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#Ecsite2016 - Wednesday 8 June: pre-conference day 2

Welcome to the second day of pre-conference workshops at the 2016 Ecsite Annual Conference in Graz, Austria. Science communicators from around Europe are meeting to learn from each other, discuss and define trends.

09:00 - 13:15 Morning sessions

Accessing and implementing research findings - morning

Stimulating and helping facilitate research and evaluation in science centres and museums across Europe. Put together by one of Ecsite's thematic groups, the [Research and Evaluation Group](#).



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We have started our day 2 with a talk by Claire Pillsbury about integrated approaches of design and research #audi3 #ecsite2016

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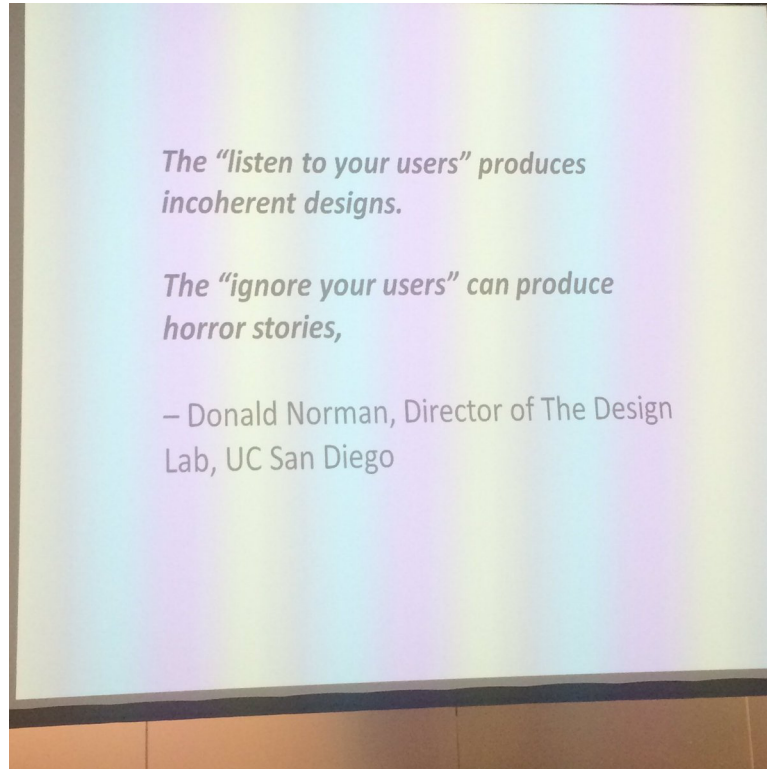
How can we access & implement research findings? by @ecsite_REV & with @mchobson @Expology @EnterprisingSci et al! #Ecsite2016 #audi3

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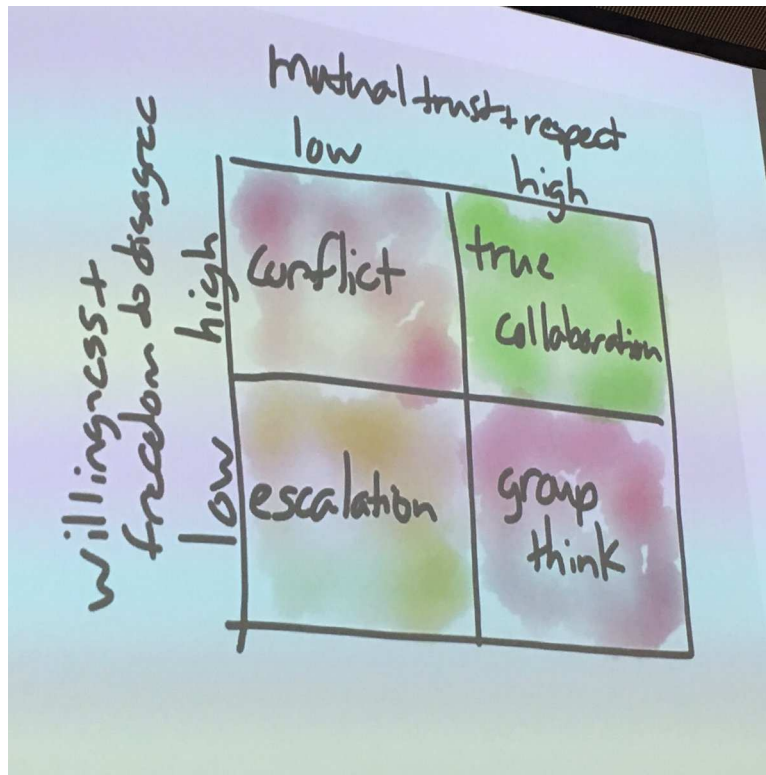
Great picture of [@exploratorium](#) that influenced Claire Pillsbury career choices [#audi3](#) [#ecsite2016](#)
pic.twitter.com/nrcQ1t5dF5

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Find the middle ground! [#ecsite2016](#) [#audi3](#) pic.twitter.com/gANbUdije2

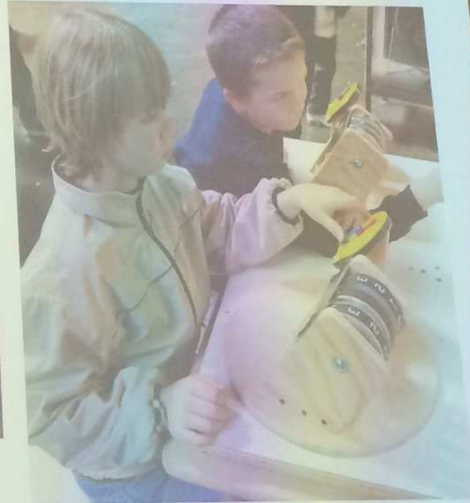
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True collaboration needs mutual respect as well as the willingness & freedom to disagree
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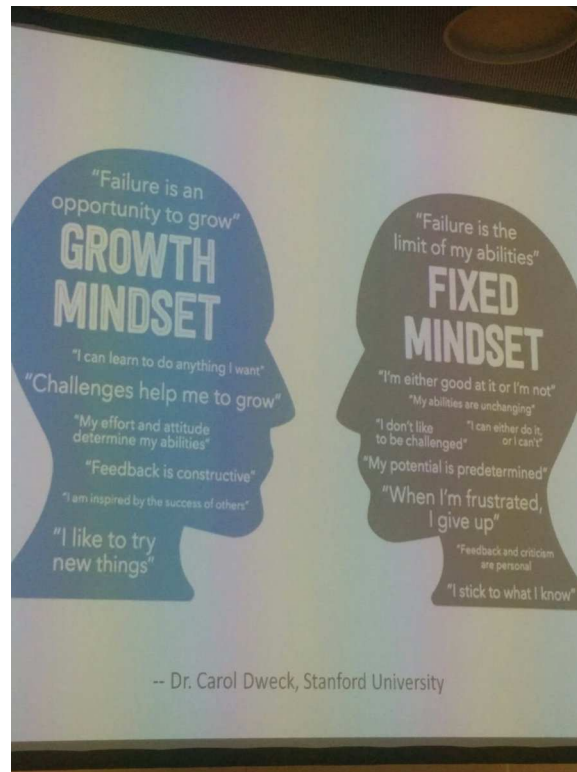
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Visitors enjoy being
part of exhibit development



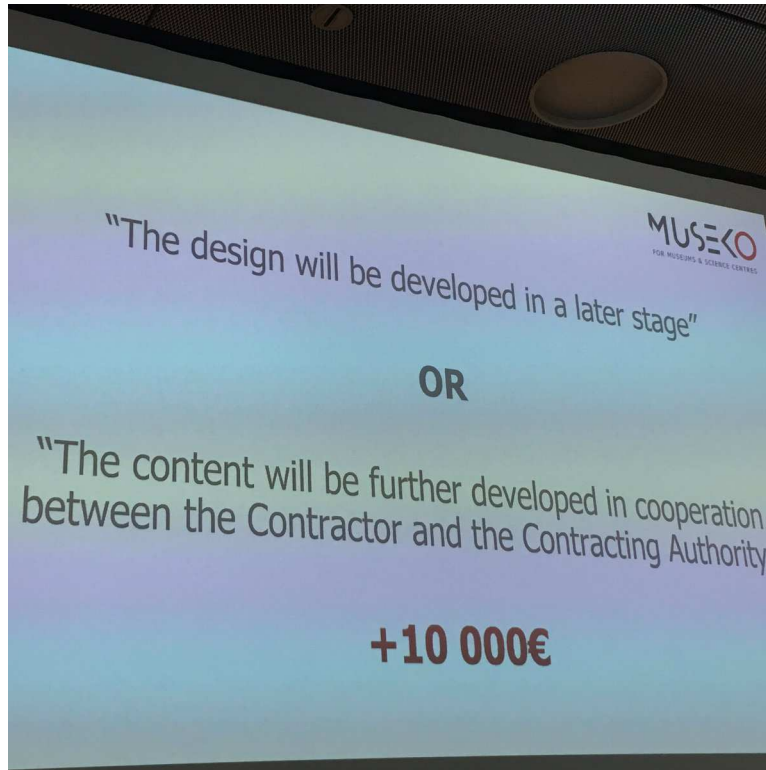
There is no negative impact on visitors by testing cardboard exhibits #audi3 #ecsitem2016
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'Science is not for me' is a fixed mindset conviction that sci centres/museums should shift
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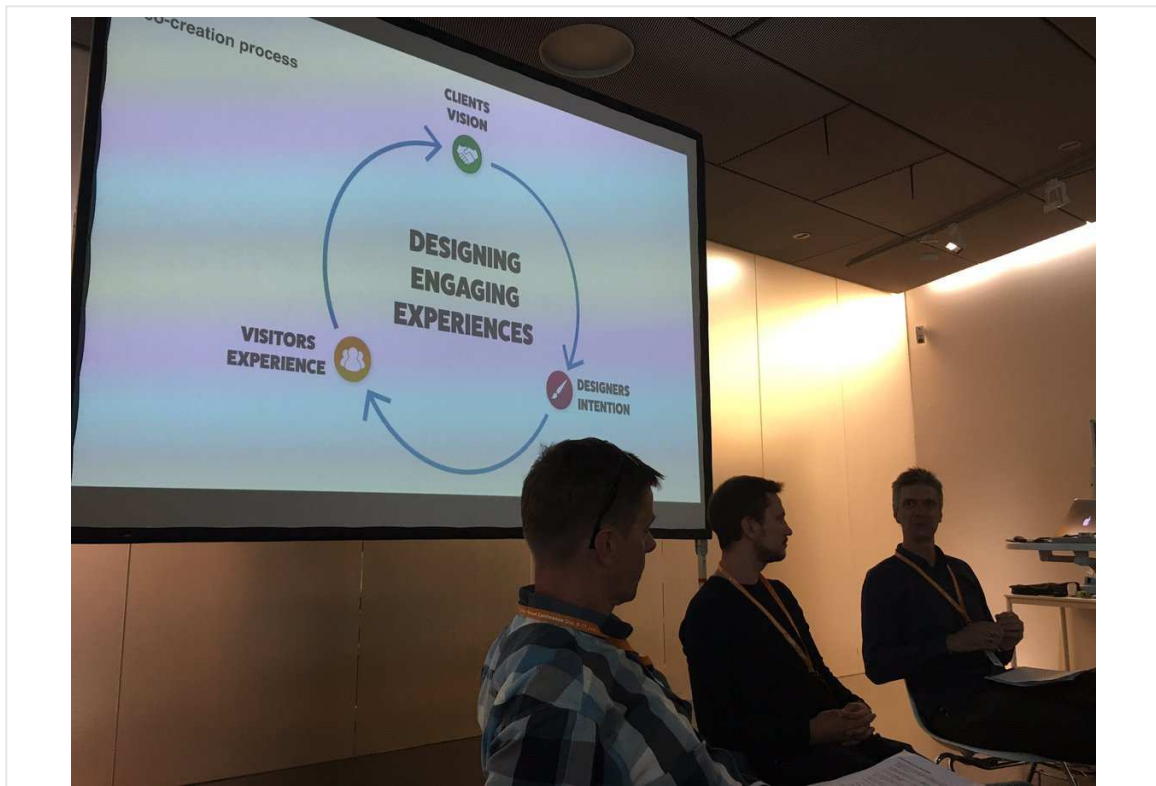
Brief busters from Haiko from [@MUSEKOtweets](#). Worst things you can put in a brief [#ecsitem2016](#)
[#Audi3 pic.twitter.com/TFQRYqmZEj](#)

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The visitor engagement installation profile used by @Expology @GoranJoryd #ecs2016 #audi3 pic.twitter.com/OMhc6aiJAY

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Great to hear designers' views on visitor testing so we can work together better [@ecsite_REV](#)
[#ecsite2016](#) [#audi3](#) pic.twitter.com/V37y7rCZjE


 MARIE HOBSON [@MCHOBSON](#) · 2 YEARS AGO

Shaping the future of facilitation in science museums - morning

Highlighting the issues related to building a community for all staff who deliver learning experiences within a museum. Organised by one of Ecsite's thematic groups, the [Facilitation Group](#).


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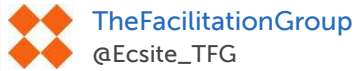
And we are off! Day 2 exploring the future of facilitation [#needle](#) [#ecsite2016](#)

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"Facilitators as shop assistants- help when you need, but mostly leave you alone!" Brad Irwin
[#needle](#) [#ecsite2016](#)

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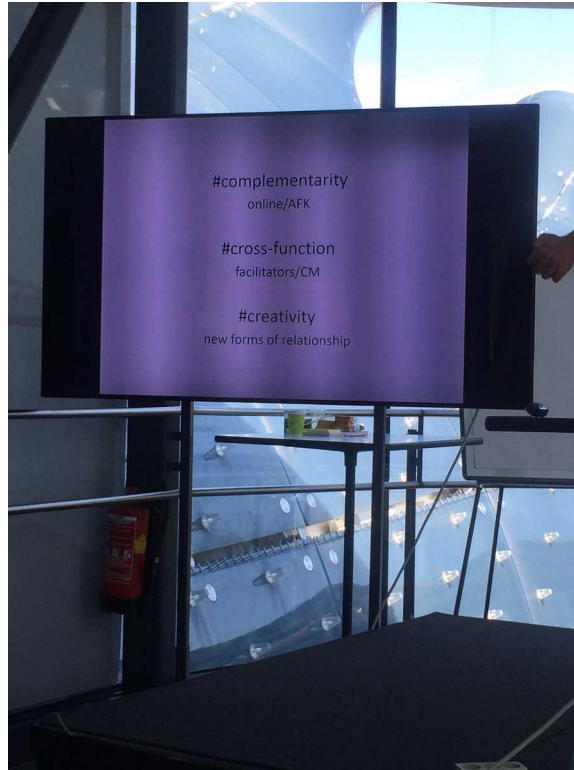
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Facilitators as social media community managers. Interesting connection to Kevin Crowleys broker idea! [#needle](#) [#ecsitem2016](#)



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Social media and facilitation discussion topics [#needle](#) [#ecsitem2016](#) pic.twitter.com/hlw4EtfbS4



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Shivani Singhal

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How do we encourage debate without making political statement, esp in digital facilitation?
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Yikes - looking at the realities of facilitation [#Needle](#) [#ecsite2016](#) pic.twitter.com/6UifGvPgBq

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Developing and sharing “Space for Life” resources - morning

Discussing, co-working and sharing resources, as well as participating in two current projects scheduled to be finalized in the coming years: “Is there life out there” and “Monitoring the Atmosphere and Oceans from Space”. Organised by one of Ecsite's thematic groups, the [Space Group](#), in partnership with the European Space Agency (ESA).



Carmen

@missfenollosa

Rosetta final landing 30 September. Approach your science centre and check out their events
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Connecting visitors with real nature

Exploring on the indoor-outdoor paradox for natural history museums and other venues inviting visitors to examine nature - in a building. Put together by one of Ecsite's thematic groups, the [Nature Group](#).



Opening of nature group by head of natural history museum Graz, Wolfgang Pail [@Joanneum](#)
[#ecsitem2016](#) [#audi1](#) pic.twitter.com/kqHU6RD1xR

MICHAEL NIKI KNOPP [@MCNKNOPP](#) · 2 YEARS AGO



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Putting out a BBQ? Sustainable FSC charcoal exists! Organizing BBQ as way to change behavior towards nature @ Bristol zoo [#ecsitem2016](#) [#audi1](#)

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Check out the Let it grow: A joint EAZA campaign with ecsite and BGCI 14 participants from ecsite, that can be more! [#audi1](#) [#ecsitem2016](#)

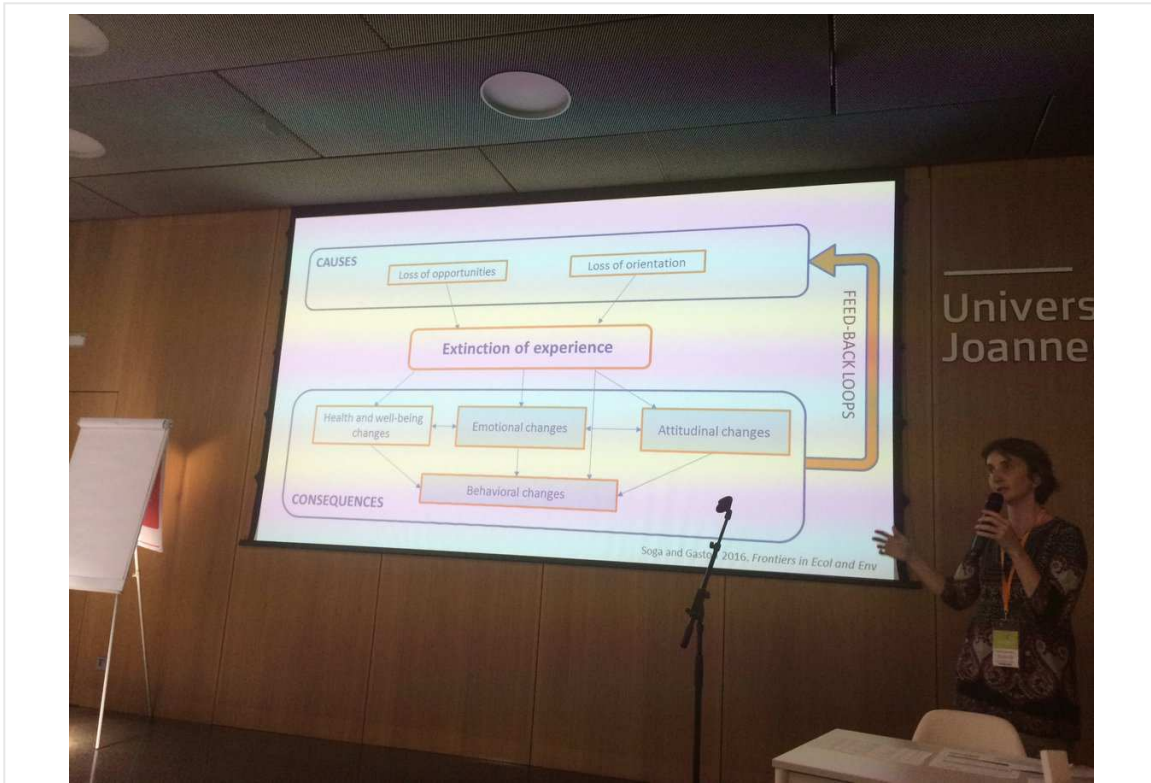
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Real powerful dioramas have a narrative. They depict the right moment and inspires people to create stories themselves [#ecsitem2016](#) [#audi1](#)

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Extinction of experiencing nature causes and consequences #Ecsite2016 #audi1
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Advancing the children’s museums field - morning

A workshop organised in partnership with [Hands On!](#), the International Association of Children in Museums.

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Advancing the children's museums field with a [@HandsOnInt](#) workshop at [#Ecsite2016](#) [#library](#) - about to start.

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Using Tinkering to collaborate with communities - morning

Using shared experience to reflect on the ways that tinkering and making can connect science centres and museums to the larger community.



getting ready to start #tinkering #collaborations #communities pre-conference #space03 #ecsite2016 @Ecsite pic.twitter.com/ddGpmO9y8d

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experimenting with balance #tinkering #ecsite2016 #space03 @TinkeringStudio @Ecsite pic.twitter.com/JnJpgrt4w3

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working on a collaborative kinetic sculpture [#balancing](#) [#tinkering](#) [#ecsitemakers](#) [#ecsite2016](#) [#space03](#) [@Ecsite](#) pic.twitter.com/CVyuH4ZbKI

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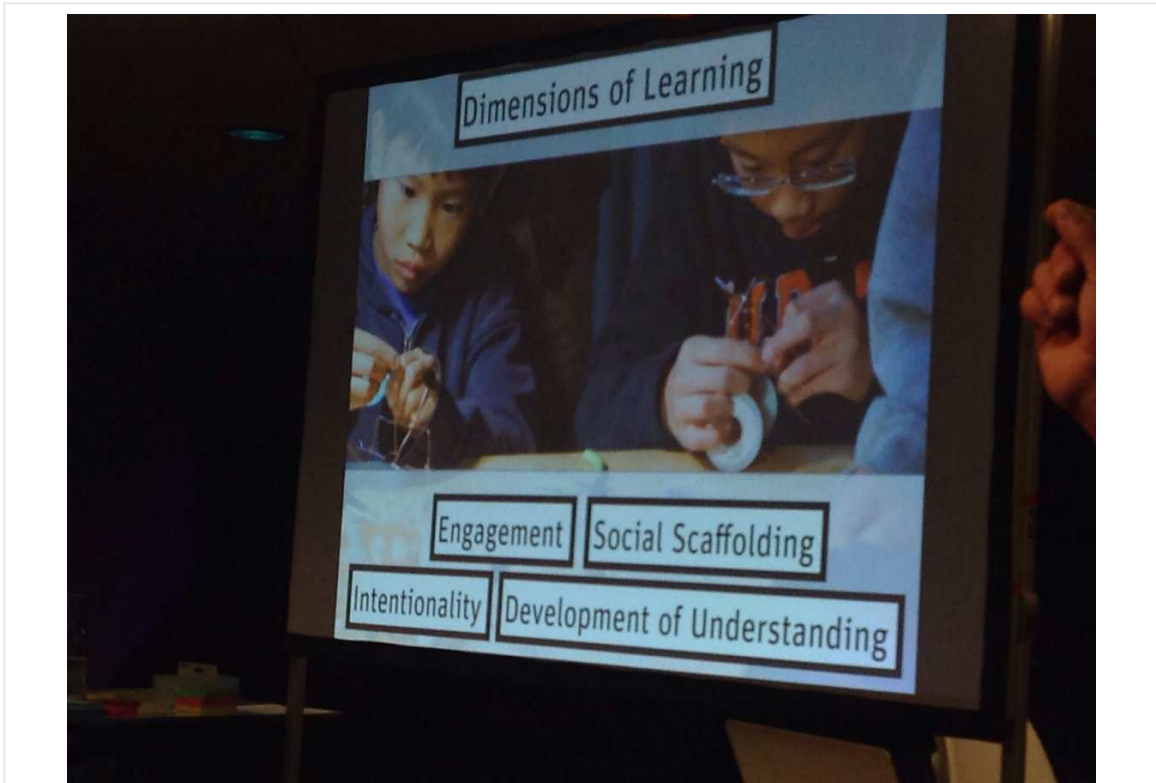
#space03 #ecsitem2016 Our little exhibition !!! pic.twitter.com/DBaSGJZ6w7

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After ENGAGEMENT, INTENTIONALITY is the key element of #tinkering. #ecsite2016 #space03
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It's time for reflections on dimensions of learning on our previous [#tinkering](#) activity ! [#ecsite2016](#)
[#space03](#) pic.twitter.com/SSEMW248x1

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Look how reflective everyone is ! #Tinkering can be serious! #afterparty #ecsite2016 #space03
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now in #space03, @sdk6688 discusses community tinkering @QattanFDN #ecsight2016
pic.twitter.com/0yrfeYWch7

 RYAN JENKINS @RYANEJENKINS  @Ecsite · · 2 YEARS AGO


Making the most of national and trans-national networks - morning

Exploring various possibilities of network cooperation and revealing the power of partnerships and their benefits for all participants.



Michiel Buchel opens the [#networks](#) workshop. [#ecsitem2016](#) [#space04](#) pic.twitter.com/xLSGIUWfU

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"Which words or phrases do you most overuse in your network?" Starting with the proust questionnaire [#Ecsite2016](#) [#space04](#)

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We just counted at least 11 networks joining us at #Ecsite2016 #space04
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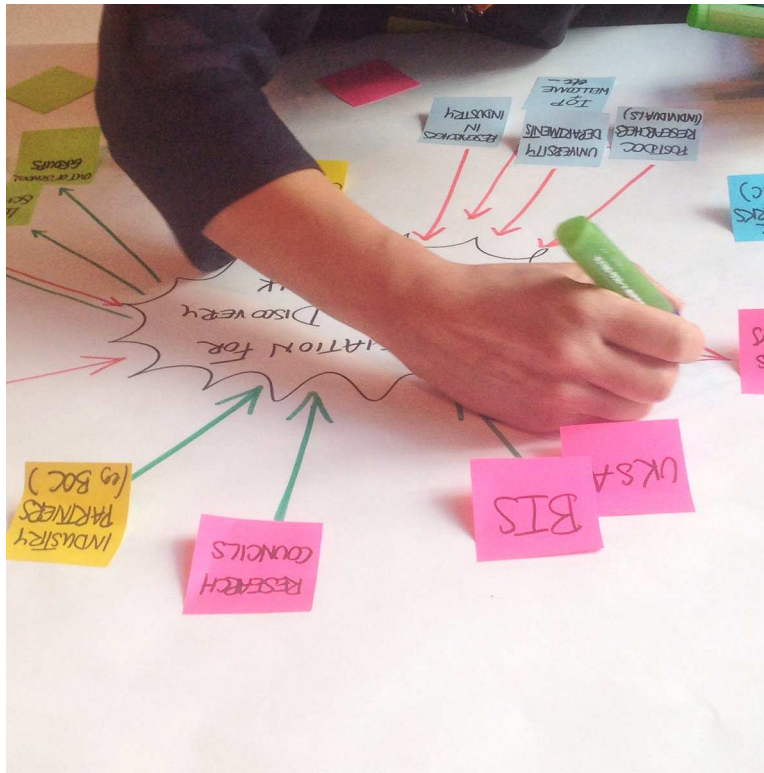
Hermione, Spiderman, Dexter, Hellboy, and others - comparing the networks to superheroes
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Colors of cooperation at #space04 workshop - we create regional #networks stakeholders maps for #SPiN. #ecsitem2016 pic.twitter.com/TQOgSVJ3v5

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Mapping stakeholders #Ecsite2016 #space04 pic.twitter.com/2CK2ZZhlfT

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#spin dream team with @CNKopernik in #Graz #ecsite2016 during #pre-conference #space04
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Advocacy is like stretching your muscles, you have to do it every day, no one sees it, but it is essential for health #Ecsite2016 #space04

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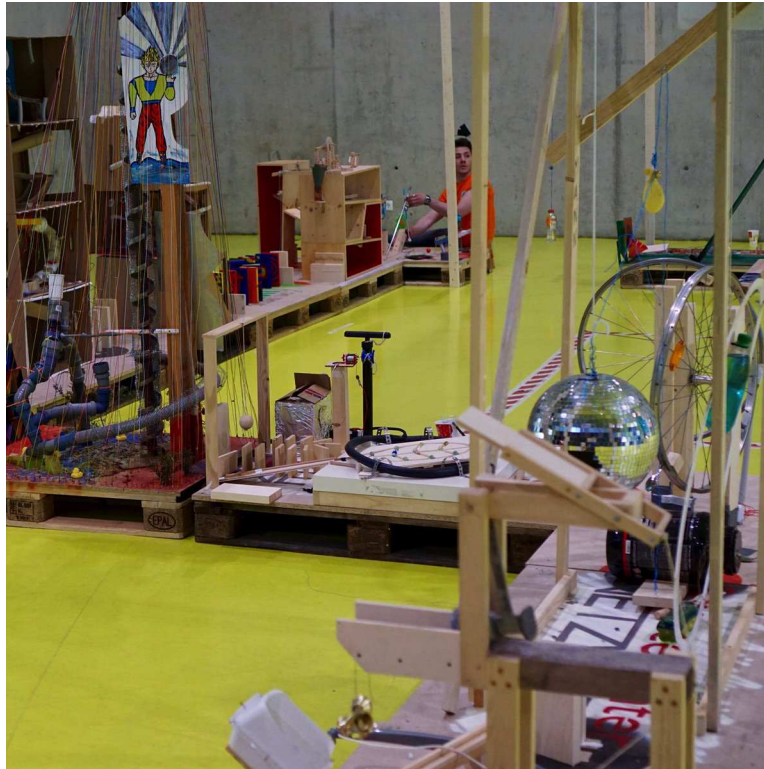
Discussing "Who is your target audience when you promote your network?" #Ecsite2016 #space04

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Meanwhile, in one of the Messe convention centre's big halls... the Ecsite for all public event

All invited! This [public event](#) involved Graz inhabitants: schools classes, kindergarden groups, universities and companies – and of course Ecsite conference participants - in the building of a giant chain reaction. More

iterations planned on Thursday!

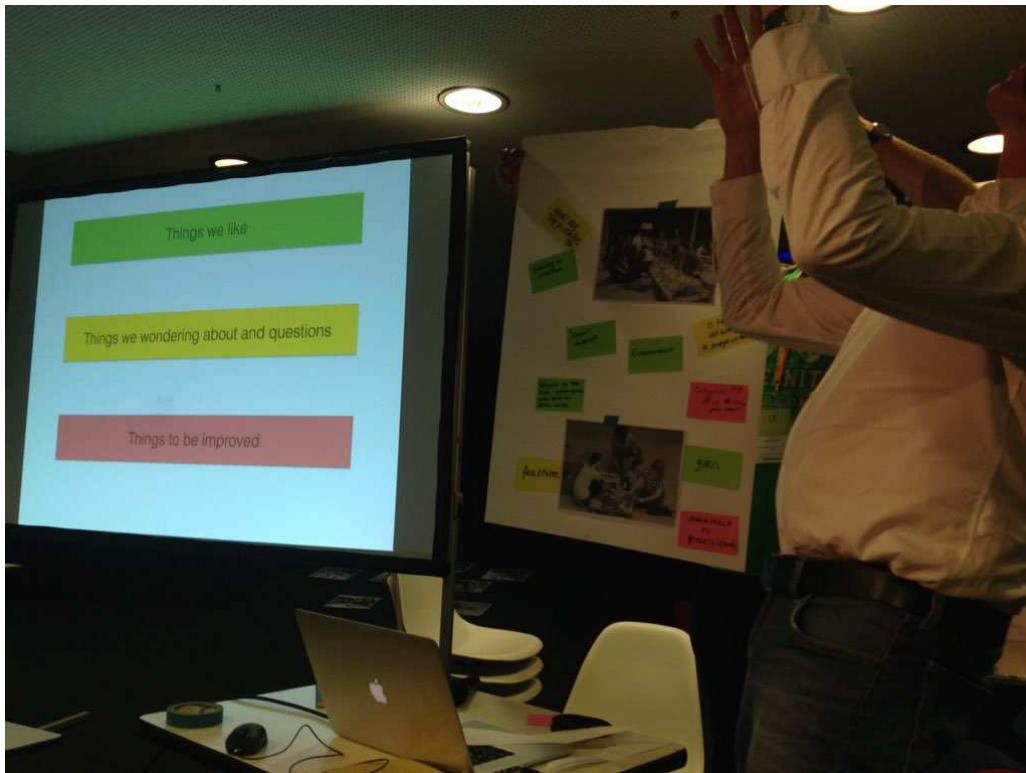


100m of delightful [#chainreaction](#) @ [#Ecsite2016](#). Check it out this Thursday, Messe A [#Ecsitemakers](#) @[TinkeringStudio](#) pic.twitter.com/gAL70PefDt

 SEBASTIAN MARTIN @SMARTINSEB · 2 YEARS AGO

The second #ChainReaction2016 it's going good! Some magic finger but great satisfaction!
#ecsite2016 pic.twitter.com/n6ssSHulN2

 FABRIZIO STAVOLA @FSTAVOLA @elinoroberts · · 2 YEARS AGO



Reflections on #ecsiteforall chain reaction #ecsite2016 #space03 pic.twitter.com/kr7En2CT1l

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13:15 - 14:30 Lunch break



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14:30 - 17:45 Afternoon sessions

After delicious vegetarian lunch it is time to get back to important discussions on science engagement.

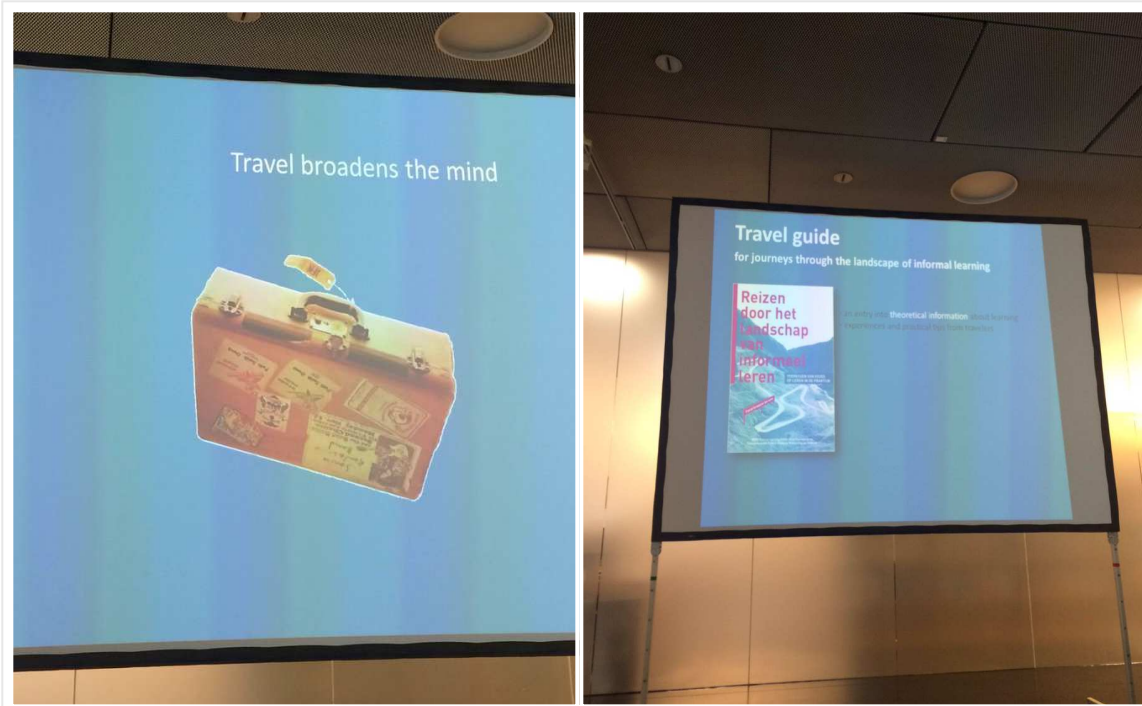
Connecting visitors with real nature - afternoon



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Accessing and implementing research findings - afternoon



Roske Franse about joint project of @NEMOamsterdam & @sciencemuseums - travel broadens the mind #audi3 #ecsite2016 pic.twitter.com/ehNcPLDbrP

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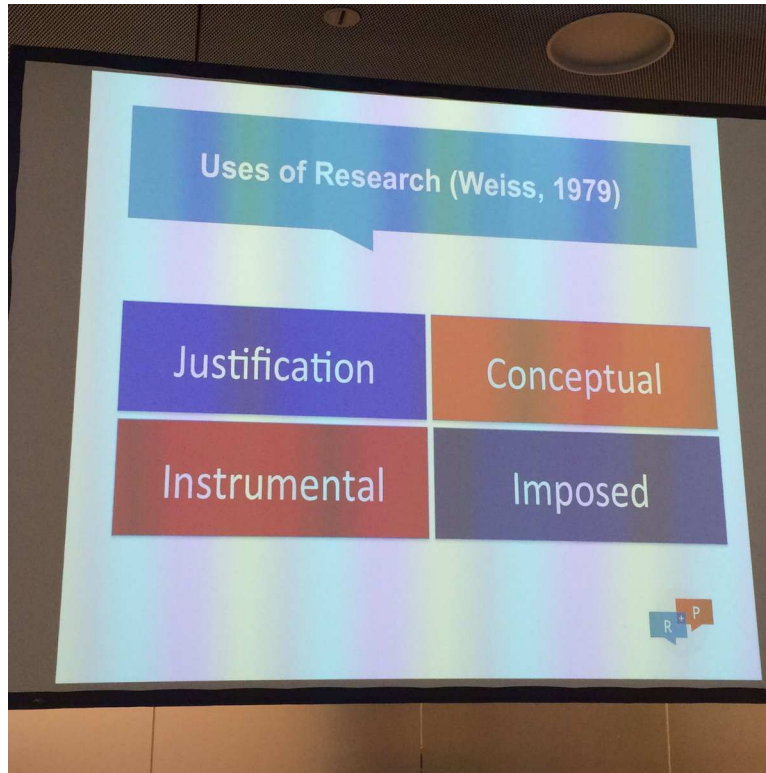


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Knowing theory and research can help you find your 'blind spots' #ecsite2016 #audi3

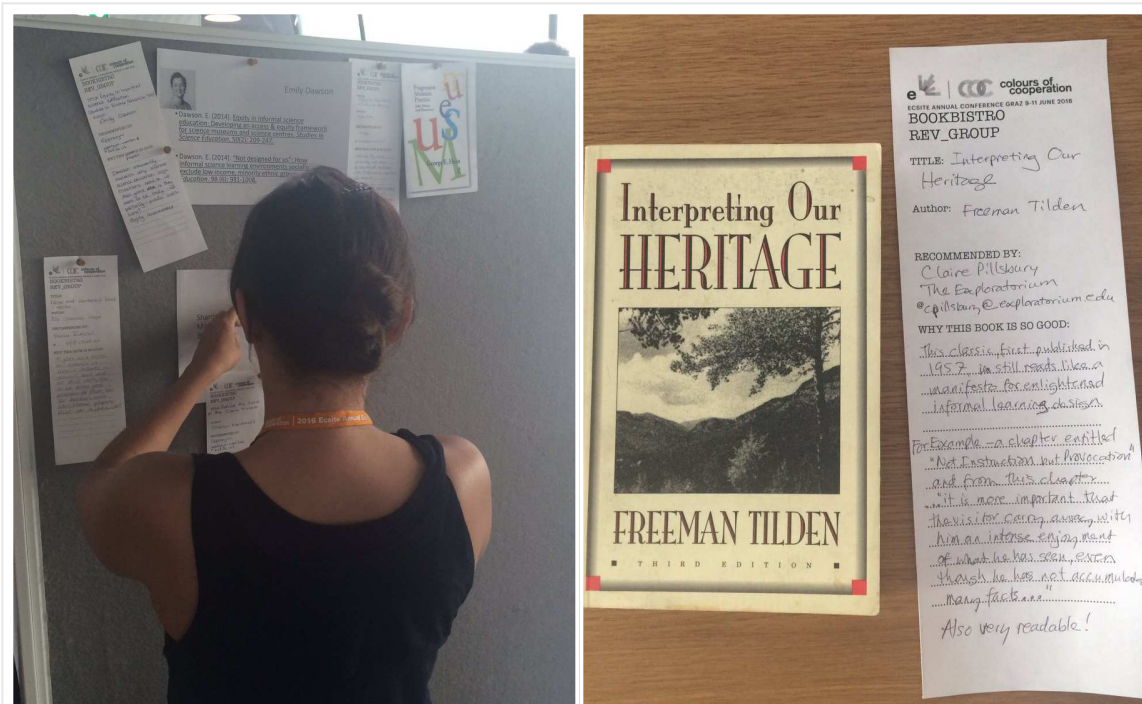


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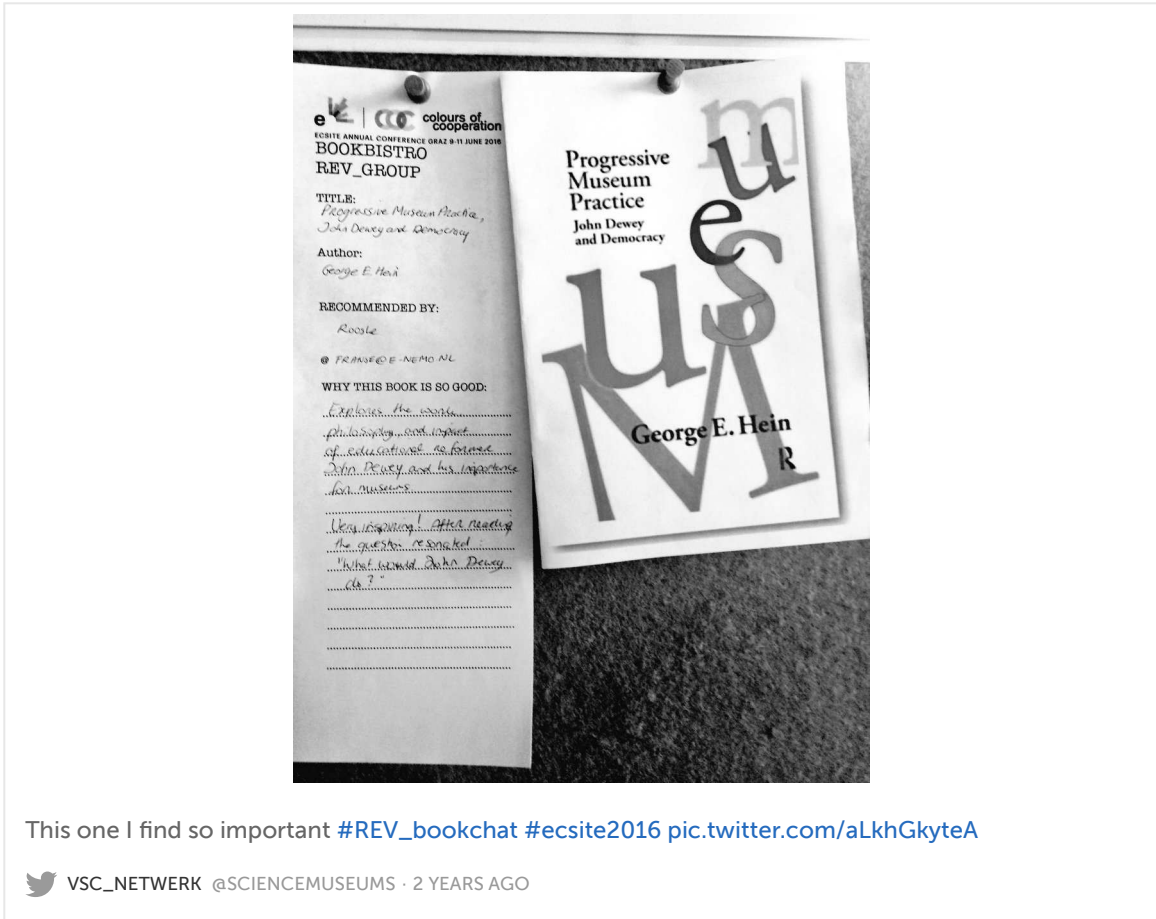
Thinking about the use of research #audi3 #ecsite2016 by Brownwyn Bevan from @RPCollaboratory pic.twitter.com/e0xMWOkome

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We have a Book_bistro here at #audi3 #ecsite2016 - with lots of great suggestions #REV_bookchat pic.twitter.com/DGX2qN4XfU

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This one I find so important #REV_bookchat #ecsite2016 pic.twitter.com/aLkhGkyteA

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Advancing the children's museums field - afternoon

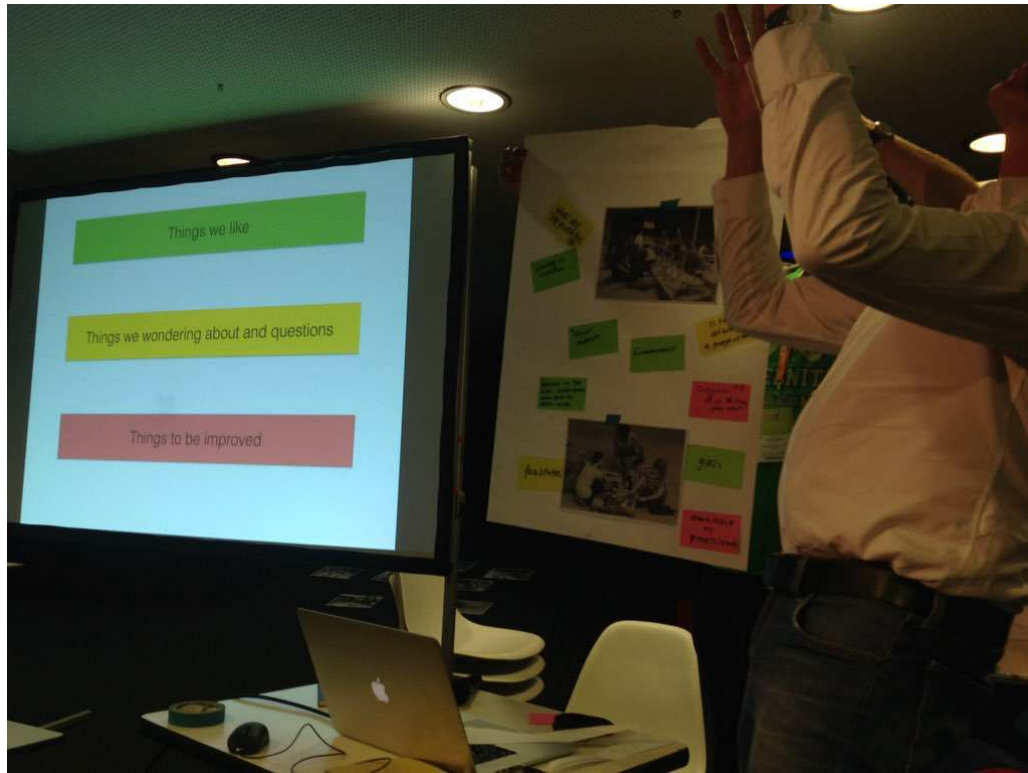
Too busy on an study visit to tweet!

Using Tinkering to collaborate with communities - afternoon



efabrik, a project connecting communities through tinkering @vanesssmall @groupeTraces
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Making the most of national and trans-national networks - afternoon

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You have to be with people, know what are they interested in, do not begin with topics on the agenda #scienceengagement #Ecsite2016 #space04

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We cannot manage complex systems, only guide them - Petra Wagner on networks, complexity and chaos #Ecsite2016 #space04

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MAKING THE MOST OF NATIONAL AND TRANS-NATIONAL NETWORKS

09:00 – 17:45 **SPACE 04 KUNSTHAUS**

WORKSHOP **STRATEGY & VISION** **#space04**

CONVENORS
Robert Firmhofer, CEO, Copernicus Science Centre, Warsaw, Poland (also speaker)
Barbara Streicher, Executive Manager, ScienceCenter-Network, Vienna, Austria, @b_streicher (also speaker)

SPEAKERS
Catherine Belgium
Carlos Ca Ciência V
Didier M
Penny F Discover
Wiktoria Copern

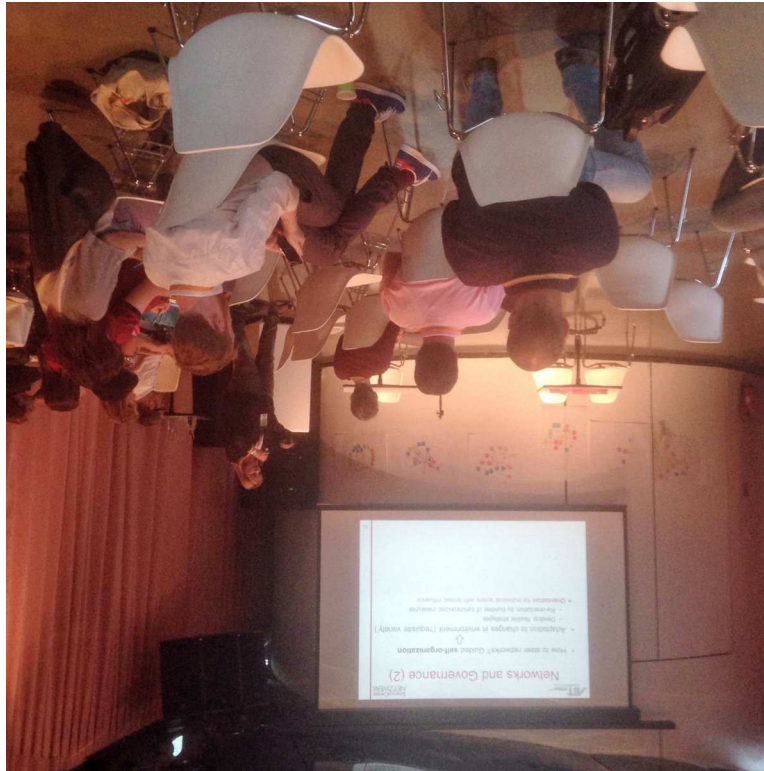
National networks and Ecsite are powerful instruments to develop science engagement. We share common challenges, and our collective effectiveness could be

For networks, with networks, about networks - back after lunch to continue with the workshop




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Turning our understanding of networks upside down #ecsite2016 #space04
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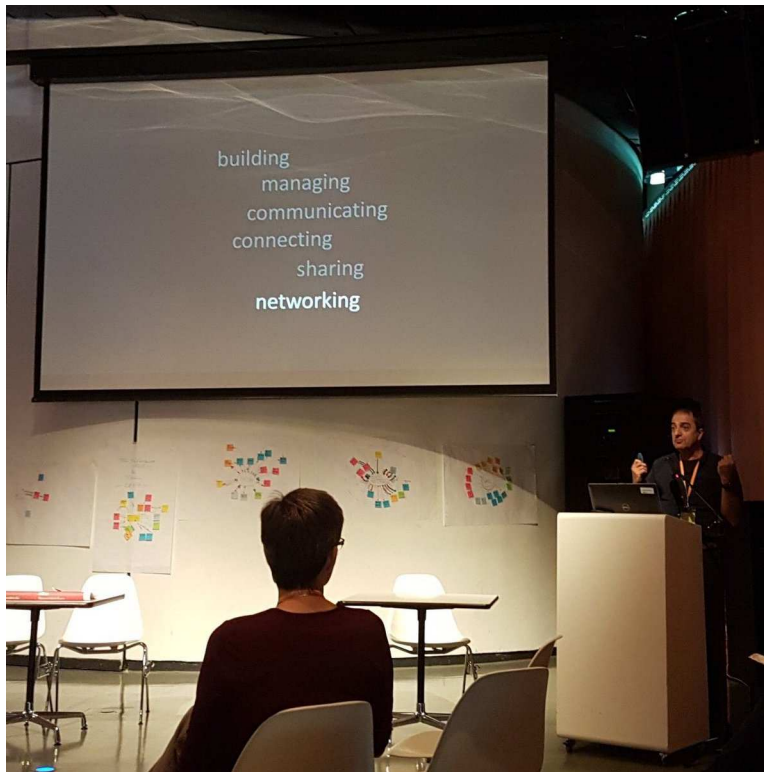
"we are always in the state between network and not work" - sharing experience of running a network #Ecsite2016 #space04

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Story about running a network of science centres in just 6 words #Ecsite2016 #space04
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Carlos Catalao explaining how to get from NOTWORK to NETWORK #ecsitem2016 #space04
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Developing and sharing "Space for Life" resources - afternoon


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Lunar exploration interactive documentary looks incredible. Great job @esa #ecsitem2016.

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lunarexploration.web.esa.int go for it guys! #ecsitem2016 #ecistespace

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Interested in Space Girls Space Women? Contact Fiorella or Sipa Press. #ecsitem2016 #Ecsitespace. Ask us we'll put you in touch with Fiorella


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 **Phil Loring**
@ph_lor


#Space through the eyes of women photographers & women astronauts from around the world #ecsitem2016 [twitter.com/missfenollosa/...](https://twitter.com/missfenollosa/)

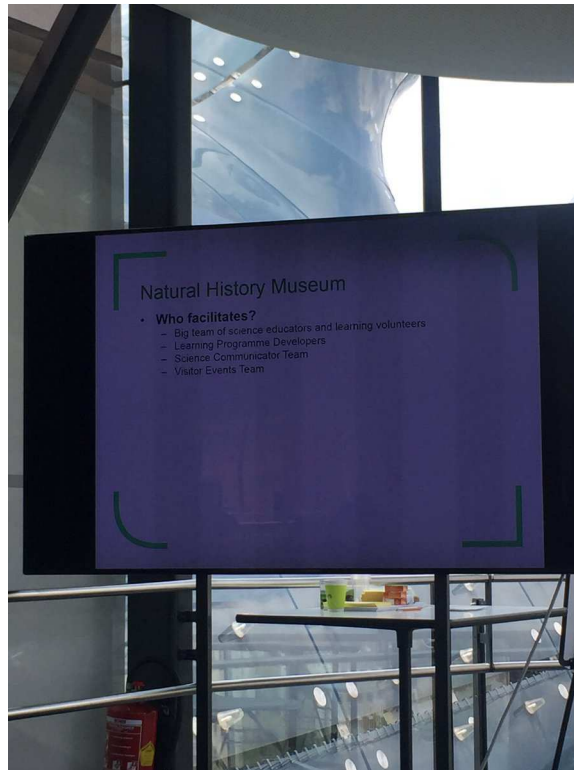
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Shaping the future of facilitation in science museums - afternoon

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And now exploring institutional structures around facilitation #needle #ecsitem2016

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The list of facilitators at the NHM is big and diverse #needle #ecsite2016
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Andrea Troncoso
@aitroncoso


Is it enough to bring a scientist together with the public, to provoke the connection? #ecsite2016 #needle

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Meeting a scientist has a great positive effect on people #ecsite2016 #needle #facilitators

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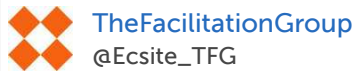
"Shared understanding of what good learning experience is/requires = key to good development & facilitation" Beth Stone #ecsite2016 #needle

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What are the skills of the 21st c facilitator [#needle](#) [#ecsite2016](#) pic.twitter.com/VdulJt9Mg4

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Stuff is getting heavy in [#needle](#). Lots of conflicting opinions. Great stuff [#ecsite2016](#)

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18:30 - 20:30 Speakers Reception

The Graz Children's Museum FRida & freD hosted this cosy reception with Styrian music and dishes. A chance to discover FRida&freD's ingenious exhibitions and meet representatives of Ecsite's partner organisation Hands On!, the International Association of Children in Museums.



Traditional Austrian music at @FRidaundfreD at the speakers reception #ecsitem2016
pic.twitter.com/im3bQbGFNi

 JOHANNA WÖSS @JOHANNA_MARIA_W · 2 YEARS AGO



.@FRidaundfreD Director Jörg Ehtreiber welcoming #Ecsitem2016 speakers to his children's museum
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'Thank you very much for your support and let's make a great conference in Graz' - Michiel Buchel
[#ecsite2016 pic.twitter.com/uJFX6f8LC5](https://pic.twitter.com/uJFX6f8LC5)

 ANNA HOLZHACKER @ANNAHOLZHACKER · 2 YEARS AGO



A warm welcome from the City Council of #Graz, city of design & indulgence - very fitting for the #Ecsite2016 crowd! pic.twitter.com/MVIhBjNC1O

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Not all cooperations are peaceful... great interlude at #Ecsite2016 speakers' reception pic.twitter.com/s6nmq9Jm1b

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Min of Education S. Hammerschmid: brilliant scientific ideas need good communicators & social relevance [#Ecsite2016 pic.twitter.com/4HKJCTbwHQ](https://twitter.com/4HKJCTbwHQ)

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Recognition of critical importance of science, research and creativity at launch of [@Ecsite](#) [#ecsitem2016](#) [pic.twitter.com/ZDKesvBblp](#)

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(Net)working can be fun too! [@FRidaundfreD](#) [#ecsitem2016](#) [pic.twitter.com/SpPe6o6m8T](#)

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Meanwhile, at the Messe convention centre, Business Bistro exhibitors, Makers & Gamers are setting up...

The main conference will move to the Messe tomorrow and our trade fair will be opening - preparations in full swing!



Meanwhile... exhibitors setting up their #BB booth for the grand #Ecsite2016 opening tomorrow!
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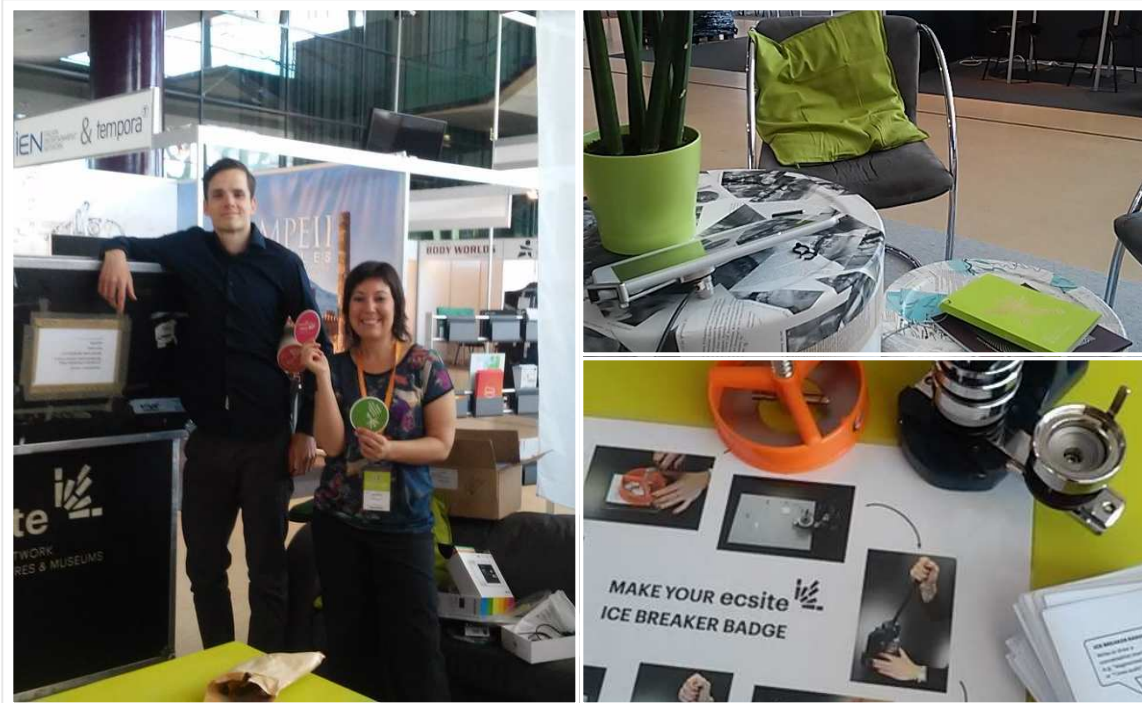
Booth coming together in Graz [#ecsite2016 pic.twitter.com/jKBkRVzRTn](https://twitter.com/jKBkRVzRTn)

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Our lounge at the #BB will look awesome 😊 Visit us tomorrow!

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First ice breaker badges coming out of @Ecsite lounge! Make your own from tomorrow at #Ecsite2016 #BB pic.twitter.com/vbrPx3aAYH

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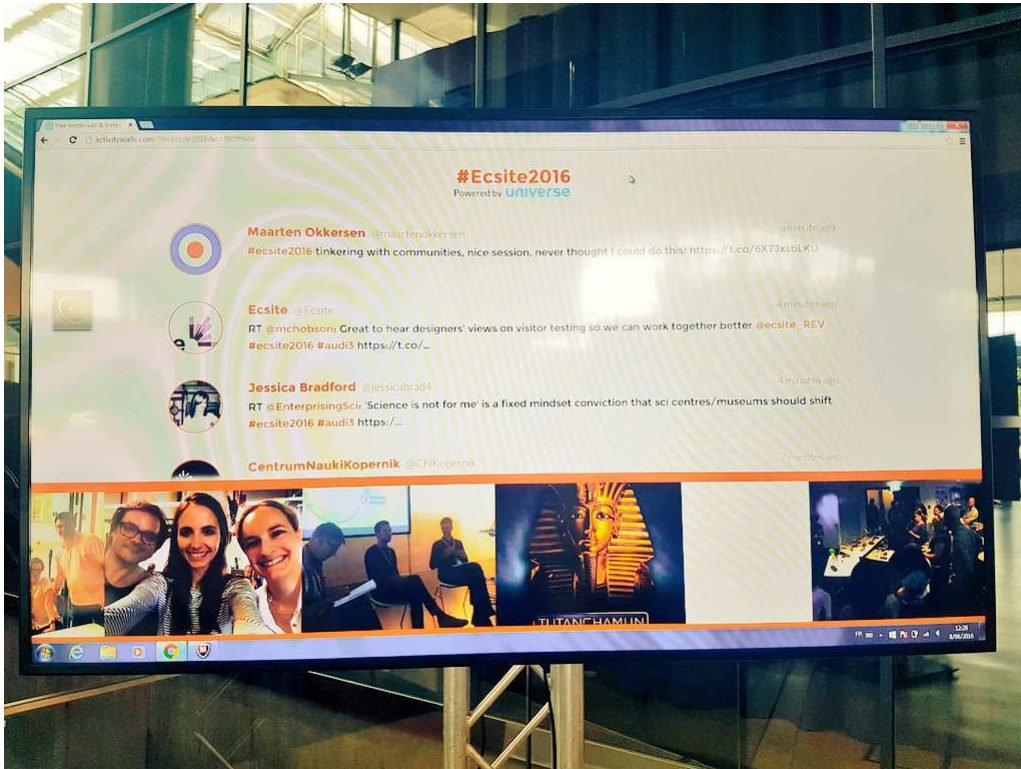
Believe it or not: this the Business bistro at #ecs2016! #BB #relax #beachfeel pic.twitter.com/36mNGjHT1Y

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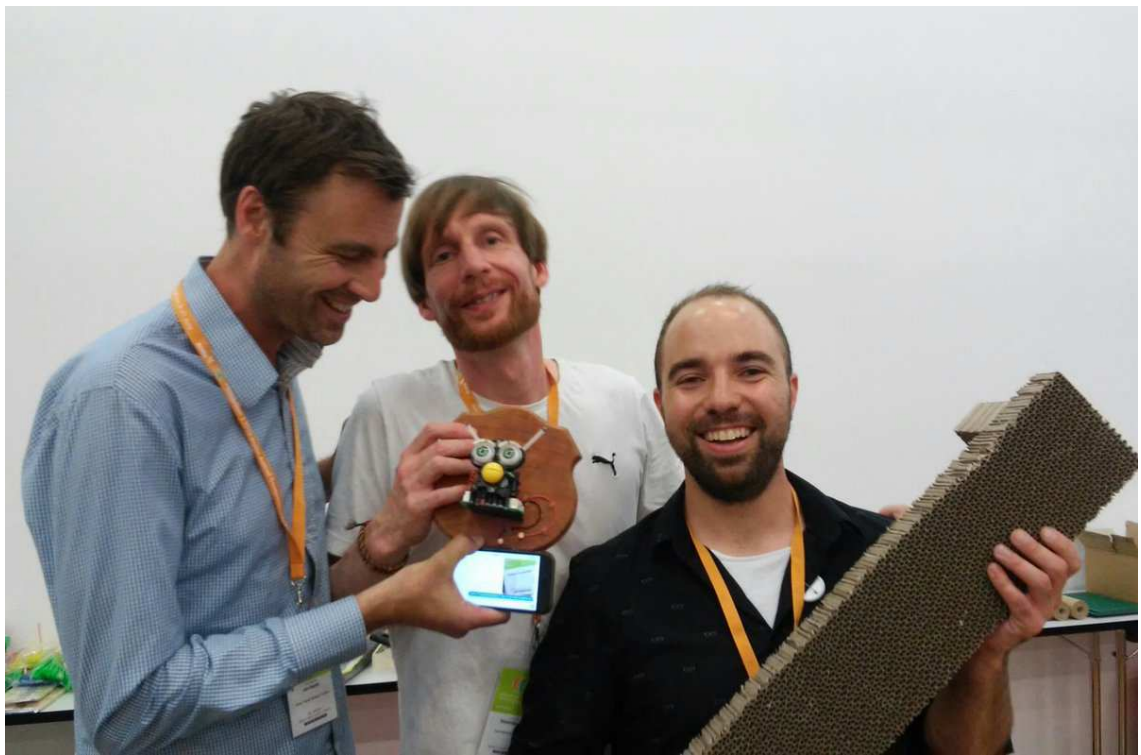
Behind the scenes #ecsite2016 update: Almost finished the #GameLab setup and ready for attendees to come & play! pic.twitter.com/qtUz4xCjzn

🐦 JOHN SEAR @DISCOSTU_UK · 2 YEARS AGO



#Ecsite2016 Twitterers: your wall of fame is up at #BB pic.twitter.com/qZA2dlrd5e

🐦 ECSITE @ECSITE ↩️ @ChristophScho · 2 YEARS AGO



Ever seen a more dedicated team? Still #making stuff! #ecsite2016 #ecsite2016
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pizza, beer, and fancy gloves! elegant atmosphere for the makerspace setup #ecsite2016 #ecsite2016 @Ecsite pic.twitter.com/wtFcGZnuLN

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First exhibitors snack is a success! Fuel to keep setting up booths #ecsite2016 #BB
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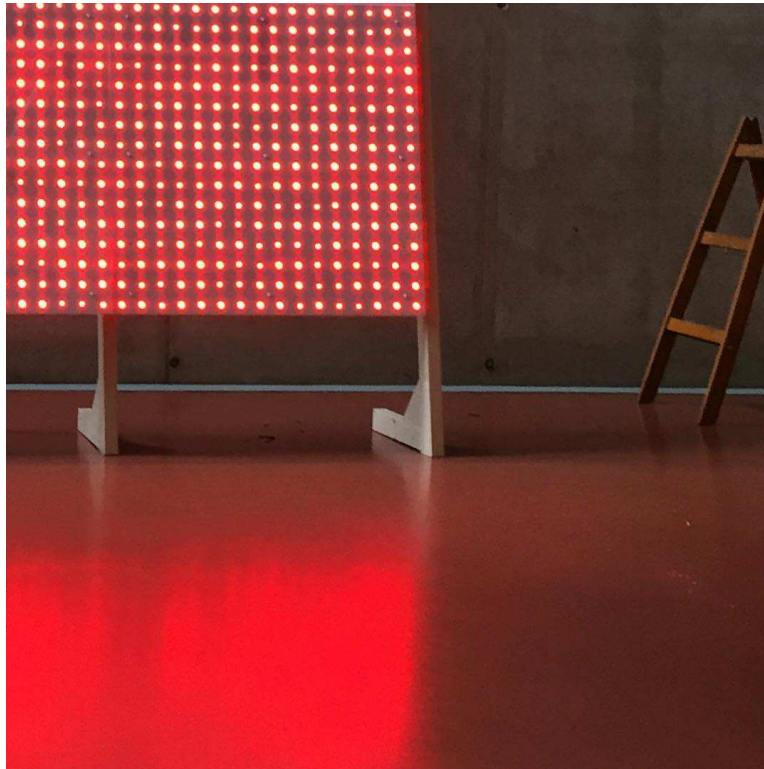
All set for the business bistro tomorrow. Ciencia Viva is waiting for your visit at booth 32.
[#ecsite2016 pic.twitter.com/rPEHwQTq7Z](https://pic.twitter.com/rPEHwQTq7Z)

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we're ready for #ecsite2016 makerspace!!! @smartinseb @NorwayMakers @TinkeringStudio @Ecsite #ecsite2016makers pic.twitter.com/sDjuDETVL4

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See you tomorrow for the first day of main conference - we'll have doubled number of participants and Twitter feeds will be going wild!