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COMMUNITY ECO-SYSTEM

Exercise: Fill out the canvas by following the sequence (numbers) and following the instructions:

- First, describe the purpose of your community: What is it that you want it to do?
- Secondly, identify and choose 3 stakeholders that are most important for your Community.
- Thirdly, discuss which internal skills (people) you will need to establish and maintain the community, and what their role will be. Which skills do you already have available - and which will you need to hire?
- Then discuss which elements of your design (if not all) will be opened and choose which open license(s) you will use (the licenses describes the level of permission you will give for the element.)
- And finally discuss which platform(s) would be ideal for your community to meet and to potentially collaborate. It can be a combination of several platforms.

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GITHUB.COM



The world's largest, and most popular code hosting site

How will you use this platform for your community?

SOURCEFORGE.NET



Open source focused code hosting site, which let's you setup your own website for collaboration

How will you use this platform for your community?

ELGG.ORG



Run your own social collaboration platform

How will you use this platform for your community?

WEVOLVER.COM



Webplatform and version control system empowering hardware developers with decentralized collaboration

How will you use this platform for your community?

HACKADAY.IO



The world's largest collaborative hardware development community, allows you to run public and private workspaces

How will you use this platform for your community?

OPENTHINGS.WIKI



Collaboration platform for designers to collaborate on any imaginable project

How will you use this platform for your community?

MEDIAWIKI.ORG



Software to organize collaboration about large body's of information (like Wikimedia), can run on your own server

How will you use this platform for your community?

GRABCAD.COM/WORK-BENCH



Collaboration platform specifically for CAD files and engineers

How will you use this platform for your community?

EVENT SPACE



Maybe the ideal platform for your community is not virtual, but physical? Could be a room in your company, a maker space, a shop front, etc

How will you use this platform for your community?

LAUNCHFORTH.IO

Co-creation community of thinkers and tinkerers for product design and big engineering problems.

How will you use this platform for your community?

DOZUKI

Platform dedicated to the collaborative making of user manuals and documentation.

How will you use this platform for your community?

FABBLE

A document sharing service for crafting things that supports the process from initial to final phase.

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