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# MAIN SPEAKERS

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## INTRODUCTION

The Open Knowledge Foundation Switzerland (Opendata.ch) and the Open Knowledge Foundation are delighted to welcome you to the 2013 Open Knowledge Conference (OKCon) in Geneva, Switzerland on 16th-19th September. OKCon is the world's leading open data and open knowledge conference, running since 2005.

Our theme for OKCon 2013 is Open Data – Broad, Deep Connected. In the last few years we have seen government open data initiatives grow and become important in areas such as research, culture and international development. OKCon will explore how open data is not only expanding geographically but also touching new sectors and new areas. It will focus on how we can coordinate and strengthen public policy around the world to support a truly global and interconnected ecosystem of open data.

OKCon 2013 is jointly organized by the Open Knowledge Foundation Switzerland (Opendata.ch) and the Open Knowledge Foundation with the support of the Swiss Government and Lift Events as the production partner.

## OKCON PARTNERS

Opendata.ch, Open Knowledge Foundation and Lift wish to express their sincere thanks to all those who have made this event possible through their in-kind and financial contributions.

### ELLEN MILLER

Ellen Miller, co-founder and executive director of the Sunlight Foundation, will be giving the plenary talk introducing the Open Data, Government and Governance programme.



Plenary talk, Tuesday 09:15 – Main Stage

### JAY NAIDOO

Jay is the Chairperson of the Global Alliance for Improved Nutrition (GAIN), a global foundation headquartered in Geneva that is committed to addressing malnutrition facing two billion people in the world. He will be giving the plenary talk introducing the Open Development and Sustainability programme.



Plenary talk, Wednesday 09:05 – Main Stage  
Panel, Wednesday 09:35 – Main Stage

### CHRIS VEIN

Chris Vein is the Chief Innovation Officer for Global Information and Communications Technology Development at the World Bank. Mr Vein's role consists in helping the World Bank embed technological innovations across its operations and ensuring that the benefits of this are seen in projects throughout its client countries.



Panel, Wednesday 09:30 – Main Stage  
Plenary Talk, Wednesday 17:30 – Main Stage

### RAKESH RAJANI

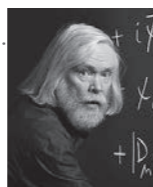
Rakesh Rajani is the Head of Twaweza ('we can make it happen' in Swahili), a ten year initiative that connects information, citizen agency and public accountability in East Africa. He will give a plenary talk as part of the Open Data, Government and Governance programme.



Plenary talk, Wednesday 17:00 – Main Stage

### JOHN ELLIS

Professor John Ellis (CERN, King's College London) will be giving a plenary talk as part of the Open Science and Research programme.



Plenary talk, Tuesday 18:00 – Main Stage

### JILL COUSINS

Jill Cousins, Executive Director of the Europeana Foundation and responsible for Europeana.eu, will be speaking in the session on Building a Cultural Commons as part of the Open Culture programme.



Plenary talk, Wednesday 11:45 – Main Stage

### CHRIS TAGGART

Chris Taggart, co-founder and CEO of OpenCorporates will be speaking in the session From Government to Governance as part of the Open Data, Government and Governance programme.



Plenary talk, Tuesday 09:45 – Main Stage

### ERIC GUNDERSEN

Eric is passionate about open data and building open source visualization tools focused on speed and design. As CEO of MapBox, Eric coordinates product and business development for tools that make it easy for anyone to design and publish a beautiful custom map in the cloud. Eric will be speaking in the session on Technology and tools for commercially-sustainable open data platforms as part of the Technology, Tools and Business programme.



Plenary talk, Tuesday 11:45 – Main Stage

### VICTORIA STODDEN

Victoria Stodden, assistant professor of Statistics at Columbia University, and affiliated with the Columbia University Institute for Data Sciences and Engineering will be speaking in the session From Open Data to Open Science: Policy, Literacy and Citizen Engagement as part of the Open Science and Research programme.



Plenary talk, Tuesday 14:45 – Main Stage

### MAYA INDIRA GANESH

Maya Indira Ganesh is Programme Director at Tactical Technology Collective and will speak in the session on Data-driven storytelling as part of the Evidence and Stories programme.



Plenary talk, Wednesday 14:45 – Main Stage

# TOPICS

## OPEN DATA, GOVERNMENT AND GOVERNANCE

Many governments around the world are opening up data and publishing open data on regional, national and international portals. But how do we ensure that opening up data is a commitment for the long term, and that open data is fully embedded into processes and policies? We also welcome demonstrations of the practical uses of open knowledge within governments, discuss the current challenges to achieving global transparency, and the fundamental role of civic society.

## OPEN DEVELOPMENT AND SUSTAINABILITY

Open access to data, information and knowledge has a powerful role to play in global development and sustainability. It gives us the opportunity to build inclusive ecosystems to help our society to adapt and change to avoid environmental collapse and to guarantee the well-being of the current and future generations. We'll explore how we can engage with key development challenges, from addressing chronic poverty, to providing access to health care and addressing climate change with the help of open data and knowledge.

## OPEN SCIENCE AND RESEARCH

Science is opening up in ways not imagined 25 years ago. Citizens are increasingly involved in the scientific process, data and software resulting from research are more and more shared, and open access to the publications resulting from research is profoundly influencing the landscape of scientific publishing, while in turn opening up avenues for new innovative research. We look forward to discussing the impact of these changes for researchers and scientists.

## TECHNOLOGY, TOOLS AND BUSINESS

Leveraging open data from public, research and commercial sources to build innovative applications, technologies and services businesses serving both supply and demand for open data. This series of seminars and discussions is aimed at people and organisations looking to build viable revenue streams from consulting services and technical deployments for information suppliers, or creating custom applications and services derived from open data.

## EVIDENCE AND STORIES

Whether it's for monitoring trends, evaluating impact or dispelling myths, open data is a key ingredient on the path to evidence. We are examining the role of open data in evidence-based policy making, data-driven campaigns and advocacy, data journalism and visualisation and discover how much and how clearly we can communicate illuminating an argument and telling a story with data.

## OPEN CULTURE

How can we build a global cultural commons that enables the widest possible re-use and access to our shared cultural heritage? These sessions will address how we can strengthen the existing networks of individuals, organisations and institutions working towards a global cultural commons and explore tools and methods for enabling re-use of open cultural heritage content and data on the web.

## OPEN SWITZERLAND

A session brimming with enthusiasm: Switzerland is officially joining the Open Government Data movement at the Open Knowledge Conference 2013! With the launch of the Federal Data Portal and a wide range of activities both in the public and private sector Switzerland is making progress every day, complementing its revered direct democracy with the transparency of open data. This session demonstrates and comments on this development.

## OTHER TOPICS INCLUDE:

- Open Education
- Open Transport Data
- Open Geodata
- Digital Social Innovation

## GENERAL INFORMATION

Please refer to the online schedule: [okcon.org/schedule](http://okcon.org/schedule) for the most up-to-date programme.

All talks are given in English unless specified.

For all questions - including press enquiries - during the conference, please ask at the main information desk.

Please make sure you carry your badge with you at all times as it is needed to enter the conference centre and the satellite events venues.

Free WiFi is available in the CIGG for OKCon participants:  
▶ Username: **OKCON**  
▶ Password: **OKCON2013**

Coffee will be available throughout the day in the main networking area.

For lunch, please ensure you have printed your tickets if you have bought these in advance, otherwise you may purchase lunch from the onsite cafe and restaurant.

Centre International de Conférences Genève (CIGG):  
Rue de Varembe 17  
1211 Geneva, Switzerland.

Public Transport from Geneva Main Station (Cornavin):  
▶ **Tram 15**, direction «Nations», to the last stop. Cross the street (with the Place des Nations behind you) and CIGG at the end of Varembe street;  
▶ **Bus 5** direction «Aéroport», get out at «Vermont».

A taxi ride will cost you around CHF 15 from the train station, around CHF 35 from the airport.

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# MONDAY – 16th September 2013

## OPEN DATA, GOVERNMENT AND GOVERNANCE

### HACKATHON – From Code to Sense:

#### Bringing the Law to the Public

**Facilitators:** Christian Laux (Laux Lawyers), Jean-Henry Morin (University of Geneva)  
**Including:** open legal texts; methods for reducing the complexity of understanding legal texts; open source methods to visualize legal texts based on established classifications; using open knowledge to work with legal code as well as to determine the most helpful approaches to classify legal texts; and new ways of bridging the huge gap between legal code and people.

This event continues on Tuesday and Wednesday at the HackSpace and on Thursday at the University of Geneva (Battelle Open Innovation).

10:00 – 17:00 / Room 8, Floor 2

### PANEL – Challenges of Open Data

**Moderator:** Matthias Stürmer (Open Source Business Alliance / Opendata.ch)  
**Speakers:** Marcus Dapp (Open Knowledge Foundation), Anahi Ayala Iacucci (Internews), Luigi Reggi (Italian Ministry of Economic Development), Irina Tisacova (e-Government Center)

14:00 – 15:00 / Room 13, Floor 2

### SHORT TALKS –

#### Open Government Data Around the World

**Moderator:** Daniel Dietrich (Open Knowledge Foundation Deutschland)

**Speakers:** Sandor Lederer (K-Monitor Watchdog for Public Funds), Samih Abid & Inès Hammami (OpenGovTn), Waltraut Ritter (Knowledge Dialogues), Everton Zanella Alvarenga (Open Knowledge Foundation Brazil, Regards Citoyens), Oleg Naumenko, Pia Waugh (Australian Government), Bibhusan Bista (aidinfo), more to be announced

14:00 – 15:00 / Room 6, Floor 3

### WORKSHOP – Open Data Census

**Coordinators:** Ton Zijlstra (Independent Consultant on Change, Complexity, Knowledge Work, Learning), Christian Villum (Open Knowledge Foundation)

At the end of October a fully updated and extended version of the Open Data Census will be announced.

In this workshop we will give the Open Data Census a big push – join us!

14:00 – 17:00 / Room 19, Floor 3

### SHORT TALKS –

#### Open Government Data: New Territories

**Moderator:** Giorgio Pauletto (Opendata.ch)  
**Speakers:** Dirk Helbing (ETH), Javier Ruiz (Open Rights Group), Ton Zijlstra (Independent Consultant on Change, Complexity, Knowledge Work, Learning), Oludotun Babayemi (Follow the Money), Sridhar Pabbisetty (Open Governance India), Irina Bolychevsky (Open Knowledge Foundation), Paul Stone, (Ministry for Culture and Heritage, New Zealand)

15:30 – 17:00 / Room 13, Floor 2

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ROOM 13 Floor 2			■ OPEN DATA, GOVERNMENT AND GOVERNANCE Panel – Challenges of open data		■ OPEN DATA, GOVERNMENT AND GOVERNANCE Short talks – Open Government Data: new territories					
ROOM 6 Floor 3			■ OPEN DATA, GOVERNMENT AND GOVERNANCE Short Talks – Open government data around the world		■ OPEN SWITZERLAND Talks – Spotlight on Switzerland					
ROOM 19 Floor 3			■ OPEN DATA, GOVERNMENT AND GOVERNANCE Workshop – Open Data Census				■ TECHNOLOGY, TOOLS AND BUSINESS Workshop – Online Mapping			
ROOM 20 Floor 3			■ TECHNOLOGY, TOOLS AND BUSINESS Workshop – CKAN: how to use, extend and get involved				■ OPEN DEVELOPMENT AND SUSTAINABILITY Workshop – Connecting Open Resource Flows for Development			
ROOM 11 Floor 2			■ EVIDENCE AND STORIES Workshop – Interoperability Standards for Public Good Data							
ROOM 23 Ground Floor			■ EVIDENCE AND STORIES Workshop – Data visualization – How to turn data into stories							
ROOM 5 Floor 3			■ DIGITAL SOCIAL INNOVATION Workshop – Digital Social Innovation in Europe: crowdmapping actors and networks							
ROOM 7 Floor 2			■ OPEN SCIENCE AND RESEARCH Workshop – Frictions. Collaborative creation of knowledge vs. practices in trade and commerce. The example of Open Hardware							
ROOM 8 Floor 2	■ OPEN DATA, GOVERNMENT AND GOVERNANCE Hackathon – From Code to Sense: Bringing the Law to the Public									
ROOM 2 Main Stage Ground Floor							■ OPEN SWITZERLAND Launch ceremony – Swiss open government data portal			
HACKSPACE Ground Floor			■ TECHNOLOGY AND TOOLS Open space to hack and get things done together							
BAR AREA AT CICC										■ DRINKS

## OPEN DEVELOPMENT AND SUSTAINABILITY

### WORKSHOP – Connecting Open Resource Flows for Development

**Coordinators:** Mark Brough (Publish What You Fund), Anders Pedersen (Open Knowledge Foundation)

**With:** Publish What You Fund, Aidinfo, Open-Spending, World Bank Finances, Development Finance International, Open Contracting, Integrity Action, Adaptation Fund, OpenCorporates, United Nations Office for the Coordination of Humanitarian Affairs (UNOCHA) and the Guardian.

17:15 – 18:45 / Room 20, Floor 3

## OPEN SCIENCE AND RESEARCH

### WORKSHOP – Frictions. Collaborative Creation of Knowledge vs. Practices in Trade and Commerce. The Example of Open Hardware

**Coordinators:** Peter Troxler (Rotterdam University of Applied Sciences), Javier Serrano (CERN), Dannie Jost (World Trade Institute)  
**Including:** the shift to lateral, networked structures in various fields, and the friction between these structures and traditional ways of protecting intellectual advantage; why CERN decided to develop an open hardware license; and the emergence of open source methodologies in the management of intellectual assets.

14:00 – 17:00 / Room 7, Floor 2

## TECHNOLOGY, TOOLS AND BUSINESS

### WORKSHOP – CKAN:

#### How to Use, Extend and Get Involved

**Coordinators:** Irina Bolychevsky/ Adrià Mercader (Open Knowledge Foundation)

Including: introduction to CKAN; support, with Q&A / troubleshooting; building apps / extensions (practical workshop); and how to get involved in this open source project which has become a worldwide standard for open data portals.

14:00 – 17:00 / Room 20, Floor 3

### WORKSHOP – Online Mapping: How to Analyze, Visualize and Build Apps with Your Geospatial Data

**Coordinator:** Javier de la Torre (CartoDB, Vizuality)

**Including:** an introduction to CartoDB, and the basics of SQL and CartoCSS for non-developers; visualizing geo-temporal data to discover new trends and tell new stories; building apps; and geospatial operations.

17:15 – 18:15 / Room 19, Floor 3

### OPENSPACE to hack and get things done together

The place where things get done!

14:00 – 17:00 / Hackspace

## EVIDENCE AND STORIES

### WORKSHOP – Interoperability Standards for Public Good Data

**Facilitators:** Christopher Wilson (The Engine Room), Jun Matsushita (information innovation lab)  
**Including:** data set linking; speed geeking; and interoperability hacking.

14:00 – 17:00 / Room 11, Floor 2

### WORKSHOP – Data visualization – How to Turn Data Into Stories

**Co-organizers:** Benjamin Wiederkehr (Interactive Things), Alice Kohli (Neue Zürcher Zeitung)  
 Insights into challenges and opportunities arising from the collaboration between journalists, designers, and developers.

14:00 – 17:00 / Room 23, Ground Floor

## OPEN SWITZERLAND

### TALKS – Spotlight on Switzerland

**Moderator:** Barnaby Skinner (Opendata.ch)  
**Speakers:** Matthias Brüllmann (Schweizerische Bundeskanzlei), Michael Gruebler (Statistik Stadt Zürich), Christian Häberli (MeteoSwiss), David Oesch (swisstopo), Alain Nadeau (Swiss Federal Statistical Office), Stephan Sigrist (Web for Interdisciplinary Research & Expertise), Alexandra Stark (MAZ – Die Schweizer Journalistenschule)

15:30 – 17:00 / Room 6, Floor 3

## LAUNCH CEREMONY –

### Swiss Open Government Data Portal

**Talks by:** Andreas Kellerhals (Swiss Federal Archives), Peter Fischer (Federal IT Steering), André Gollietz (Opendata.ch), David Oesch (swisstopo)

**Guest Speaker:** Andrew Stott, UK Public Sector Transparency Board

17:30 – 18:30 / Main Stage, Ground Floor

## DIGITAL SOCIAL INNOVATION

### WORKSHOP – Digital Social Innovation in Europe: Crowdmapping Actors and Networks

**Co-Organisers:** DSI partnership (Nesta, Waag Society, IRI, Esade, Future Everything) and the European Commission, DG Connect.

14:00 – 15:00

### PANEL – The potential in digital social innovation

**Chair:** Marleen Stikker (Waag Society)  
**Panel members:** Geert Lovink (Institute of Network Cultures), Juha Huuskonen (Open Knowledge Finland, Pixelache Festival), Charlie Leadbeater (Nominet Trust, «Top 100» project lead)

15:00 – 16:00

### PANEL – Who are the digital social innovators?

**Chair:** Jon Kingsbury (Nesta)  
**Panel members:** Ezio Manzini (Polytechnic Institute Milan, Interdepartmental Centre for Research on Innovation for Sustainability), Flore Berlingen (OuiShare), Zoe Romano (Arduino)

16:00 – 17:00

### PANEL – Supporting and growing digital social innovation in Europe, what needs to change?

**Chair:** Francesca Bria (Nesta)  
**Panel members:** Rob van Kranenburg (bricolabs, The Internet of Things Council), Daniel Kaplan (the Next-Generation Internet Foundation), Philippe Aigrain (Sopinspace, the Society for Public Information Spaces), Fabrizio Sestini (the European Commission DG INFOSO)

At this open workshop we will present emerging findings from a major new study on digital social innovation which looks at grassroots civic innovations that use mass collaboration to tackle societal challenges. We want your input and challenges to inform our thinking and to influence our recommendations to the EC on how to foster emerging digital social innovation research and policy across Europe.

14:00 – 17:00 / Room 5, Floor 3



# TUESDAY – 17th September 2013

	09:00	09:15	09:45	11:15	11:30	11:45	13:15	14:45	16:00	17:00	17:45	18:00	18:30	18:45	19:15	19:45
ROOM 2 Main Stage Ground Floor	■ OPENING	■ OPEN DATA, GOVERNMENT AND GOVERNANCE Plenary talk – Ellen Miller	■ OPEN DATA, GOVERNMENT AND GOVERNANCE Talks – From Government to Governance			■ TECHNOLOGY, TOOLS AND BUSINESS Talks – Technology and tools for commercially-sustainable open data platforms		■ OPEN SCIENCE AND RESEARCH Talks – From open data to open science: policy, literacy and citizen engagement		■ OPEN DATA, GOVERNMENT AND GOVERNANCE Panel and talks – Opening Government	■ OPEN SCIENCE AND RESEARCH Plenary Talk – John Ellis					
ROOM 13 Floor 2						■ OPEN EDUCATION Panel – The facets of open education: resources, data & culture, LinkedUp competition presentations		■ TECHNOLOGY AND TOOLS & OPEN DATA, GOVERNMENT AND GOVERNANCE Cross-disciplinary panel – Collaborations with government, civil society and technology providers for successful open data		■ OPEN DEVELOPMENT AND SUSTAINABILITY Talks – Open data: a driver for development and sustainability						
ROOM 14 Floor 2						■ OPEN DEVELOPMENT AND SUSTAINABILITY Workshop – Open Data Toolkits and Assessment Tools		■ OPEN DATA, GOVERNMENT AND GOVERNANCE Workshop – Human Centered Data: What Should Public Spending Data Tell Us?								
ROOM 5 Floor 3						■ OPEN DATA, GOVERNMENT AND GOVERNANCE Panel – Opening up Procurements		■ OPEN DATA, GOVERNMENT AND GOVERNANCE Workshop – Raising the bar for ambition and quality in OGP: workshop to develop a «Civil Society National OGP Review»		■ OPEN DATA, GOVERNMENT AND GOVERNANCE Panel – Open Data Standards						
ROOM 6 Floor 3						■ TECHNOLOGY, TOOLS AND BUSINESS Workshop – Code for Europe: a showcase of open source solutions to civic/city challenges										
ROOM 7 Floor 2									■ EVIDENCE AND STORIES Event – Visualizing Information for Advocacy							
ROOM 20 Floor 3										■ OPEN GEODATA Panel and meetup						
ROOM 4 Ground Floor	■ OPEN TRANSPORT DATA – Urban Data Challenge Exhibition															
EXHIBITION SPACE	■ OPEN EDUCATION – Exhibition – LinkedUp															
HACKSPACE Ground Floor	■ TECHNOLOGY AND TOOLS – Open space to hack and get things done together															
																■ DRINKS
																Panel and Vernissage

## OPENING REMARKS

Rufus Pollock (Open Knowledge Foundation)  
Hannes Gassert (Opendata.ch)  
Neelie Kroes (European Commission - video message)

09:00 – 09:15 / Main Stage

## OPEN DATA, GOVERNMENT AND GOVERNANCE

**PLENARY TALK – Open Data Movement Gaining Power**  
Ellen Miller (Sunlight Foundation)

09:15 – 09:45 / Main Stage

### TALKS – From Government to Governance

Moderator: Sarah Schacht  
Speakers: Chris Taggart (OpenCorporates), Paul Maltby (UK Cabinet Office), Andreas Kellerhals (Swiss Federal Archives), Kimberly Roberson (UNHCR), Samuel Lee/ Felipe Estefan (The World Bank)

09:45 – 11:15 / Main Stage

### PANEL – Opening up Procurements

Moderator: Anders Pedersen (Open Knowledge Foundation)  
Panel members: Sandor Lederer (K-Monitor Watchdog for Public Funds), Felipe Estefan (The World Bank / Open Contracting), Julia Keserü/ Kaitlin Devine (Sunlight Foundation), Mathias Huter (Transparency International Georgia)

11:45 – 13:15 / Room 5, Floor 3

### WORKSHOP – Human Centered Data: What Should Public Spending Data Tell Us?

Coordinator: Kaitlin Devine (Sunlight Foundation)

14:45 – 16:00 / Room 14, Floor 2

### WORKSHOP – Raising the Bar for Ambition and Quality in OGP: Workshop to Develop a «Civil Society National OGP Review»

Coordinators: Paul Maassen (Open Government Partnership), Daniel Dietrich (Open Knowledge Foundation Germany), Anders Pedersen/Christian Villum (Open Knowledge Foundation)  
Contributors: Helen Darbishire (Access Info Europe), Vanessa Heringshaw (Transparency & Accountability Initiative), Tim Hughes (Involve UK)

14:45 – 16:00 / Room 5, Floor 3

### PANEL AND TALKS – Opening Government

Panel – Ellen Miller (Sunlight Foundation), Nick Hurd, (UK Parliament)  
Talk – Is Open Data Truly Opening Government? – Sarah Schacht

17:00 – 18:00 / Main Stage

### GOVERNANCE PANEL – Open Data Standards

Moderator: Ton Zijlstra (Independent Consultant on Change, Complexity, Knowledge Work, Learning)  
Panel members: Timothy Vollmer (Creative Commons), Andrew Stott (UK Transparency Board / data.gov.uk), Monica Palmirani (University of Bologna) and Tomoaki Watanabe (GLOCOM/ Open Knowledge Foundation Japan, CCJP)

17:00 – 17:45 / Room 5, Floor 3

## OPEN DEVELOPMENT AND SUSTAINABILITY

### WORKSHOP – Open Data Toolkits and Assessment Tools

Speakers: Amparo Ballivian (The World Bank), Meghan Cook (Center for Technology in Government, University at Albany), Jose Maria Alonso/Tim Davies (World Wide Web Foundation), Barbara Ubaldi (Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development), Daniel Dietrich (UNDESA, Open Knowledge Foundation)

11:30 – 13:15 / Room 14, Floor 2

### TALKS – Open Data: A Driver for Development and Sustainability

Moderator: Duncan Edwards (Institute of Development Studies)  
Speakers: Craig Duncan (United Nations International Strategy for Disaster Reduction), Anahi Ayala Iacucci (Internews), Fabrizio Scrollini (Datos Abiertos, Transparencia y Acceso a la información), Francesca De Chiara/Maurizio Napolitano (Open Knowledge Foundation Italy)

17:00 – 17:45 / Room 13, Floor 2

## OPEN SCIENCE AND RESEARCH

### TALKS – From Open Data to Open Science: Policy, Literacy and Citizen Engagement

Moderator: Francois Grey (Citizen Cyberscience Centre/ University of Geneva)  
Speakers: Victoria Stodden (Columbia University), Ernst Hafen (healthbank / ETH Zurich), Kaitlin Thaney (Mozilla Science Lab) and Puneet Kishor (Creative Commons)

14:45 – 16:00 / Main Stage

### PLENARY TALK – CERN: Opening Particle Physics and the Higgs Boson to the World

John Ellis (CERN / King's College London)

18:00 – 18:30 / Main Stage

## TECHNOLOGY, TOOLS AND BUSINESS

### OPEN SPACE to hack and get things done together

The Law Mining Hackdays are taking place here Tuesday and Wednesday – talk to Christian Laux! – and some important Open Transport Data work is scheduled to take place here as well – talk to Pieter Colpaert for more on that. For all other questions: please get in touch with us: hack@okfn.ch!

08:45 – 19:45 / HackSpace

### WORKSHOP – Code for Europe: A Showcase of Open Source Solutions to Civic/ City Challenges

Hosts: City of Amsterdam, Economic Department

11:30 – 13:15 / Room 6, Floor 3

### TALKS – Technology and Tools for Commercially-Sustainable Open Data Platforms

Moderator: Hannes Gassert (Opendata.ch)  
Speakers: Eric Gundersen (MapBox), Kristine R. Custodio (UNEP), Michael Lenczner (Ajah), Thomas Gauthier (Haute École de Gestion de Genève), Gavin Chait (Open Knowledge Foundation)

11:45 – 13:15 / Main Stage

### CROSS-DISCIPLINARY PANEL – Collaborations with Government, Civil Society and Technology Providers for Successful Open Data

Moderator: Irina Bolychevsky (Open Knowledge Foundation)  
Panel members: Francis Irving (ScraperWiki), Jeni Tennison (Open Data Institute), Oluseun Onigbinde (BudgIT), Kat Borlongan (Five by Five), David Beal (Smart Service Queensland)

14:45 – 16:00 / Room 13, Floor 2

## EVIDENCE AND STORIES

### EVENT – Visualizing Information for Advocacy

Authors and hosts: Tactical Tech Collective

16:00 – 17:00 / Room 7, Floor 2

## OPEN EDUCATION

### PANEL – The Facets of Open Education: Resources, Data and Culture

Moderator: Doug Belshaw (Mozilla Foundation)  
Speakers: Jackie Carter (MIMAS), Davide Storti (UNESCO), Mathieu d'Aquin (Knowledge Media Institute, Open University)

### LinkedUp Challenge Award Presentations

Moderators: Stefan Dietze and Eelco Herder (L3S Research Center)

11:45 – 13:15 / Room 13, Floor 2

### EXHIBITION – LinkedUp

09:00 – 19:45 / Exhibition Space

## OPEN TRANSPORT DATA

### EXHIBITION – Urban Data Challenge

A 3-city transportation data challenge between the cities of Geneva, Zurich and San Francisco.

09:00 – 18:45 / Room 4, Ground Floor

### PANEL AND VERNISSAGE – Urban Data Challenge

With an opening speech by Sami Kanaan, City of Geneva Counselor. Co-organized with swissnex San Francisco.

Panel members: Christopher Pangilinan (San Francisco Municipal Transportation Agency), Antoine Stroh (Transport Public Genevois), others to be announced

18:45 – 19:15 / Room 4, Ground Floor

## OPEN GEODATA

### PANEL AND MEETUP

Moderator: Hannes Gassert (Opendata.ch)  
Panel members: Anahi Ayala Iacucci (Internews), Barbara J. Ryan (Group on Earth Observations - GEO), Francesco Pisano (United Nations Institute for Training and Research - UNITAR), Emanuele Gennai (Esri Global Affairs Executive)

17:00 – 17:45 / Room 20, Floor 3

# WEDNESDAY – 18th September 2013

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ROOM 2 Main Stage Ground Floor	■ OPEN DEVELOPMENT AND SUSTAINABILITY Plenary talk – Jay Naidoo	■ OPEN DEVELOPMENT AND SUSTAINABILITY Panel – Jay Naidoo, Chris Vein	■ OPEN DEVELOPMENT AND SUSTAINABILITY Talks – Travelling the Open Road: Open Knowledge and Sustainability in Developing States			■ OPEN CULTURE Talks – Building a Cultural Commons & Open Humanities Award Ceremony		■ EVIDENCE AND STORIES & OPEN DEVELOPMENT Talks – Data-Driven Storytelling		■ OPEN GOVERNMENT DATA Plenary talk – Rakesh Rajani	■ OPEN DEVELOPMENT AND SUSTAINABILITY Plenary talk – Chris Vein	■ CLOSING REMARKS	
ROOM 13 Floor 2			■ OPEN TECHNOLOGY AND RESEARCH Short talks – Open Technology and Research			■ EVIDENCE AND STORIES & OPEN DEVELOPMENT Cross-Disciplinary Panel – Data Driven Campaigning		■ OPEN DEVELOPMENT AND SUSTAINABILITY Workshop – The Role of Open Knowledge and Data in Supporting Decision Making in International Development					
ROOM 7 Floor 2						■ OPEN DATA, GOVERNMENT AND GOVERNANCE Panel – Build a Better Transparency Technology Project: Lessons from the TAI mentors		■ OPEN DATA, GOVERNMENT AND GOVERNANCE Workshop – Open Finance and OpenSpending					
ROOM 8 Floor 2						■ OPEN DEVELOPMENT AND SUSTAINABILITY Workshop – How Linked Open Data (LOD) Supports Sustainable Development and Climate Change Development			■ TECHNOLOGY AND TOOLS Presentation and Meetup – Apps for Europe				
ROOM 14 Floor 2	■ OPEN TRANSPORT DATA Workshop – Transports Publics Genevois Sketchaton							■ OPEN TRANSPORT DATA Workshop – Open Transport Data: the Next Step					
ROOM 4 Ground Floor	■ OPEN TRANSPORT DATA Exhibition – Urban Data Challenge												
EXHIBITION SPACE	■ OPEN EDUCATION Exhibition – LinkedUp												
HACKSPACE Ground Floor	■ TECHNOLOGY AND TOOLS – Open space to hack and get things done together												

## OPEN DATA, GOVERNMENT AND GOVERNANCE

### PANEL – Build a Better Transparency Technology Project: Lessons from the TAI mentors

Moderator: Sarah Schacht

Panel members: Lucy Chambers (Open Knowledge Foundation), Gabriela Rodriguez (DATA Uruguay), Vanessa Herringshaw (Transparency and Accountability Initiative)

11:45 – 13:15 / Room 7, Floor 2

### WORKSHOP – Open Finance and OpenSpending

Moderator: Pierre Chrzanowski (Open Knowledge Foundation France)

Speakers: Jiri Kuncar (CERN), Michalis Vafopoulos (National Technical University of Athens), Matthias Stürmer (Open Source Business Alliance / Opendata.ch), Victoria Vlad (Economist, EXPERT-GRUP), Marc Joffe (Public Sector Credit Solutions)

14:45 – 16:00 / Room 7, Floor 2

### PLENARY TALK – Five Guaranteed Ways to Squander the Open Government Partnership Opportunity

Rakesh Rajani (Twaweza)

17:00 – 17:30 / Room 2, Main Stage

## OPEN DEVELOPMENT AND SUSTAINABILITY

### PLENARY TALK

Jay Naidoo (Global Alliance for Improved Nutrition)

09:00 – 09:30 / Room 2, Main Stage

### PANEL

Panel members: Jay Naidoo (Global Alliance for Improved Nutrition), Chris Vein (The World Bank)

09:30 – 10:15 / Room 2, Main Stage

### TALKS – Travelling the Open Road: Open Knowledge and Sustainability in Developing States

Moderator: Matthew Smith (International Developments Research Centre)

Speakers: Stephen Kovats (r0g\_agency for open culture and critical transformation), Andrianirina Ratsialonana Rivo (Observatoire du Foncier Madagascar) / Claudia Schwegmann (OpenAid), Jack Townsend (University of Southampton)

10:15 – 11:15 / Room 2, Main Stage

### WORKSHOP – How Linked Open Data (LOD) Supports Sustainable Development and Climate Change Development

Panel members & workshop organisers:

Florian Bauer (Renewable Energy and Energy Efficiency Partnership), Jens Laustsen (Global Buildings Performance Network), Martin Kaltenböck (Semantic Web Company)

11:45 – 13:15 / Room 8, Floor 2

### WORKSHOP – The Role of Open Knowledge and Data in Supporting Decision Making in International Development

Coordinator: Duncan Edwards (Institute of Development Studies)

Speakers: Matthew Smith (IDRC), Erik Nijland (Hivos), Simon Colmer (Institute of Development Studies)

14:45 – 16:00 / Room 13, Floor 2

### PLENARY TALK – Open Development. From Transparency to Delivery

Chris Vein (The World Bank)

17:30 – 18:00 / Room 2, Main Stage

## TECHNOLOGY, TOOLS AND BUSINESS

### OPENSOURCE to hack and get things done together

The Law Mining Hackdays are taking place here Tuesday and Wednesday – talk to Christian Laux! – and some important Open Transport Data work is scheduled to take place here as well – talk to Pieter Colpaert for more on that. For all other questions: please get in touch with us: [hack@okfn.ch](mailto:hack@okfn.ch)

09:00 – 18:00 / Hackspace

### SHORT TALKS – Open Technology and Research

Moderator: Pieter Colpaert (University of Ghent)

Speakers: James Smith (Open Data Institute), Max Ogden (Open Web programmer), Kamila Markram (Frontiers), Karthik Ram (R Open Science), Bill Anderson (IATI)

10:30 – 11:15 / Room 13, Floor 2

### PRESENTATION AND MEETUP – Apps for Europe

16:00 – 17:00 / Room 8, Floor 2

## EVIDENCE AND STORIES

### CROSS-DISCIPLINARY PANEL – Data Driven Campaigning

Moderators: Julia Keserű (Sunlight Foundation), Eva Vozarova (Fair-Play Alliance)

Panel members:

Adriano Belisário Feitosa da Costa (Instituto Mais Democracia), John Wonderlich (Sunlight Foundation), Marko Rakar (Windmill)

11:45 – 13:15 / Room 13, Floor 2

### TALKS – Data-Driven Storytelling

Moderators: Julia Keserű (Sunlight Foundation), Eva Vozarova (Fair-Play Alliance)

Speakers: Maya Indira Ganesh (Tactical Technology Collective), Justin Arenstein (International Center for Journalists/ African Media Initiative/ Google), Irene Jay Liu (Thomson Reuters), Federico Ramírez Corona (Fundar, Centro de Análisis e Investigación)

14:45 – 16:00 / Room 2, Main Stage

## OPEN EDUCATION

### EXHIBITION – LinkedUp

09:00 – 18:00 / Exhibition Space

## OPEN CULTURE

### TALKS – Building a Cultural Commons & Open Humanities Award Ceremony

Moderator: Merete Sanderhoff (Statens Museum for Kunst Copenhagen)

Speakers: Jill Cousins (Europeana Foundation), Nicole Beale (University of Southampton), Anna Gold (California Polytechnic University), Maarten Brinkerink (Netherlands Institute for Sound and Vision), Beat Estermann (Bern University of Applied Sciences/E-Government Institute)

11:45 – 13:15 / Room 2, Main Stage

## OPEN TRANSPORT DATA

### WORKSHOP – Transports Publics Genevois Sketchaton

09:00 – 13:15 / Room 14, Floor 2

### EXHIBITION – Urban Data Challenge

A 3-city transportation data challenge between the cities of Geneva, Zurich and San Francisco.

09:00 – 18:00 / Room 4, Ground Floor

### WORKSHOP –

#### Open transport data: the next step

Coordinators: Pieter Colpaert (Ghent University / Open Knowledge Foundation Belgium), Kat Borlongan (Five by Five)

14:45 – 16:00 / Room 14, Floor 2

# THURSDAY – 19th September 2013

	09:00	10:00	12:00	13:00	14:00	17:00	18:30
INTL ENVIRONMENT HOUSE 2		■ OPEN DATA, GOVERNMENT AND GOVERNANCE Event – Opening up the United Nations					
WHO – UNAIDS HQ	■ OPEN SCIENCE AND RESEARCH Panel – Is Open Source Drug Discovery Practical?						
BATTELLE Auditorium		■ OPEN SCIENCE AND RESEARCH Workshop – Open and Citizen Science in the Heart of Europe					
BATTELLE Room 432		■ TECHNOLOGY AND TOOLS Scholarly International Infrastructure Technical Summit					
BATTELLE Open Innovation		■ OPEN DATA, GOVERNMENT AND GOVERNANCE Hackathon – From Code to Sense: Bringing the Law to the Public					
PIGNON Room P_S03	■ EVIDENCE AND STORIES Workshop – Learn How to Run Your Own Data Expedition						
PIGNON Room P_S05		■ OPEN CULTURE Workshop – KNOWeSCAPE: Data Mining and Curation					
PIGNON Room P_S06			■ TECHNOLOGY AND TOOLS Workshop – DownScale 2013: Semantic Web Annual Workshop				
UNI MAIL Room M R030					■ OPEN GEODATA Workshop – Put Your Data on the Map!		
UNI MAIL Room M 1160			■ OPEN DEVELOPMENT AND SUSTAINABILITY Workshop – Getting Real: Evidence and Ethics for Open Initiatives in Development Contexts				
KULTURBÜRO		■ OPEN CULTURE Re:Public Domain Remix + Walk					

## OPEN DATA, GOVERNMENT AND GOVERNANCE

**EVENT – Opening up the United Nations**  
Introductory session: Anders Pedersen (Open Knowledge Foundation), Mark Cardwell (United Nations Development Programme)

**PANEL – Getting the Data Out of the Beast: How UN Agencies Have Begun Publishing Open Data**  
Speakers: Robert Jenkins (United Nations Children's Fund), Cillian O' Cathail (United Nations Office for Project Services), Kenneth Kamau/ Jeanette Elsworth (United Nations Human Settlements Programme, UN-HABITAT), Irina Bolychevsky (Open Knowledge Foundation)

**PANEL – Enabling Collaboration Between UN Agencies and the Open Data Community**  
Speakers: representatives of United Nations Development Programme and UN Office for the Coordination of Humanitarian Affairs, more to be announced

Including: demo space.  
10:00 – 13:00 / Intl Environment House 2

**HACKATHON – From Code to Sense: Bringing the Law to the Public**  
Facilitators: Christian Laux (Laux Lawyers), Jean-Henry Morin (University of Geneva)  
10:00 – 17:00 / Battelle Open Innovation

## OPEN DEVELOPMENT AND SUSTAINABILITY

**WORKSHOP – Getting Real: Evidence and Ethics for Open Initiatives in Development Contexts**  
To participate in this workshop, please leave your name, a contact email address and your suggestions at <http://okfnpad.org/opendevwg-okcon13>  
12:00 – 17:00 / Uni mail Room M 1160

## OPEN SCIENCE AND RESEARCH

**PANEL – Is Open Source Drug Discovery Practical?**  
Moderator: Matthew Todd (University of Sidney)  
With: World Health Organisation, Medicines for Malaria Venture, Drugs for Neglected Diseases Initiative, GlaxoSmithKline, World Intellectual Property Organisation, Structural Genomics Consortium  
09:00 – 12:00 / WHO – UNAIDS HQ

**WORKSHOP – Open and Citizen Science in the Heart of Europe**  
Coordinators: Stefan Kasberger (Open Knowledge Foundation Austria), Rayna Stamboliyska (Open Knowledge Foundation France), in collaboration with François Grey (Citizen Cyberscience Center / University of Geneva), Margaret Gold/Brian Fuchs (Citizen Cyberscience Center / The Mobile Collective)  
10:00 – 17:00 / Battelle Auditorium

## TECHNOLOGY, TOOLS AND BUSINESS

**SUMMIT – Scholarly International Infrastructure Technical Summit**  
Moderators: David Flanders (University of Melbourne), David Tarrant (University of Southampton)  
10:00 – 17:00 / Battelle Room 432

**WORKSHOP – DownScale 2013: Semantic Web Annual Workshop**  
Coordinators: Martin Murillo (Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers), Victor de Boer (Vrije Universiteit Amsterdam)  
12:00 – 17:00 / Pignon Room P\_S06

## EVIDENCE AND STORIES

**WORKSHOP – Learn How to Run Your Own Data Expedition**  
Milena Marin (School of Data, Open Knowledge Foundation) and Juan Casanueva (SocialTIC)  
09:00 – 12:00 / Pignon Room P\_S03

## OPEN CULTURE

**WORKSHOP – KNOWeSCAPE: Data Mining and Curation**  
Coordinator: Christophe Guéret (Dutch data archiving institute)  
10:00 – 17:00 / Battelle Room 432

**RE:PUBLIC DOMAIN REMIX + WALK**  
Co-organizers: Primavera De Filippi (Open Knowledge Foundation France), Mario Purkathofer/Daniel Boos (Dock18)

10:00-13:00  
KulturBüro Geneva (Presentations – Siebdruck, Ableton Track Raid, 3D printing)  
13:00-14.30  
Lunch  
15:00-18:00  
Walk on Monte Saleve  
(Meeting at 15:00 at KulturBüro Geneva)  
18:00  
Final meeting at KulturBüro and final presentations  
10:00 – 18:00 / Kulturbüro

## OPEN GEODATA

**WORKSHOP – Put Your Data on the Map!**  
Bring your own data, bring a laptop and benefit from the geo data experts on site to make your very own map app!  
14:00 – 17:00 / Uni Mail Room M R030

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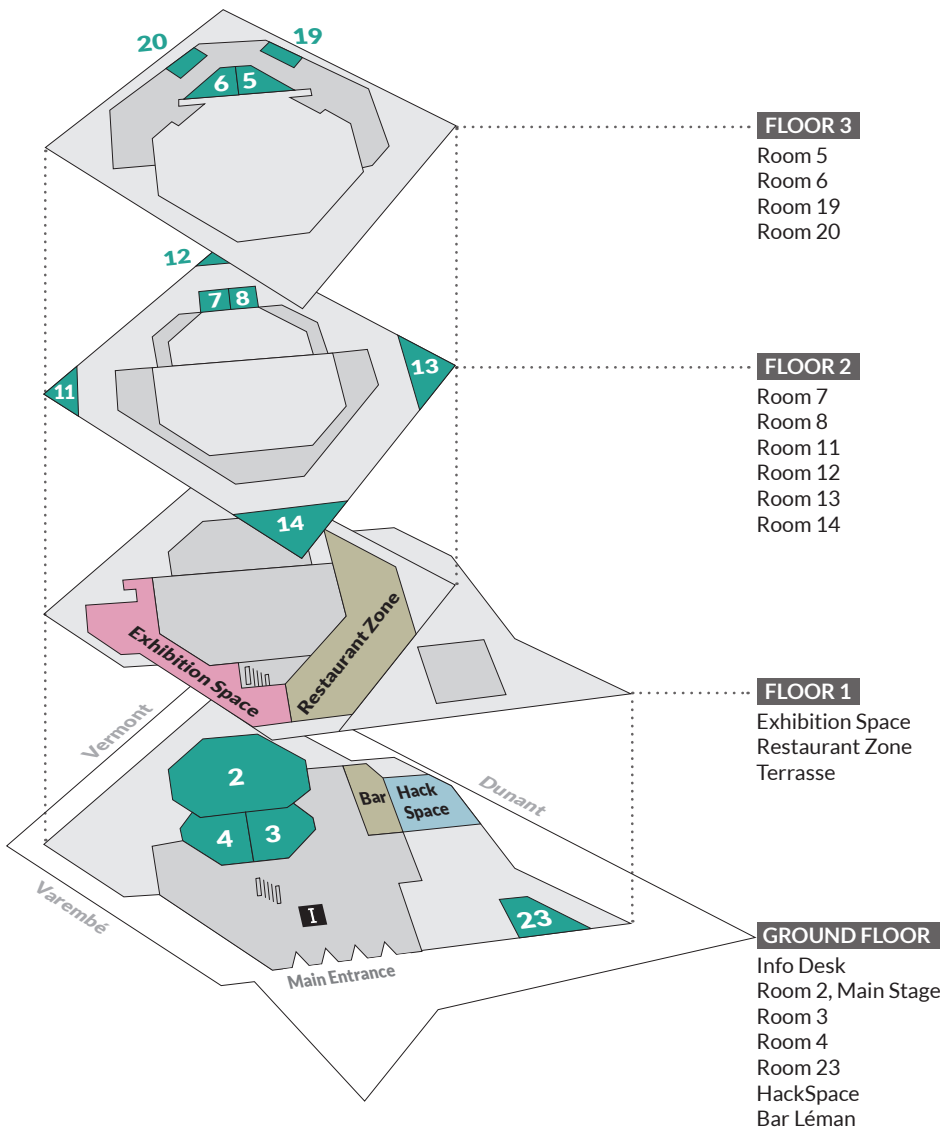
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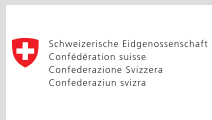
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