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**'Nodes On A Web: The Fediverse in/for Public Institutions' — unconference**

We're excited to invite you to participate in the unconference 'Nodes On A Web (NOAW): The Fediverse in/for Public Institutions', organised in collaboration with FediVariety, a research initiative supported by SABOA and NLnet foundations, the Dutch Government (CIO-Rijk) and the City of Amsterdam.

**The event will take place on March 19-20, 2026, in Amsterdam (1,5 days).**

Our goal is to bring together practitioners to share experiences and insights, and build new collaborations. We are looking for individuals and groups who care about creating sustainable alternative social media and an open social web. These can be developers, administrators, content managers, moderators, coders, digital activists, and open-source enthusiasts within the broader Fediverse community.

**Let's discuss the future of the Fediverse (in/for public institutions) together.**

How can we encourage broader adoption and ensure sustainable development of its protocols and features? The unconference format enables participants to create a dynamic agenda, collaboratively shaping content and selecting topics to foster openness and interaction in a relaxed setting.

**There will be a presentation of findings from our upcoming FediVariety report**, which focuses on recommendations and lessons learned from integrating the Fediverse for public administrations. Our investigation delved into the **European Data Protection Supervisor (EDPS) pilot project, 'EU Voice/Video'**. Set to be published in early 2026, this report will serve as a catalyst for our upcoming NOAW unconference.

**But we mainly want to hear from you!**

Outcomes of the unconference will be documented and published to preserve valuable ideas for a wider audience and setting the stage for future debates and unconferences. Join the discussion and bring your topic!

**More information on the NOAW unconference, the format and registration** can be found here:

<https://fedivariety.org/unconference>

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