

Which Internet for which future?

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An initiative launched in 2007

(before the present crisis...)



"A global catalyst for change through the identification and analysis of the crucial problems facing humanity and the communication of such problems to the most important public and private decision makers as well as to the general public"

The world has profoundly changed in the last 50 years but it should profoundly change too in the next decades

In order to avoid major risks of breakdown, all countries will need to agree sooner or later on an alternative way forward, a new concept of progress, measured through a 'beyond GDP' index

Societal paradigm shifts are in sight



It would be paradoxical to design the Future Internet without thoroughly exploring what the future of our societies should be

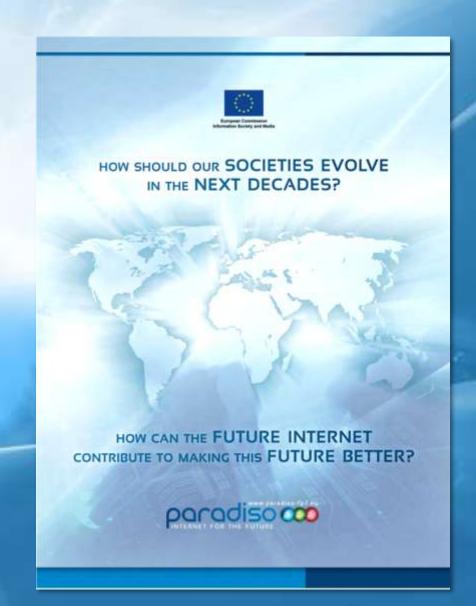
PARADISO focus

PERSPECTIVES OF SIGNIFICANTLY REVISED
ECONOMIC, ENVIRONMENTAL, AND SOCIAL OBJECTIVES



A SOCIETAL PARADIGM SHIFT

AN OBVIOUS REFERENCE TO A BETTER WORLD...



PARADISO expected outputs

International workshop

"Understanding the relations between Internet and Societal developments"

120+ participants

European Commission - Brussels - Nov. 23, 2010



PARADISO stakeholders

Close liaison with the FIRE, FIA, FIppp,... communities

The PARADISO international high-level expert panel (40+)



The PARADISO international LinkedIn group (200+)



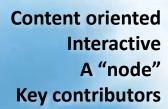
The PARADISO multidisciplinary global community of interest (2000+)



To be extended to the large public through the activities of the non-profit PARADISO Foundation created on Sept. 1, 2010



The PARADISO web platform









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http://www.the-paradiso-foundation.org/

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