Country of origin

Spain

Name of the proposed action

A neutral, participative and secure Net (Internet): development of a participation module for social movements' virtual assemblies (such as 15M, occupy, etc.)

Name of the organization, group or network proposing the action

Lorea /n-1.cc

Organization's website

http://lorea.org

Description and motive for the action

What? Main Action:

- **To establish a neutral, participative and secure Net (Internet) for the world's population and, therefore, prevent information from being a merchandise at disposal of antisocial policies.**

How? Specific Actions:

- **Integrating the module of citizenship participation/scattered 15M Virtual Assembly in the federation of neutral and secure social networks administrated by Lorea.**

- **Increasing the servers' network: In Egypt in collaboration with http://www.leilzahra.net for the project "Words of Women from the Egyptian Revolution", in Portugal and Turkey. The creation of federated educational seeds between different schools in Spain is another project developed.**

Lorea has acquired the short-term objective of developing and starting up the virtual assemblies' module as an ACT: this is a tool for citizenship participation to improve the administration of the order of the day and its assemblies' minutes (in the #12m15m social mobilizations and in the next global mobilization _15O or alike_) and to interrelate them. All of it would be integrated in the platform, as well as the various social networks administrated by Lorea.

The engine of this development can be found in the **creation of a virtual assembly present in the different international 15M assemblies** in order to discuss together the situation of the mobilization in a national and International level. This module allows agreements on common working aspects. It can be exported to Occupy, Takethesquare, etc, and to other organizations and countries.

This module is implemented right after the ACT, within the network federation, as a **very powerful tool for its use by the civil population and its coordination, creating virtual networks similar to the physical social networks and vice versa.** Lorea is present in Spain, France, Chile and many other European and South American countries. Given its active, collaborative and stateless nature and its Spanish origins, its diffusion is focused in Spanish speaking countries linked with Occupy, the 15M movement and several social movements. It also counts on contents and users related to teaching and scientific investigation. Its internationalization process is taking place slowly but ACT!2012 will allow to obtain a larger support within the International community.

Specific result expected from this action

It aims to increase the **citizenship participation in the creation of a neutral Net** and generate the **action lines map** of the groups that are part of it. **Generating inter-assembly ties** in order to work together.

It expects to achieve local, regional and international popular agreements and actions, mutual support in a popular and International degree, participation in democratic processes, creation of communities of interest and intent, taking of personal and community responsibility, and capacity of progressing together. It aims to count with a countless number of users, enough to **make the Net belong to the citizenship and dissociate it from big corporations and governments so that horizontal relations can be established between the Net's management and its users. It also aims to assure privacy and content protection, and to avoid being banned by regulations such as SOPA and Sinde laws or the European Superproxy or even content censorship in Muslim Countries, Africa and China.**

Kind of action

Building up of alternatives.

Citizenship participation

The new tool in the social network, in an interactive web page where a basic agenda can be proposed or the order of the day can be elaborated collectively, coordinates participants. Once the assembly has been held, minutes for each point of the order of the day will be written, remembering the assemblies in an organized manner and enabling an easier consultation

of them to any user accessing the contents of the group. Publicity will be done worldwide, within the neighborhood assemblies of the cities where mobilizations take place, inviting citizens to organize in meetings on the streets or alternative spaces and helping them to be aware of the different ways of arranging this meetings –including virtual contexts-. **This tool may be used as a basis to call for referendums.** Through online coordination of the several mobilizations, **a common decisions between the different segregated places will be taken**. **Assuming 100.000 users from the various current networks** and adding the expected increase of participation on the streets, upon the establishment of this module, the level of collaboration would be enlarged through the different Lorea's social networks and it could reach **millions of people thanks to the participative module**. Although its magnitude can't really be quantified, we are technically prepared in terms of servers and network security.

Last 2011, following to taking to the squares, **our number of users grew from 1.000 to 30.000 in one week** and this **just due to word of mouth spread**. **Now having a participation and citizenship inter-assembly coordination module, this increase may be more exponential.**

Term / Agenda

Action will start next May (from the 12th to the 15th) during the global mobilizations to be ended in the following international mobilization of the 15M Movement (15th October or similar _the exact date is still to be confirmed_). May – October.

Organizations that could become collaborators

Appart from the collaboration of the 15M Mobilization and Camps http://madrid.tomalaplaza.net http://http://www.acampadadebarcelona.org and the other camps, we are working with the following related collectivities: **Gisstv** http://giss,tv **Ourproject** http://ourproject.org/ **Kune** http://kune.ourproject.org/ **OccupyWallStreet** http://occupywallst.org/ **Takethesquare** http://takethesquare.net **MAY12** http://www.mayrunq12.net/ **G8+ N.A.T.O Protest** http://natoprotest.org Occupymay http://www.occupymay1st.org/ **GlobalRevolution** http://globalrevolution.tv/ SquareDatabase http://map.squaresdatabase.org/ **Cooperativa Intergral Catalana** http://cooperativa.cat/es **Telenoika** http://telenoika.net/ **Nautarquia** http://espaisideral.org/ **La EX** http://whois--x.net/ **PeopleWitness** http://peoplewitness.wordpress.com/ **Universitat La Rimaia** http://unilliurelarimaia.org **Luzablue Technologies** http://luzablue.org (among others)