

Good evening ladies and gentlemen. It is November 7<sup>th</sup> 2021, and this is the 7at7 series broadcasting from L200, here, and BigBlueButton, also here.

Every 7th of the month at 7pm, we offer an experimental news program about the digital world, and a special topic on digital empowerment.

“We” is a coalition of organizations, the ISOC Switzerland Chapter, the pEp foundation, NetHood, Digitale Gesellschaft, CCC-CH, the L200 space, and more.

To the increasing daily disasters that Internet corporations cause to privacy and democracy, even to public health, we want to add positive stories of tangible alternatives, about what all of us could do to create a more healthy and sustainable Internet ecosystem.

This month we will feature a new booklet on digitalization and sustainability published by WOZ and produced by a variety of organization and people active on digital empowerment.

We have with us Rahel Estermann (here at L200) and Nana Karlstetter, two of the key people behind this important initiative toward a more sustainable Internet.

But before we discuss the content of this brochure, let's see a few of this month's important news.

After so many scandals Facebook decided to entertain us and brings back from the past dystopian visions for the futures, and luckily more and more people see that Facebook and the like cannot help address the urgent needs for a more human and ecological future.

Indeed, there are many that make concrete efforts in this direction and 21 of October was the first Global Encryption Day. We are invited to "Make the Switch" and many of the organizations behind the 7at7 series like ISOC Switzerland were very active in promoting this initiative.

On the same front, this of privacy, Edri among others organizations have started the preparations for the "privacy camp 22" and there is an open call for panels on "Digital rights", with deadline, well, today. You still have a few hours :-)

Regarding sustainability, the Open Futures festival taking place in different locations in Zurich, Shedhalle, Tanzhaus, Gessneralle is starting this week and we are proud that Lennon, the L200 server that we interviewed in June, is

hosting the web site of the festival, [openfutures.ch](http://openfutures.ch) here at L200.

Finally, last but not least the DINACon conference took place last week with an exciting programme that you can watch online.

The DINAcon awards are always good places to look for positive change. The winners of this year are SmapShot, an Open API for georeferenced images, Digital transparency in public spaces initiative by the city of Zurich, the Fairelection tool, and the geounconference event series. Check them out!

At DINAcon launched also the WOZ booklet on digitalization and sustainability which we will further discuss today, in english with Rahel Estermann and Nana Karlstetter.