Mimica
- **New political guidelines:** greater coherence between external policies and aid instruments
- Not just DEVCO but **all the Commission**
- We have changed our name to **DG International Cooperation and Development**

# Context – What's new?

- **Participation:** More forum attendees
- **Inclusiveness:** More voice to youth
- **Communication:** More stories on websites (EYD2015, capacity4dev.eu, eudevdays.eu)
- **Interactivity:** Introducing an EDD15 App

# Context – What's new?

- **Knowledge sharing:** More field projects and results in the forum's village
- **Free access:** No charges linked to registration
- **Cost sharing:** Session organisers and exhibitors will share set-up and carbon offset costs

# Context - International agenda

## EDD15 will take place:

- 2 weeks after the 2<sup>nd</sup> UN Sustainable Energy for All (SE4ALL) Forum in New York (18-22 May)
- 3 days before the G7 Summit in Germany (8-9 June)
- 1 week before the EU-CELAC Summit in Brussels (10-11 June)
- During the World Economic Forum on Africa (3-4 June)

# Context - European agenda

## EDD15 will take place:

- 1 week after FAC/DEV on 26 May
- 1 day after the *Assises de la Coopération Décentralisée* organised by the CoR (1-2 June)
- During the Green Week organised by DG ENV (1-5 June)

# Context - Post-2015 negotiations

## EDD15 will take place:

- **1 week after FAC/DEV on 26 May**
- **6 weeks before the Third International Conference on Financing for Development in Addis Ababa (16-18 July)**
- **3 months before the UNGA scheduled to adopt the new set of SDGs (25-27 September)**



# Context – EYD 2015

- **Flagship event**
- **High turnout**
- **Showcase innovation**
- **Communicate stories**

**our world**

**our dignity**

**our future**



Stina Soewarta

Head of Unit, Transparency and Communications,  
Directorate-General for International Cooperation  
and Development

**Our world, our dignity,  
our future**

# Thread

- **Challenges are universal and interrelated**
- **Beyond aid - all countries and citizens must tackle shared problems of sustainable development**

**Main thread “Our world, our dignity, our future”**

# Themes

- **Our world - Creating sustainable growth consistent with the limits of our planet**
- **Our dignity – Developing a shared vision consistent with universal and fundamental rights**
- **Our future - Each of our policies can make a difference**
- **Our future - We are all actors in development**

# Our world

## Creating sustainable growth consistent with the limits of our planet

- Halting climate change and building resilience
- Sustainable energy for growth
- An urban world: challenges and opportunities

# Our dignity

**Developing a shared vision consistent with  
universal and fundamental rights**

- **Gender rights**
- **Right to health**
- **Inclusion and inequality**

# Our future

Each of our policies can make a difference

- **Feeding the planet together (PCD)**
- **Fair globalisation (PCD)**
- **Migration (PCD)**

# Our future

**We are all actors in development**

- **Growth and poverty eradication**
- **Global citizenship**
- **Decent jobs**



# Teaming up for another success

## European Commission will organise/host:

- **Opening ceremony**
- **Closing panel**
- **4 high-level panels**
- **8 labs**
- **4 village stands**

## We welcome your submissions for:

- **8 high-level panels**
- **48 lab sessions**
- **56 village stands**

# Next steps

- **Communicate your interest in a given topic and a type of contribution (high-level panel, lab, stand) by next **Monday 9 February 2015** to [programme@eudevdays.eu](mailto:programme@eudevdays.eu)**
- **Submit your session or stand requests online [eudevdays.eu](http://eudevdays.eu) by **Monday 2 March****

The background is a photograph of a museum gallery. The walls are covered with a grid of small photographs. A prominent purple semi-transparent overlay covers the entire image. The text is white and positioned in the upper left and center areas.

Patrice Lenormand

Deputy Head of Unit, Governance, Democracy,  
Gender & Human Rights, Directorate-General for  
International Cooperation and Development

# Human Rights at EDD15

- One event
- One campaign
- One debate
- One area



# National Human Rights Institutions - NHRIs



- **Context:** Independent State bodies with a constitutional and/or legislative mandate to protect and promote human rights
- **Core functions:** Complaint handling, human rights education, recommendations on law reform
- **'Protection gap'** between the rights of individuals and the responsibilities of the State - link between government and civil society

# Event with NHRIs

## Objectives?

- HR and SDGs
- Support NHRIs as new kid on the block

## Who?

- Co-organise with ICC/NHRIs and four regional NHRI networks
- Association of stakeholders (UN, CSOs, EIUC, EU NHRIs)

# Event with NHRIs

## Format (2 days)?

- **NHRI high-level panel**
- **NHRI bilateral meetings and speed-dating facilities**
- **Working groups (exchange of practices, role and challenges)**

# Cartooning for Peace - Campaign

- **On the Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs)**
  - 17 cartoons on each SDG
  - Cartoonists from all over the world
- **On Development and Human Rights**
  - In December (HR month, European Year for Development)
  - 28 cartoons - One cartoonist per EU Member States





# Cartooning for Peace – What?

- International network of +130 engaged cartoonists, from 45 countries
- Initiated by Kofi Annan & 12-cartoonists' delegation, incl. Plantu, current President
- Struggling with humour for freedom, democracy & culture



# Cartooning for Peace : How?

Supporting endangered cartoonists around the world



Syrian cartoonist Ali Ferzat, with hands broken by Bachar El Assad

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Raise youth's awareness of major society issues and facilitate their expression



Meeting between Willis from Tunis and Tunis School of Fine Arts' students, October 2013

© CFP

Facilitate dialogue between cartoonists and the citizens



Exhibition « Quelle-connerie la guerre » at Paris' Forum des Halles et des Images (October 2014) © CFP

# Debate on freedom of expression

- Discussion panel
- Focus on cartoonist and artistic freedom



Jiho (France)

# Human Rights at EDD15

- Exhibition of cartoons
- Human Rights area
- Cocktail reception, event



STAVRO (Liban)



Stavro (Liban)

# ANY QUESTIONS?



Pierre Metrailler

Spot Me

**We connect –  
EDD15 app**

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# The EDD App

- Why does an app matter?
- How do we define success?
- What are the tools of the EDD App?
- How does it work?
- How will stakeholders contribute?

**Why  
does an app matter?**







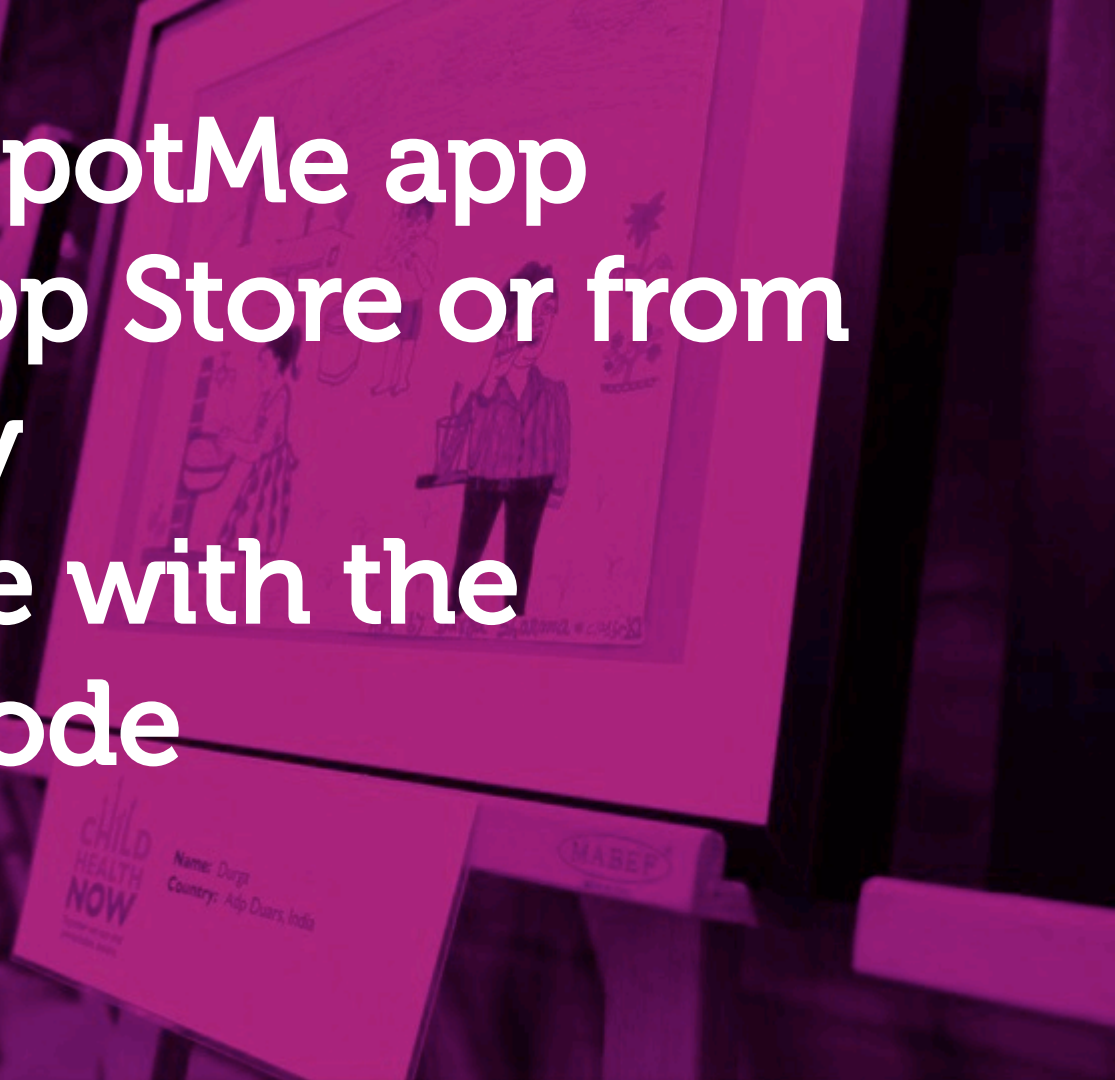
Content & Engagement

**20**

**minutes**

**average human attention span  
during a presentation**

Install the SpotMe app  
from the App Store or from  
Google Play  
and activate with the  
following code  
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Interaction

**40**

percent

increases participant  
learning

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Networking

**68**

**percent**

**of participants attend primarily to  
interact with other participants**

A young man with dark hair, wearing a light-colored zip-up jacket, stands in the center of a lecture hall. He is holding a microphone in his right hand and looking towards the audience. The lecture hall is filled with students seated in rows of chairs. The background shows various pieces of equipment and a stage area. The entire image has a strong magenta color overlay.

**How  
do we define success?**

# COOL features?



# pushing CONTENT?





**a transformative  
event**

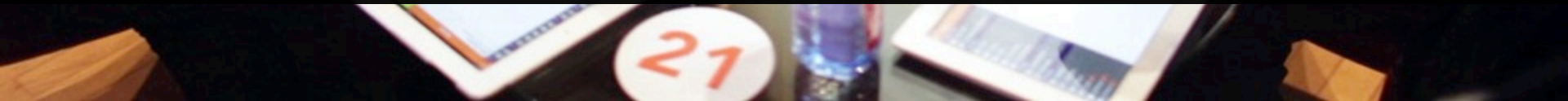




**an intimate interactive experience**

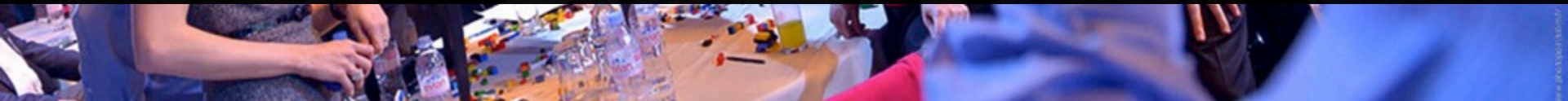


**a strategic collaboration**





**a bit of fun**



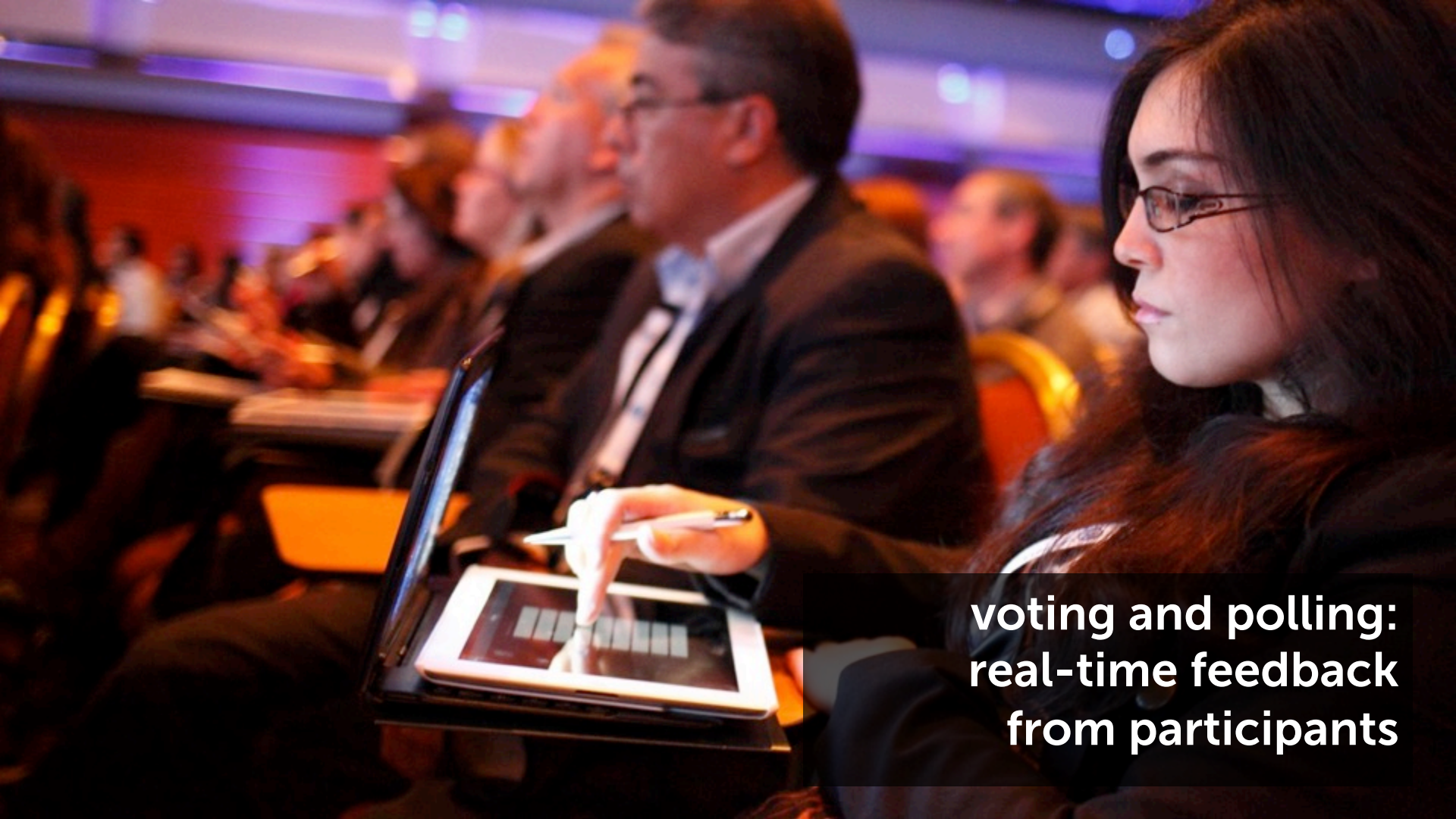
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**What  
are the tools  
of the EDD App?**

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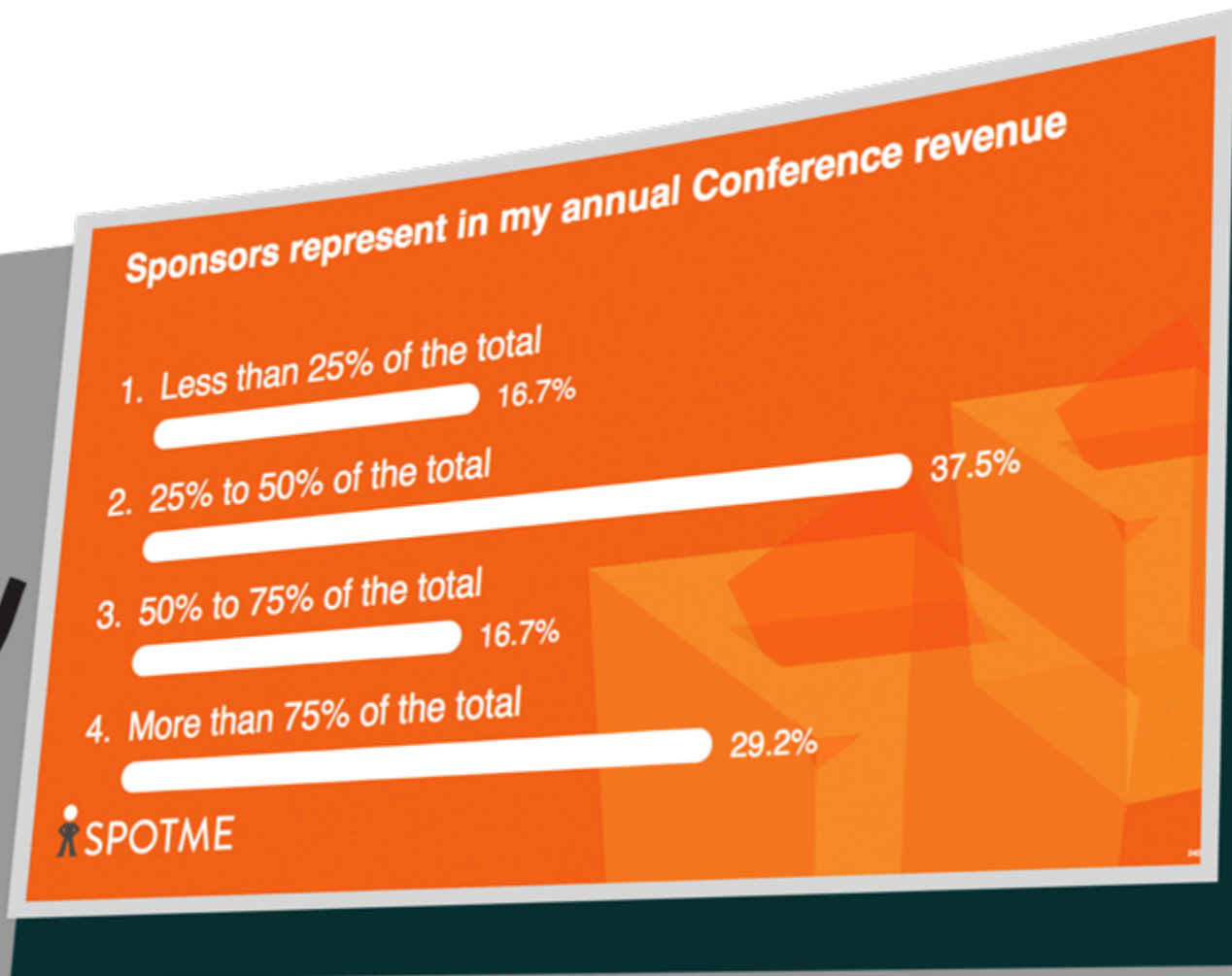


# Interactivity & Networking



**voting and polling:  
real-time feedback  
from participants**

Polling is one of the core interactive tools. Questions and results are shown on the big screen while participants vote using a keypad within the app.



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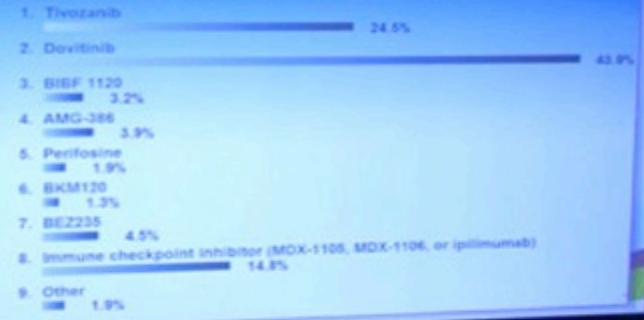


Camillo Porta

## ARS Question

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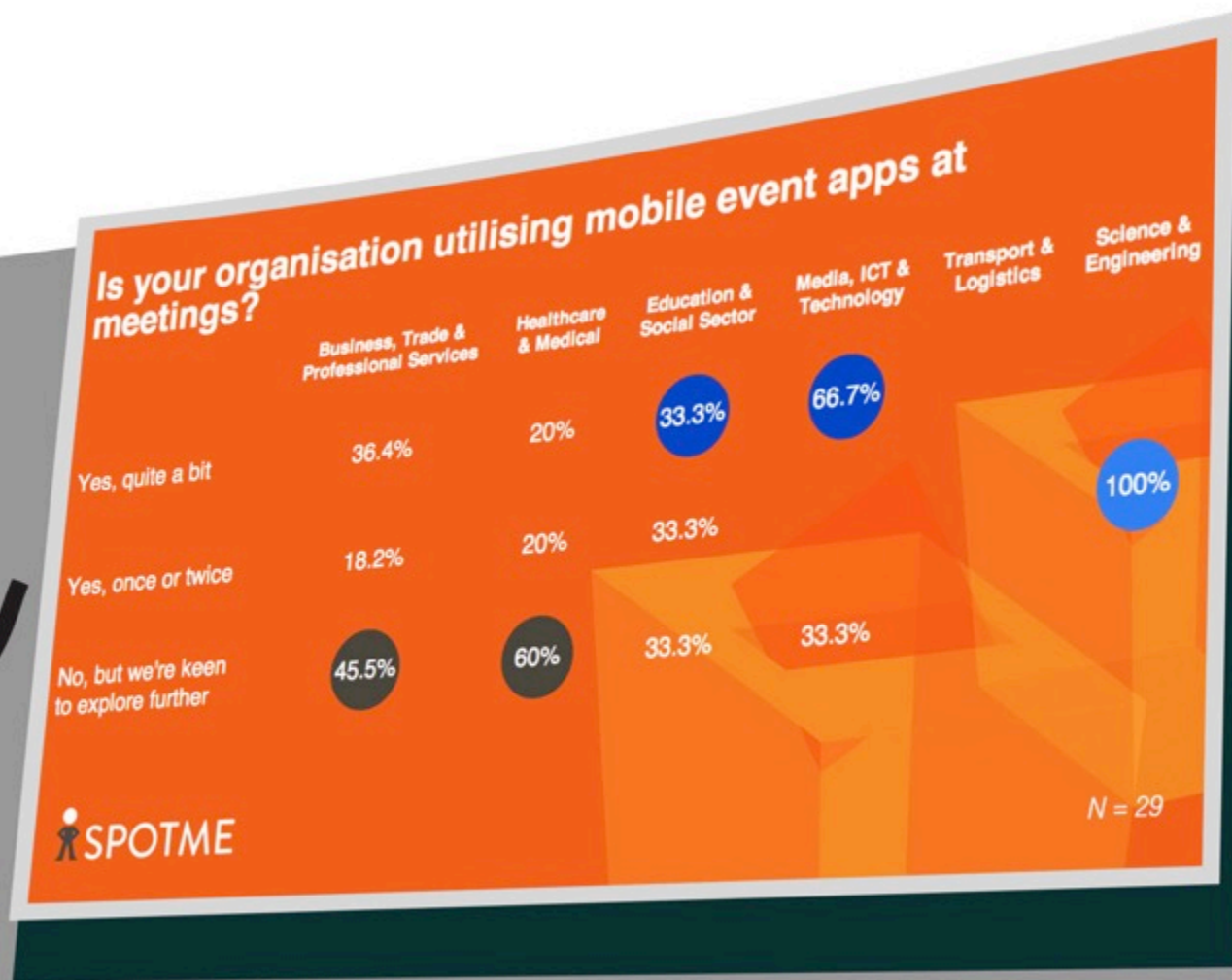


poll results can be displayed in different ways ...





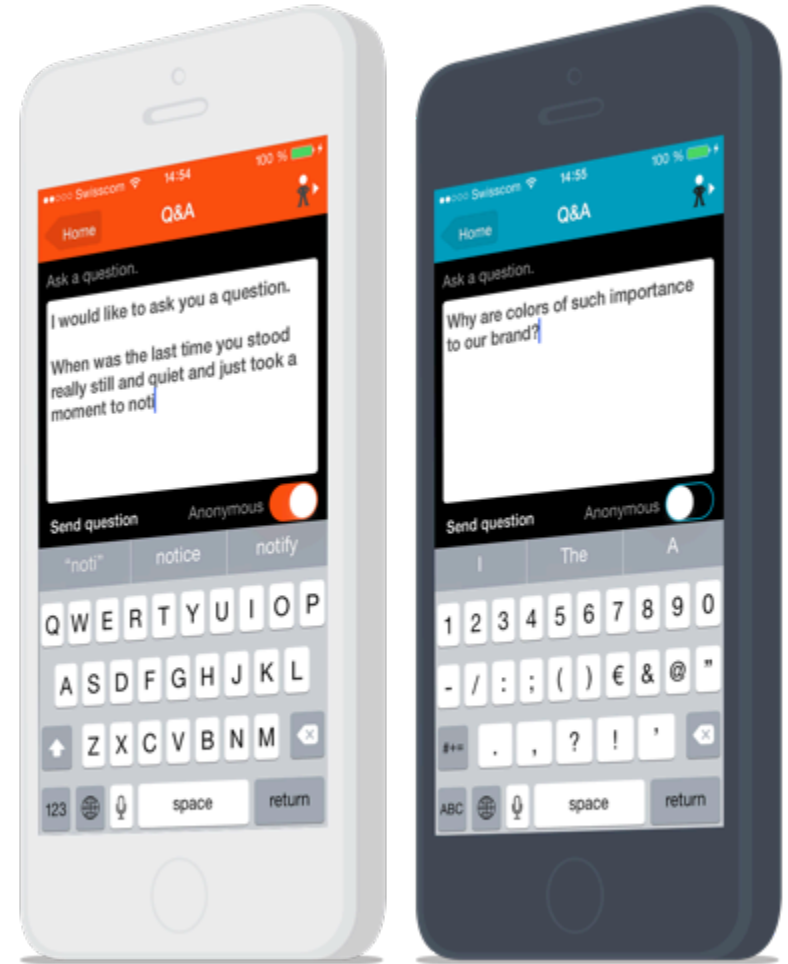
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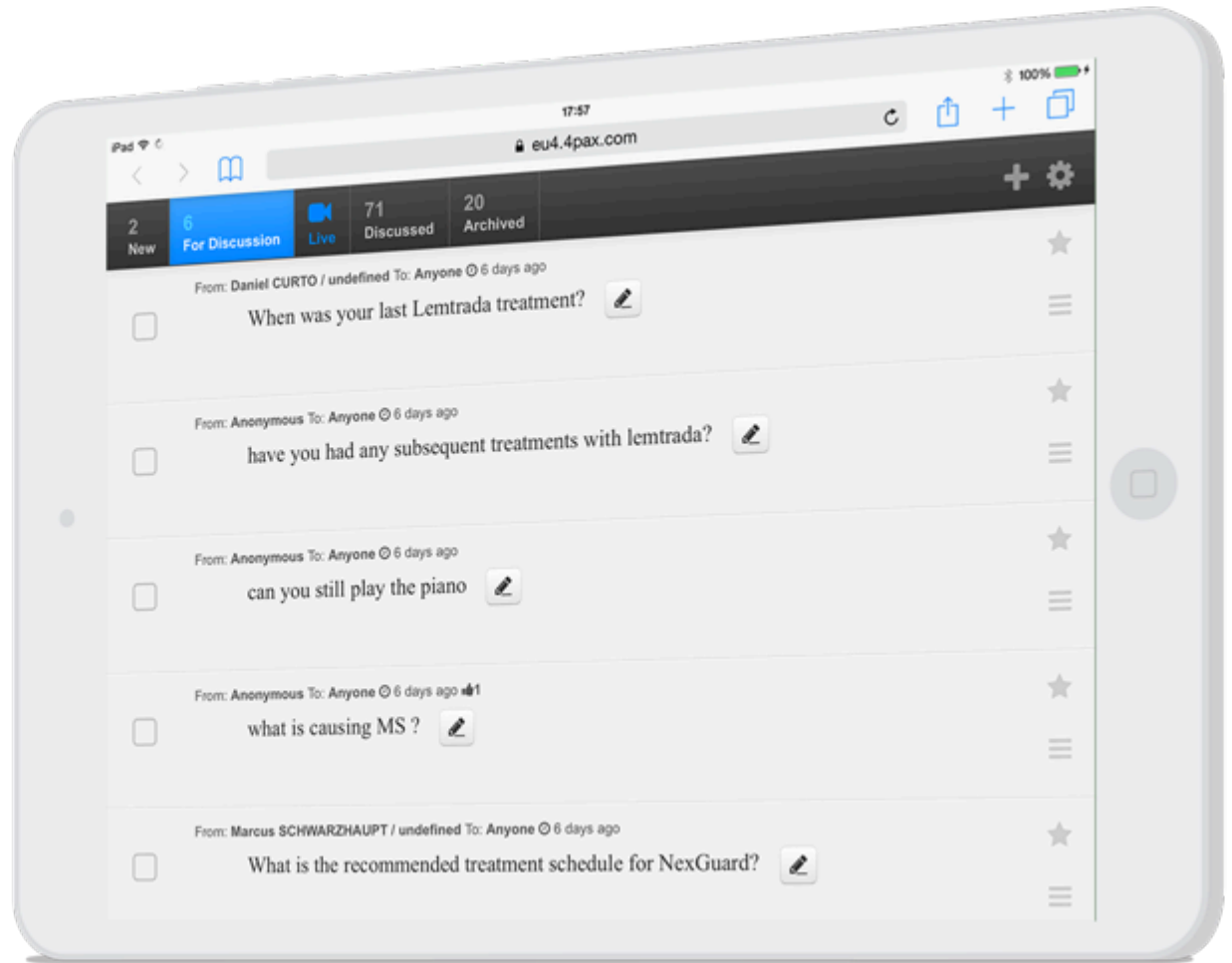


questions and answers:  
have a moderated discussion  
with your audience

Q&A is one of the simplest and most engaging interactive tools in the SpotMe arsenal and lets your participants send questions to the speaker throughout the presentation, anonymously or otherwise.

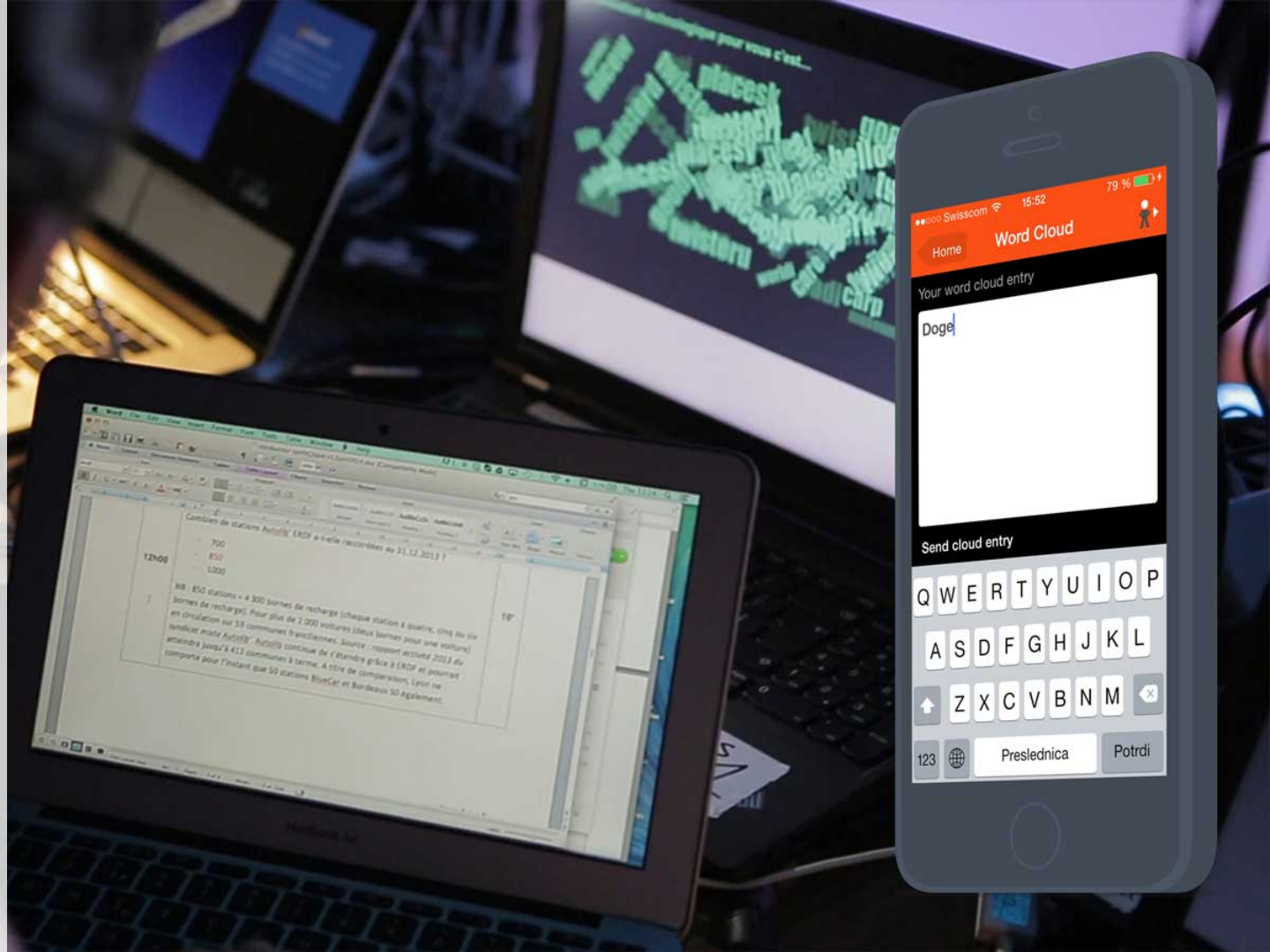


Q&A supports multiple moderators, allowing up to thousands of participants to have their voices heard and can be used to create engaging interactive sessions with minimal preparation.





With the word cloud your speakers can ask open-ended questions that can be answered with a word or short phrase. Your participants submit their responses through their apps and in real-time the more popular answers get larger, while the less popular ones get smaller.

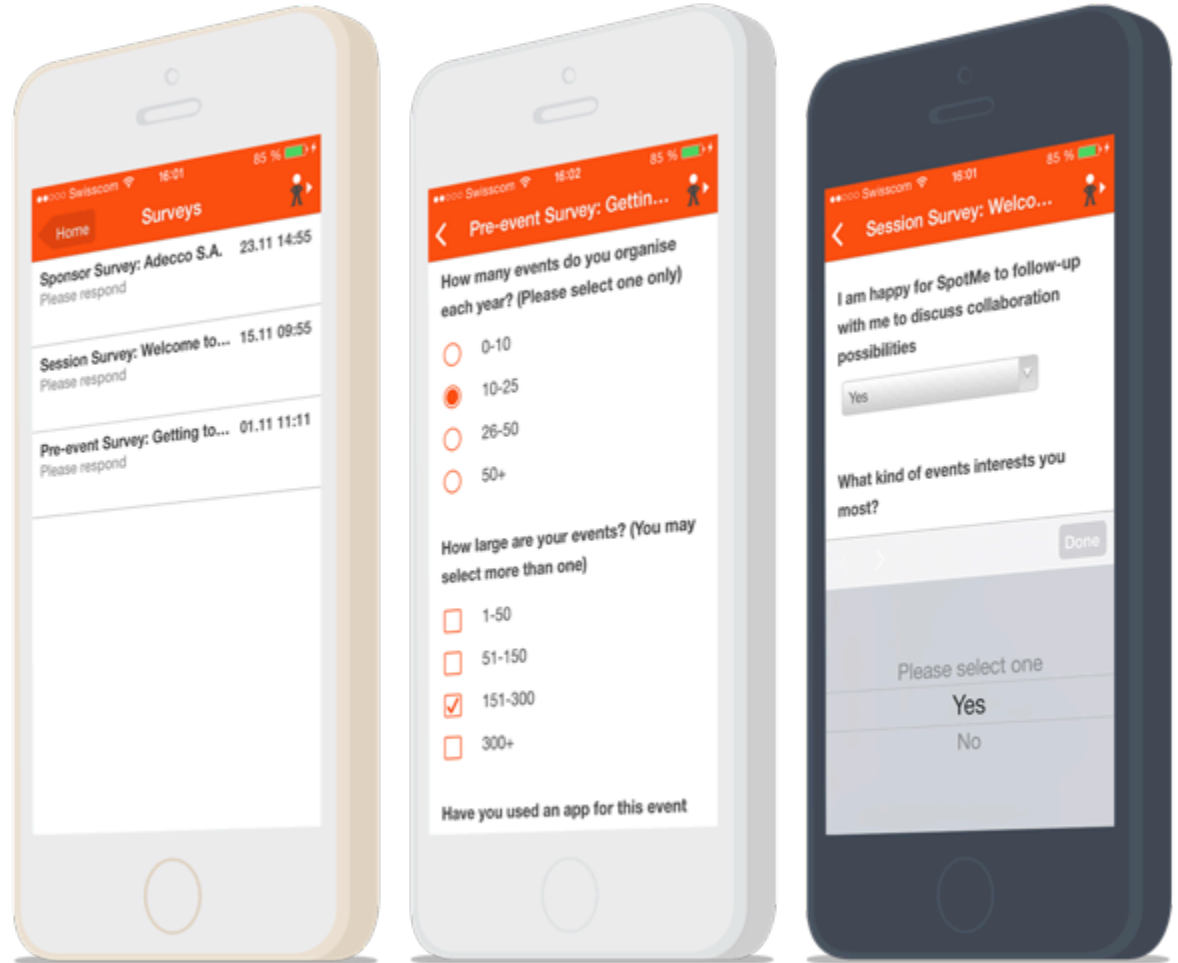




Surveys:  
feedback for your  
sessions

Surveys are delivered to your participants directly to the app at pre-designated times, either within the session view or through a push notification.

You can build surveys with free text fields, multiple-choice questions, ranking questions, check boxes and star ratings.





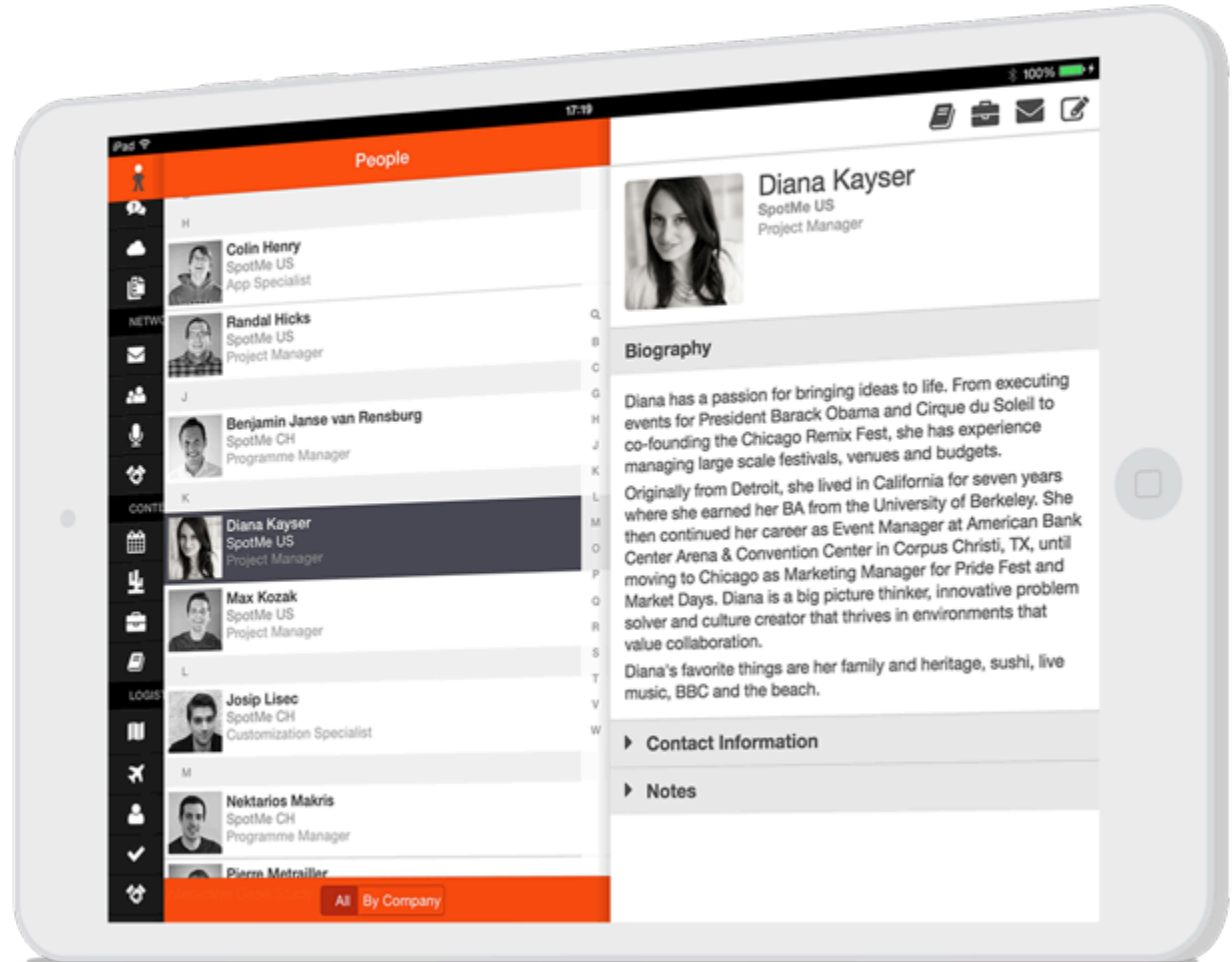


networking:  
connecting your  
participants



Participants can exchange contact information by scanning each other's device or sending/approving contact requests inside the app.

Participant profiles are the first step to catalyzing networking. Information is pulled from registration info or participants can integrate with their LinkedIn profile. Filters provide a quick and easy way for you to find the people you really want to meet.



The connection wall visualizes the networking as it happens.



# Other networking & interactivity tools

- Meeting requests
- Social media integration
- Live call
- Project Village
- Brainstorming sessions



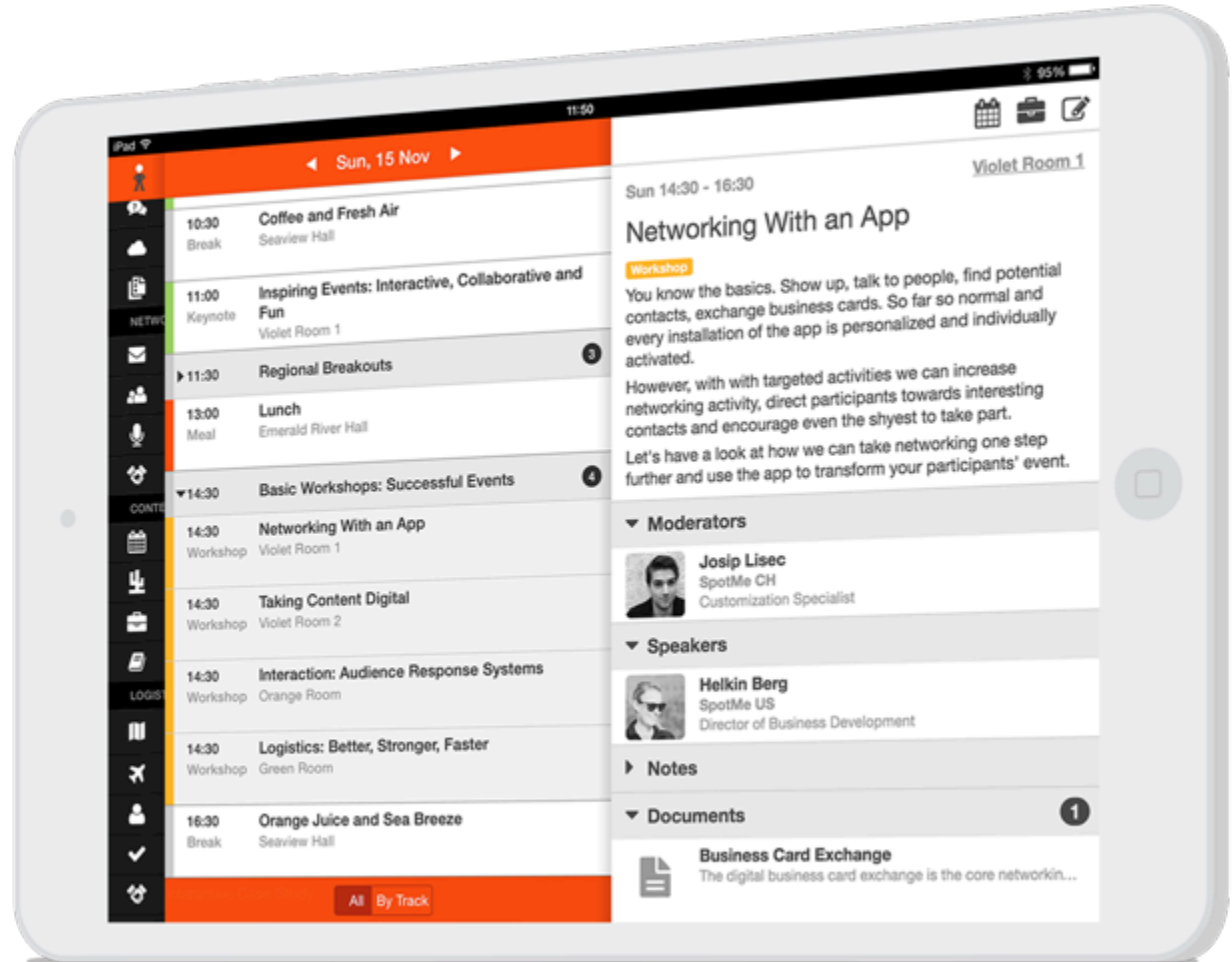
# Content & Logistics



more than just a schedule:  
your digital agenda toolset

Besides simply informing your participants of what is happening and when, the SpotMe agenda also includes:

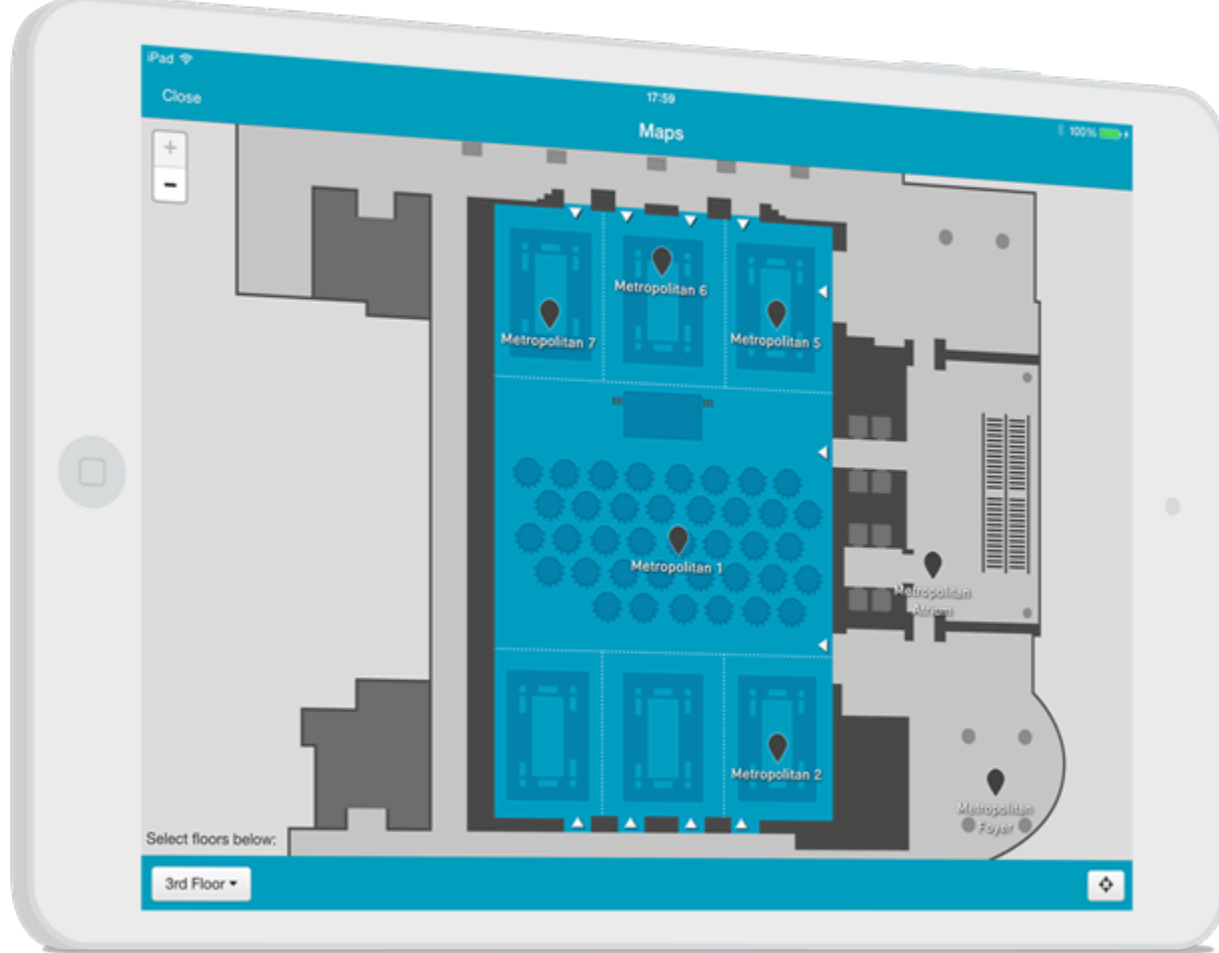
- speaker bios
- session surveys
- related documents
- public comment feed
- notes



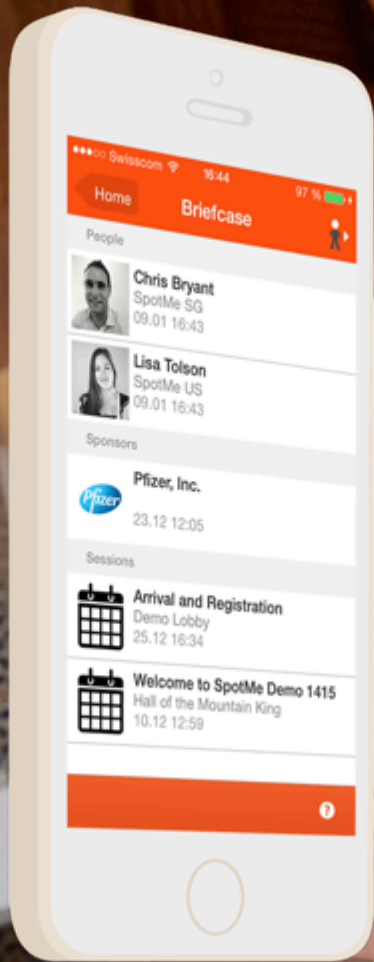




messaging:  
communicate & inform



Maps let your participants know what sessions are happening where. We prepare the maps for each of your events to optimize display on a mobile device and to associate each session with a corresponding map point.



save your event:  
a briefcase for your  
favorite sessions, people,  
notes and documents.

# Other content & logistics tools

- **Logistics & practical information**
- **Project Village**

# How does it work? (and will it work?)

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Name: Durp  
Country: Asp Durs, India

MABEP

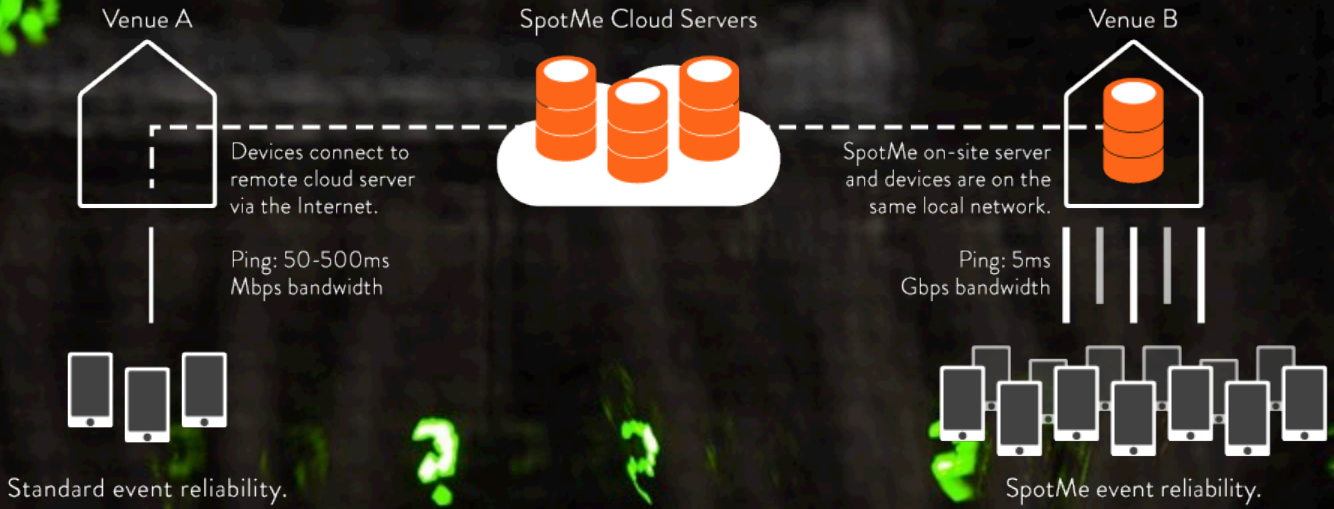


Total

# Participation



# Total Reliability



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# How can stakeholders contribute?





# Content management features

- **Session profile**
- **Description, speakers, documents**
- **Q&A moderation**
- **Session discussion thread**
- **Session activity metrics**
- **VIP programmes**

# ANY QUESTIONS?





**Coffee break  
15 minutes**



Arnaud de Vanssay

Team Leader, Knowledge Sharing, Directorate-  
General for International Cooperation and  
Development

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# Capacity4dev.eu

- You are all welcome to join our platform
- EDD15 dedicated working group with new features
- Audiovisual coverage before (themes, sessions)
- Interview corner in the project village during the forum



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**Connecting the Development Community**



Antonia Sariyska

EDD15 Programme Officer

# Our purpose and overview

# Our purpose – EDD15 activities

- **We debate**
  - Auditorium debates
  - Lab debates
- **We solve**
  - Brainstorming
- **We share**
  - Project/report labs
  - Stands in Village
- **We empower**
  - Engagement of youth
- **We communicate**
  - Promotion on social media
  - Storytelling on websites
  - Media relations
- **We meet**
  - Network/private meetings

# Our purpose – Assessment criteria

- **Content approach:** relevance to EDD15 topics, reports, videos, infographics, articles, arguments
- **Inclusiveness:** gender balance, new actors, youth
- **Interactivity:** polls, surveys, moderation, Q&As on EDD15 app
- **Shared communication:** social media, storytelling



A group of people, including men and women, are gathered around a table in what appears to be a conference or meeting setting. They are looking at documents and talking. The image has a purple overlay. In the background, there are signs for 'dev' and 'eu'.

Antonia Sariyska  
EDD15 Programme Officer

**We debate and solve –  
Auditorium and lab panels**

# We debate - Auditorium

## What's new

- **Content approach:** link with stands in the Village
- **Inclusiveness:** Future Leader as speaker
- **Interactivity:** EDD15 app to engage with audience

## Key features

- High-level panel discussion in an auditorium
- Relevant to EDD15 topics
- 90 minutes, 350+ pax

# We debate - Lab

## What's new

- **Interactivity:** EDD15 app to engage with audience
- **Logistics:** pre-built modules, better soundproofing, no interpretation

## Key features

- Panel discussion in a lab
- Lively and interactive, as opposed to show-and-tell
- Relevant to EDD15 topics
- 75 minutes, 70 pax

# We solve - Brainstorming

## What's new

- **Content approach:** can be linked to project or report - ideas to scale-up results
- **Interactivity:** EDD15 app to facilitate groupwork



## Key features

- Hands-on discussion in small groups to generate solutions
- Live sketching
- 75 minutes, 40 pax



# ANY QUESTIONS?





Vincent De Coninck  
EDD15 Village Manager

**We share –  
Stands in Village and/or  
project/report labs**

# On partage - Objectifs

- **EYD2015:** Montrer les résultats de la coopération européenne
- **Communication:** Présenter des réalisations concrètes à la presse
- **Programme:** Enrichir d'exemples concrets de projets et de rapports
- **Réseautage:** Faciliter les rencontres et les échanges

# On partage – Le Village, un carrefour



- **3 zones:** Notre monde, notre dignité, notre futur
- **Stands:** 60 de 9 m<sup>2</sup>
- **Accès:** Réservé aux participants enregistrés
- **Documentation:** Supports papier proscrits



# On partage - Project/report labs

## Deux options

- **Stand et session**
- **Session uniquement**

## Deux formats

- **Présentation: 70 pax - 75 min**
- **Brainstorming: 40pax - 75 min**

# DES QUESTIONS?



A photograph of two men sitting at a conference table. The man on the left is looking towards the right, and the man on the right is speaking into a microphone. There are water bottles and microphones on the table. The image has a purple overlay.

Claire Veale  
EDD15 Youth Officer

**We empower –  
Youth involvement and  
inclusiveness**

# Future Leaders - Key features

- **Momentum:** building on success at EDD13
- **Speakers:** 1 per auditorium session, 12 in total
- **Age:** 21 to 26
- **Programme:** EDD15, Green Week, visiting EU institutions, meeting policymakers



# Future Leaders – Selection criteria



- **Leadership:** representation of an organisation, community or other youth
- **Results:** impact on community
- **Knowledge** of the chosen EDD15 topic
- **Skills:** public speaking

# Future Leaders - Process

- **Launch:** today – Spread the word!
- **Application:** video, details about involvement, reference letters until mid-March
- **Pre-selection:** 3 highly qualified Future Leaders proposed to each Auditorium Session Organiser (April)
- **Selection:** Auditorium Session Organisers will chose one Future Leader to speak on their panel (April)

# Youth Photo Contest – Key features

- **Theme:** Our future is on the table!
- **Launch:** This week - Spread the word!
- **Age:** 15 – 25
- **Applications:** EuropeAid Facebook by 10 April
- **Finalists:** 6 finalists, one per continent, photos displayed during EDD15

# ANY QUESTIONS?







Ella Nicolescu

EDD15 Social Media Officer

# **We communicate – Social media and coverage**

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Supporting the Development Community

# We communicate – Social Media

## Channels

- Facebook – EuropeAid
- Twitter – @europeaid
- YouTube – EUintheWorld
- Instagram – @europeaid

## Hashtags

#EDD15 #EYD2015 #action2015  
#storytelling #EuropeAid  
#ourworld #ourdignity #ourfuture



# We communicate – Before/after

## Before EDD15

- Promote EDD15 and registration (video teaser)
- Promote youth photo contest, Future Leaders programme, village
- Share interviews, infographics on EDD15 topics

## During and after EDD15

- Share content from sessions – videos, quotes, photos, sketches, podcasts
- Participate in live-tweeting and other social media coverage through EDD15 app
- Share session outcomes and press-releases

# We communicate – Storytelling

Submit and read stories on websites:

- EDD15: [www.eudevdays.eu](http://www.eudevdays.eu)
- EYD2015: [www.europa.eu/eyd2015](http://www.europa.eu/eyd2015)

Share your views - 'Our world, our dignity, our future':

- Capacity4dev: [www.capacity4dev.ec.europa.eu](http://www.capacity4dev.ec.europa.eu)

# We communicate – Media services



**During EDD15, open to all:**

- Press conference room
- Interview studio with equipment
- Dedicated media centre

# ANY QUESTIONS?



A group of five business professionals are seated around a table in a meeting. The image is overlaid with a semi-transparent purple filter. The text 'Deadlines and Submission Process' is written in white, bold, sans-serif font across the center of the image.

# Deadlines and Submission Process

# Key dates

- **9 February** – Communicate your interest in a given topic and a type of contribution (high-level panel, lab, stand) – [programme@eudevdays.eu](mailto:programme@eudevdays.eu)
- **9 February** – Submission forms are available online – [www.eudevdays.eu](http://www.eudevdays.eu)
- **2 March** – Deadline for submission of session proposals – [www.eudevdays.eu](http://www.eudevdays.eu)



# Key dates

- **23 March** – Announcement of session selection results
- **17 April** – Payment for carbon offset and sessions
- **20-24 April** – 2<sup>nd</sup> Preparatory meetings (session organisers)

# ANY QUESTIONS?



A large audience is seated in a conference hall, facing a stage where a panel discussion is taking place. The stage features a backdrop with the text 'eudevdays.eu' and several individuals seated at a long table. The scene is dimly lit, with stage lights visible above the audience.

**Download Community Guide:**  
**[www.eudevdays.eu](http://www.eudevdays.eu)**

**We look forward to  
hearing back from you by 9 February  
and receiving your submissions**