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Grassroot Wavelengths Project

The Grassroot Wavelengths project will create a game changing network of inclusive digital platforms for citizen engagement, community deliberation, and the free flow of information within, into, and out of discrete geographic communities by piloting solutions for connected, inexpensive, community owned and operated radio across Europe. https://grassrootsradio.eu/

Issues Faced

The internet has helped to bring people together from all over the world, but it has not helped neighborhoods or communities nearly as well.

Key Objectives

Deploy and test a network of low-power community radio stations in Ireland, Portugal, and Romania. Work with community groups, journalists, etc, to develop a robust platform for expansion across Europe. Enhance use and accessibility of networked community radio. Work to establish a public support infrastructure for local ownership.

Main Results

Deployment, design, development and evaluation of pilot community radio stations across the three participating countries.
Learn about good practices in adapting and appropriating a relatively simple technology to meet the specific needs and community life of their members.
Innovate and develop prototypes quickly, use in-platform testing, and put working systems into the hands of communities.

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