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European eDemocracy Award 2005

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The European eDemocracy Award 2005

The European eDemocracy Award :

- ⊗ an annual trophy → European e-Democracy website/online e-Democracy initiative;
- ⊗ 50 selected websites/initiatives in the 25 EU Member States;





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The eDemocracy Value

- ⊗ A magnifying glass to analyze the evolution of eDemocracy in Europe;
- ⊗ A practical concept (T.E. Cook index & Public Value Management (PVM));
- ⊗ Confronts a given feature/service disclosed by a website/initiative, providing an added-value to the democratic process of a given community;
- ⊗ The **POLITECH INDEX** (PD; DD; CD; TD)
- ⊗ The **IP-LABEL INDEX**

$$\text{European e-Democracy index} = \text{Politech index} + \text{Ip-label index} * 100$$


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The Results

- ⊗ The UK Local eDemocracy National Project (22 projects, 80 tools, multi-channel):
 - a unique approach to local democracy, involving all stakeholders in developing policy and holding decision makers to account
- ⊗ The winners per categories are:
 - BRISTOL CITY COUNCIL (UK – 67.33 %); LOCAL EDEMOCRACY NATIONAL PROJECT (UK – 83 %); STEVE WEBB, MP, OFFICIAL WEBSITE (UK – 58%); DÉMOCRATIE ÉLECTRONIQUE.ORG (F – 68.66%); ICAN BBC PROJECT (UK – 71.33%); THE SCOTTISH PARLIAMENT (UK – 73.33%); UMP OFFICIAL WEBSITE (F – 62%); YOUR VOICE IN EUROPE (EU – 39.83%)

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- Delivers powerful and expert activities, services and instruments to empower, train, educate, activate and mobilize public, academic, civil and private stakeholders;
- The European Review of Political Technologies;
- Dynamic partnerships with key actors (e.g. Global Cities Dialogue and e-Forum) and with prominent international events ("Worldwide Forum on e-Democracy", "Global Forum, Shaping the Future").

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