



European Alliance of Government IT Service Providers

EU Conference

VITAKO, federal capital Berlin, Major Cities of Europe
June 7th to 9th, 2010 (Berlin)

Initialisation in 2006

- Informal high-level consultations between the CEOs from BRZ and DVZ
- Consideration of similarities, business models, stakeholders as well as contemporary issues and projects

Question

- Where can we cooperate? How can we achieve a greater impact?
 - European projects
 - data centre operation and services
 - Enhancement of government IT applications
 - Concepts / conceptual work

➔ **Exchange of experiences between Government IT-Service Providers**

Starting Point & Challenges

Public government IT-Service Providers face similar conditions within the EU such as

- Regulatory framework
(e.g. laws, inhouse-principle, security aspects)
- Legal status
- Organisational structure, service portfolio and competences
- Dedicated „market“
- Employees and ICT-infrastructure
- Strategic positioning, assigned tasks and objectives
- Mission statement, business objectives and purpose

→Government IT-Service-Providers face the same challenges

Foundation Workshop in 2007 in Vienna

- The Federal Computing Center of Austria (BRZ) initiated the platform together with Datenverarbeitungszentrum Mecklenburg-Vorpommern, Hessische Zentrale für Datenverarbeitung, Dataport and LDS Brandenburg from Germany

„European Alliance of Government IT-Service-Providers“

- Open for all government IT Service Providers
 - Public entities regardless of legal status
 - Owned / supervised by any public administration authority in Europe
- Prepare for the challenges of the future through networking and cooperation**

Federal Computing
Center of Austria



Dataport AÖR



Datenverarbeitungs-
zentrum Mecklenburg-
Vorpommern GmbH
(DVZ M-V)



Hessische Zentrale für
Datenverarbeitung (HZD)



Informatikzentrum
Landesverwaltung
Baden-Württemberg
(IZLBW)



IT-Dienstleistungs-
zentrum Berlin
(ITDZ-Berlin)



Rechenzentrum der
Wiener Stadtverwaltung
(MA 14)



Computing Center of the
Province Oberösterreich
of Austria



VITAKO



Vision

- **Starting Point:** a number of government IT service providers in German speaking region
 - **Ambition:** every government IT service provider in Europe as a member of the Alliance
- **Go Europe!**





Objectives

The initiative's objective is an evolving close cross-border collaboration, which will enhance the members' efficiency and benefit our customers, i.e. the public administration

- Build a trans-European network
- Sharing of best practices and know-how transfer in eGovernment
- Shared IT services platform
- Identify harmonisation potential for IT used in public administration

→ Mutual support within the framework of common challenges

Main Focus: Cooperation at EU level

The focus lies on the collaboration on relevant EU topics concerning the public administration as well as related projects.

- Offering advisory services for the EU legislative body concerning ICT-impact assessment
- Joint treatment of external inquiries on ICT topics relevant for public administration
- Collaboration with important ICT bodies of the EU (e.g. DIGIT, IDABC/ISA)
- Joint work on EU, research and development projects
- Screening of EU programs for potential for common project submissions

Every member
of the alliance
delegates



Aims of study

- Examine the potentials and chances of the "European Alliance of Government IT-Service providers"
 - in the European scope of duties
 - in cross-border, regional fields of applications and cross-sectional tasks
 - as well as legal issues
- Identify the USPs and the area of action for cooperations within the scope of the "European Alliance of Government IT service-providers"

Activities of working

- Institutionalisation
- Presentation of the Alliance
- Formulation of the Alliance's strategy
- Screening of potential EU projects
- Marketing: Homepage, fact sheet, EU-Portal
- **Expert Monitoring of the scientific study for the Alliance**

Different interests

European Alliance of Government IT-Service-Providers

- Cooperation between Government IT Service Providers esp. in EU topics
- Achieve potential synergies
- Contact point and platform on an EU level
- Improvement in efficiency of members performance
- Voluntary and open network

compared
to

Business sector specific unions

- Mouthpiece for interests of their private organisations
- Exert influence on political and economical chances of business conditions by means of lobbying
- Free development potential for the market
- Deliberate marketing for the members



More Information

www.gov-it.eu (currently only available in German)



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Die Allianz ist ein Zusammenschluss europäischer Verwaltungs-IT-Dienstleister, soweit sie von öffentlich-rechtlichen Körperschaften getragen werden, zum Austausch und zur gegenseitigen Unterstützung in jenen Bereichen und Fragestellungen, die IT-Dienstleister der öffentlichen Verwaltung im Besonderen betreffen.



E-Government



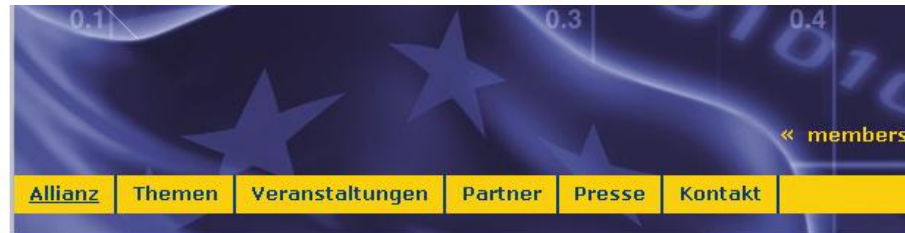
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European Alliance of Government IT-Service-Providers

AN INITIATIVE SINCE 2007

PERSUING A COMMON STRATEGY
The alliance is a union of European Government IT service providers for the interchange of ideas and experiences and to the mutual support in those domains and questions which ICT service providers of the public administration concern in particular.

MASTERING SIMILAR CHALLENGES
Public government IT-service providers within the EU work under similar general conditions and face comparable challenges:

- Legal framework
- Legal status, organisation, staff
- Positioning, purpose, expertise
- Structure, product & service portfolio
- ICT infrastructure
- Tasks, operating figures

OBJECTIVES

- Build up an european-wide network
- Exchange of Best Practices
- Know-how transfer
- Join work on EU-, research and development projects
- ICT-impact assessment for EU legislations
- Shared ICT services platform
- Cross-border exchange of common applications
- Mutual support for developing public ICT-Services

COOPERATING AT EU LEVEL
The focus lies on the collaboration on relevant EU subjects for the public management as well as with linked projects.

- Networking at EU level (e.g., Brussels visit at EU committee)
- Extending advisory services to the EU legislative body concerning ICT-impact assessment (e.g. of EU guidelines)
- Concerted treatment of external inquiries on ICT topics relevant for public administration
- Collaboration with important ICT bodies of the EU (e.g., DIGIT, IDABC/ISA)
- Screening of EU programmes for potential for joint project submissions
- Identify harmonisation potential in public administration



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LIVING VISIONS
The network supports the vision to be active as an ICT integrator for EU applications and creates also a benefit for the customers of the public management.

COOPERATING ACTIVELY

- Workshops and consultations on management-level
- Continuous exchange of know-how and expertise
- Participation in the thematic workshops of the Alliance
- Joint development of standards for the European Public-Administration ICT
- Common communication strategy towards the EU
- Initiation of joint EU-projects
- Development and implementation of concerted e-government concepts
- Enlargement of the network by gaining new members, i.e. government IT-service providers from EU member states

MAKING USE OF THE ALLIANCE'S ADVANTAGES

- Open network for public administration ICT service providers in Europe
- Socialise contacts
- Promote co-operative collaboration

2010: STUDY ON THE ALLIANCE
The study examines the potential and opportunities of the „European Alliance of Government IT-Service Providers“ within European scopes of duties, in regional cross-border fields of applications and in cross-sectional tasks on the basis of precise cases and conceivable constructions.

Possible starting-points and the area of action for co-operation within the scope of the "European Alliance of Government IT Service -Providers" are identified and illuminated.

Measures and recommendations for action will be derived from this, including a roadmap for the further development of the action rooms for public IT service providers, together with partners in the EU.

MEMBERS (EDITION MAY, 2010)

- Amt der oberösterreichischen Landesregierung (Abteilung Informationstechnologie)
- Federal Computing Center of Austria (Bundesrechenzentrum GmbH)
- Dataport AöR
- DVZ Datenverarbeitungszentrum Mecklenburg-Vorpommern GmbH
- Hessische Zentrale für Datenverarbeitung
- Informalitzentrum Landesverwaltung Baden-Württemberg
- IT-Dienstleistungszentrum Berlin
- Rechenzentrum der Wiener Stadtverwaltung (Ma 14)
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