

# BUDDY *project*

## WHAT IS THE BUDDY PROJECT ABOUT?

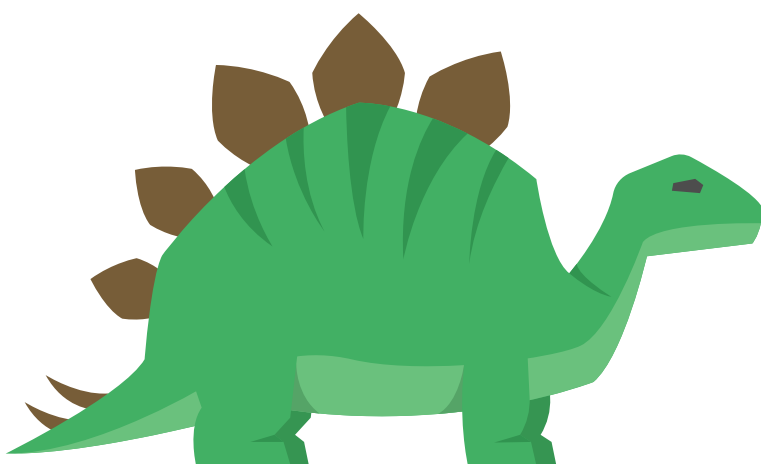
Our aim is that through this offer everyone can make the most of their experience here in Berlin and take as many impressions, contacts, ideas and inspirations home as possible.

Of course, the Buddy Project is based on voluntary participation. Still, the idea is that Buddies meet from time to time, for example during breaks, which will give you the chance to discuss the Conference or just get to know each other.

### FOR EXPERIENCED PARTICIPANTS:

Taking part as an experienced participant would mean having the chance to pass on own experiences and at the same time obtain new input and perspectives on various topics.

You may help newcomers to build their own network and provide good conditions for an effortless start into the Movement in order to contribute to the enormous important goal to ensure a continuous involvement of new Wikimedians.



### BEING A NEWCOMER:

Newcomers will have someone you can turn to specifically with any questions you might have, either concerning the conference in particular or the Wikimedia Movement in general.

You will also have a first contact person, which will contribute to a quick and effortless involvement into the Wikimedia Conference and the Movement itself. Getting in touch with other participants by benefitting from the contacts your allocated Buddy has established already will also help to build your own network.

