TrainingsKit

A project on how to empower volunteers to teach Wikipedia
Practical Editing Workshops are great!
Challenges for Educators

- Changing contexts
- Course preparation
- Heterogeneous groups
- Expert perspective
- Didactical know-how for practical exercises
The idea: a TrainingsKit

- Standard presentation
- Course outline and didactical advice
- Checklist for course preparation
- Materials for learners
- Evaluation forms
How to create a TrainingsKit:

- **Research and planning**
  - Collection of best practices
  - Interviews of trainers
  - Analysis of existing materials
  - Establishment of a core team

- **Development**
  - Many many iterations!
  - Feedback from experts and core team

- **Advertisement**
  - Publication of materials
  - Advertising in community
  - Testing

- **Development of further modules and additional materials...**

- **Practical Training**
  - Train the trainer
  - Wikipedia workshops

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Lessons learned

- Takes a lot of time!
- No exchange between trainers and no trainer community
- Decentral organization of workshops
- No pool of materials
- No tradition of practical exercises
Translate, Share, Reuse!
Thank you!

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