



A NEW YEAR OF TECHSTORMING

**Why a TECHSTORM  
and not a regular hackathon?**

**Brainstorm – gamestorm - techstorm**

15% female developers

+

Low participation of gender diverse people

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Beginner and intermediate level friendly

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Training, support and free 'hacking'

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**Wiki Techstorm**

From  
WOMEN TECHSTORM  
to  
WIKI TECHSTORM

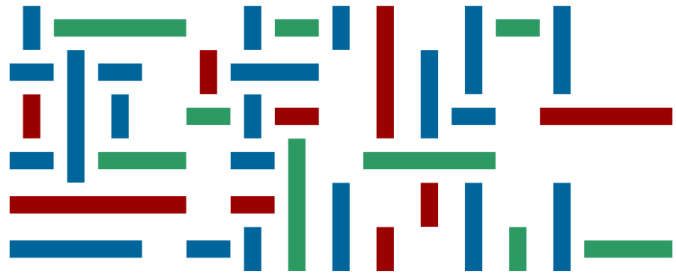




## **WOMEN TECH STORM**

May 2018 -  
Royal Library The  
Hague (Netherlands)

- 30 participants + 15 mentors
- Participants: 100% women and gender diverse people
- Wikimedians who want to know more about technical stuff
- Developers wanting to know more about Wiki universe
- Beginner and intermediate level



**TECHSTORM  
2018**

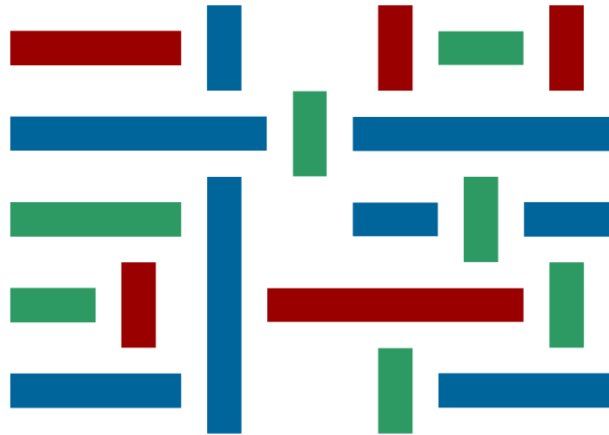
**ALL INCLUSIVE**

November 2018 -  
Royal Library The  
Hague (Netherlands)

- 45 participants + 15 mentors
- Participants: 80% women and gender diverse people/20% men
- Wikimedians
- Developers
- GLAM organisations
- Beginner and intermediate level

# Friday November 22nd & Saturday 23rd 2019

Stayokay conference center – Amsterdam (Netherlands)



**WIKI  
TECHSTORM**

- 60 participants + 15 mentors
- Participants: 80% women and gender diverse people/20% men
- Wikimedians
- Developers
- GLAM organisations
- Group of experienced developers
- Beginner and intermediate level

Things to take away

**1. Facilitate the step from theoretical workshops to active participation**

- workshop/training end with a practical activity
- number of practical projects are defined beforehand and put in Phabricator



# Things to take away

## 2. Mentors that are experienced in specific areas



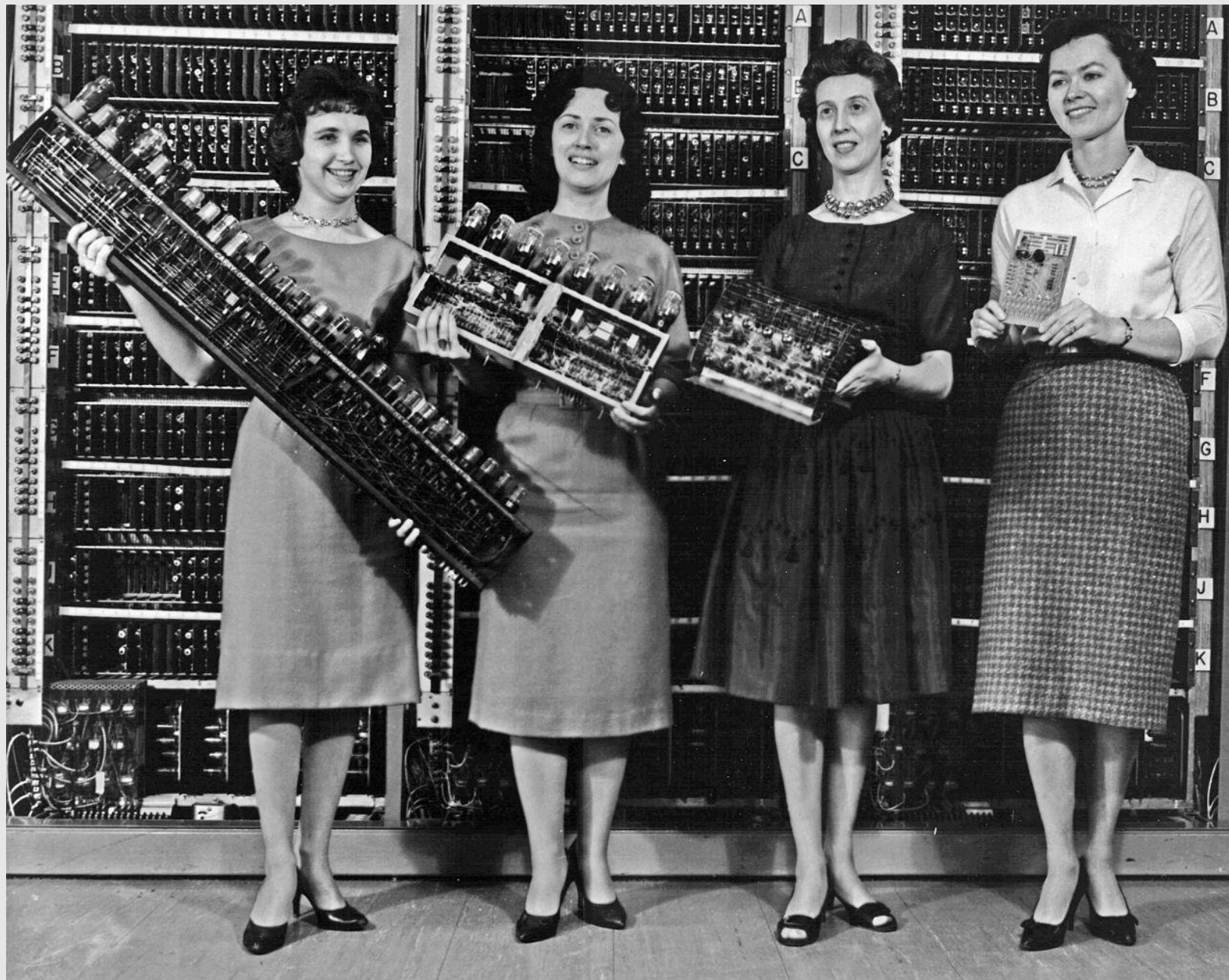
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3. Keep focusing on **participation of women and gender diverse people** (especially when they think they aren't 'technical' enough)

Things to take away

4. **Diversity of participants:** Wikimedians,  
beginning/intermediate/advanced developers, GLAM  
institutions

(and don't forget to cater programme towards their  
different knowledge levels)



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