



# ***Cycling Against Boundaries!***

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VELO-CITY 2013  
THE SOUND OF CYCLING  
URBAN CYCLING CULTURES  
VIENNA, JUNE 11 - 14

**WHO?**

# WHO



фондация  
**екообщност**



Foreningen  
Frie Fugle



**WHO**



**DENMARK**

**IRELAND**

**POLAND**

**CZECH  
REPUBLIC**

**AUSTRIA**

**HUNGARY**

**SLOVENIA**

**ROMANIA**

**BULGARIA**

**PORTUGAL**

**SPAIN**

**CYPRUS**



WHO



**WHAT?**

# WHAT



**network + events**

**learning & sharing**

WHAT

Facebook group page for VOCA (Volunteers of Cycling Academy). The page shows a cover photo with several people, a profile picture of Ana Pereira, and a list of friends. The main content area displays a post by Vit Masare about a cycling event in Bucharest, with a comment by Carol 53. The right sidebar shows group statistics (58 members) and related groups like PODILATIKOS OMILOS PAPHOU.

Google Groups forum page for the (99+) Volunteers of Cycling Academy. The page shows a list of topics, including "voca meeting at the velo-city", "Accommodation in Bucharest (3)", "Bucharest in June: arrivals / departures & topics", "Lexicon (6)", "VOCA Bucharest Sat 15 - Tue 18 June (10)", "completing meeting tasks (1)", "Budapest (10)", and "B/W practices gathering ending soon! (22)".

VOCA-Wiki page. The page features the VOCA logo and a welcome message: "Welcome to the VOCA Wiki". It provides instructions on how to start using the wiki, including links to "Creating your first page" and "Creating links and pages". A "Table of Contents" is visible on the right side, listing various topics such as "Welcome to the VOCA Wiki", "About our project", "Meetings", "General project documents", "Theories, Concepts, Studies", "Topics", "Bicycle Infrastructure", "Laws", "Modal split", "Health issues", "Miscellaneous Information", "The VOCA Calendar 2013", "Country Culture", and "Project logo proposals".



# WHAT



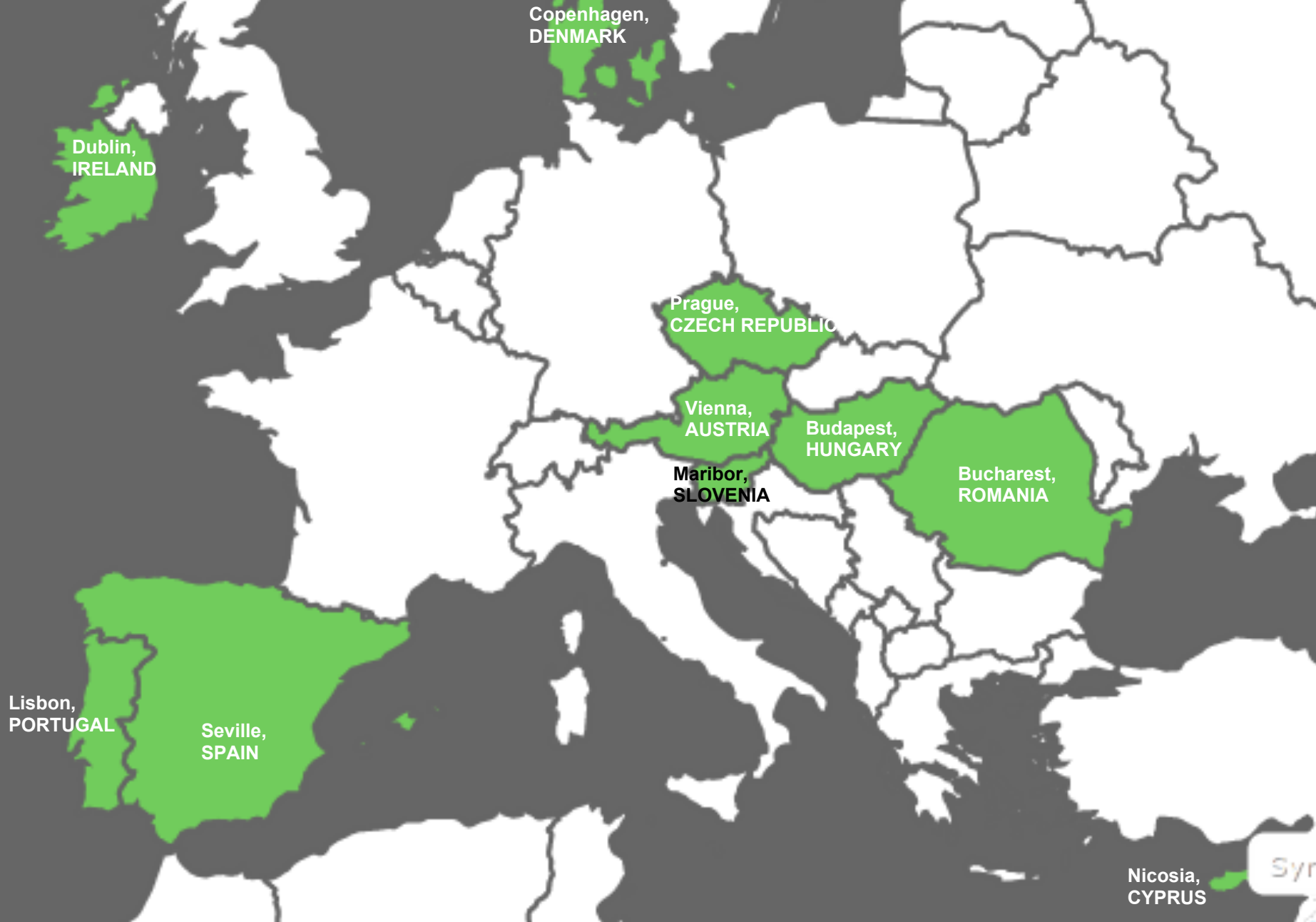


WHAT



**WHERE?**

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**WHEN?**

# WHEN

2011, **kick-off meeting** in September

2012, six meetings

2013, three meetings (**final meeting** in June!)

**WHY?**

# WHY

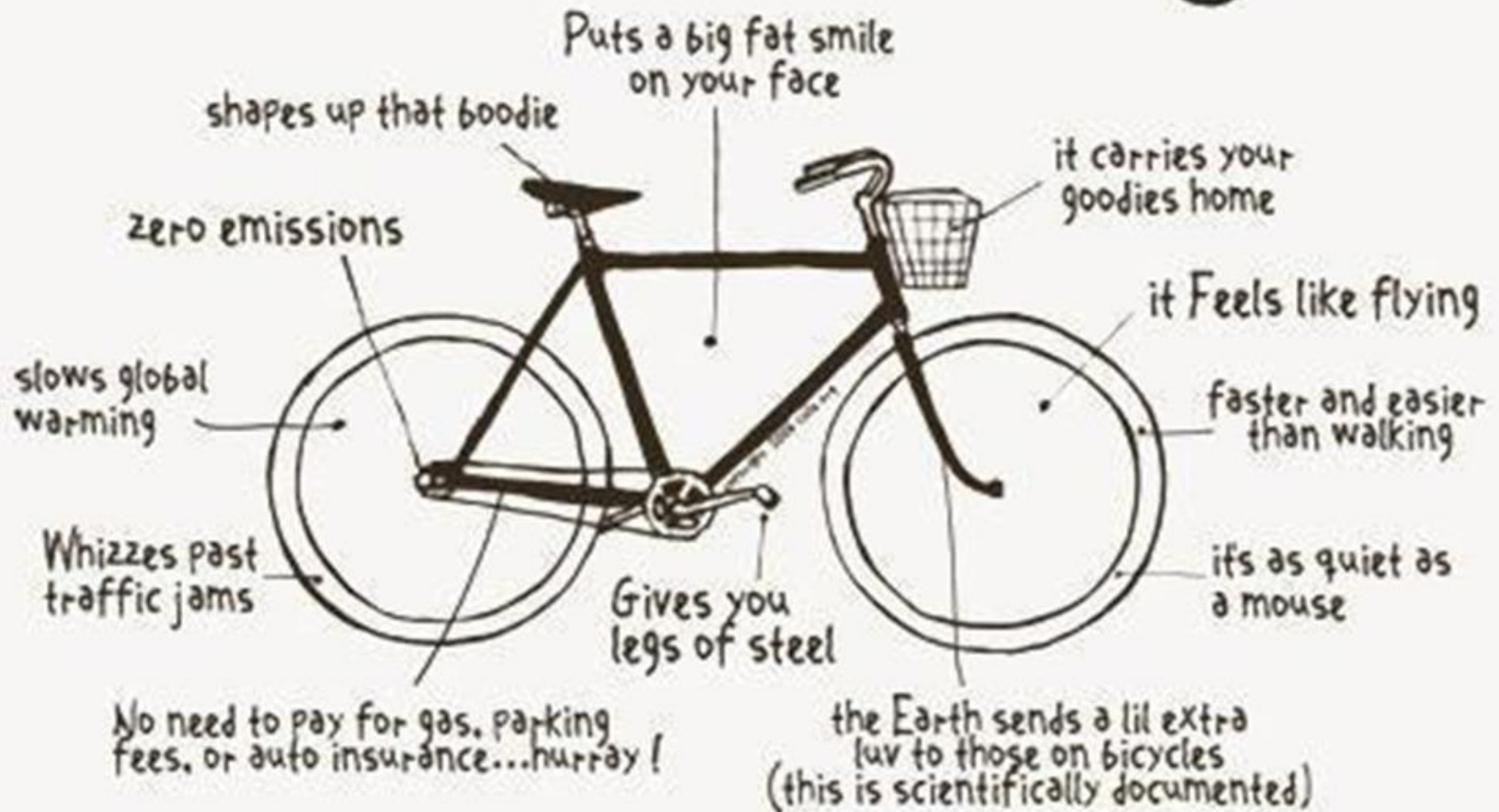


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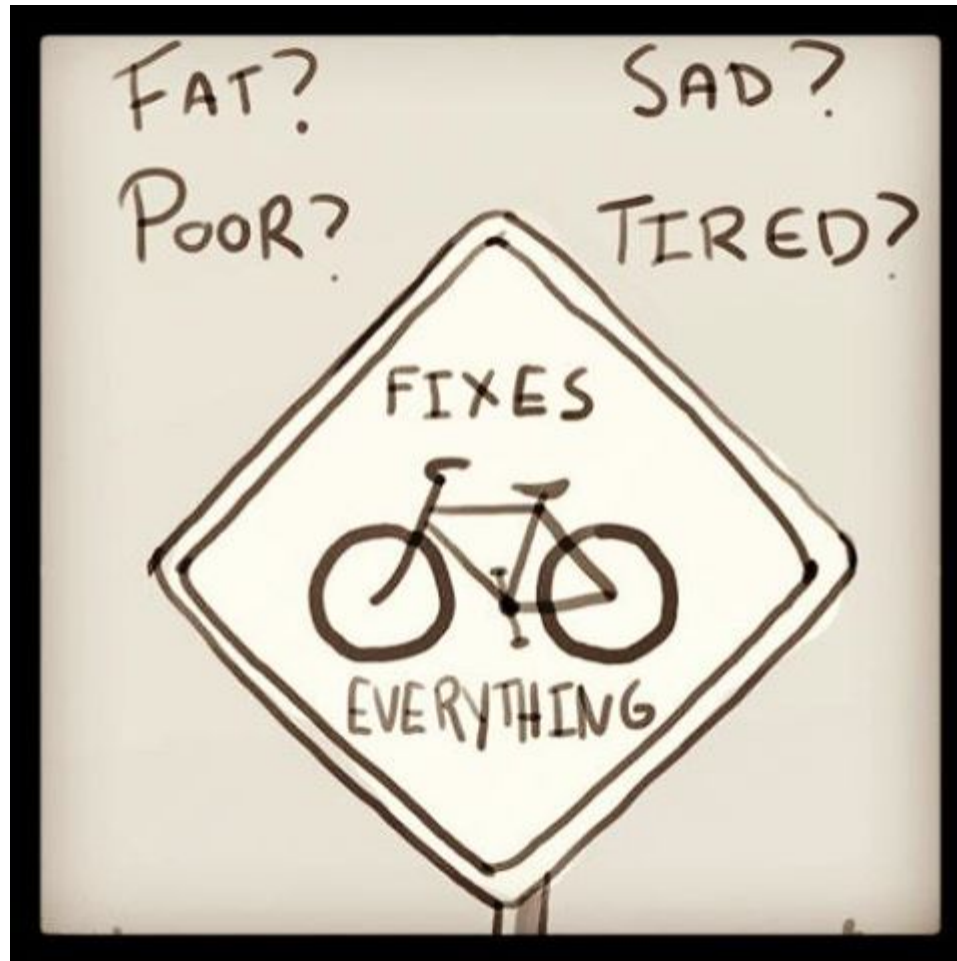


# WHY

## Benefits of a Bicycle



# WHY





# WHY

space required  
to transport **60** people



car



bus



bicycle



WHY





# WHY



**stronger**

**cycling**

**advocacy**

**NGOs!**



# WHY

*smarter*

cycling

advocacy

NGOs!



# WHY

## **better knowledge**

infrastructure

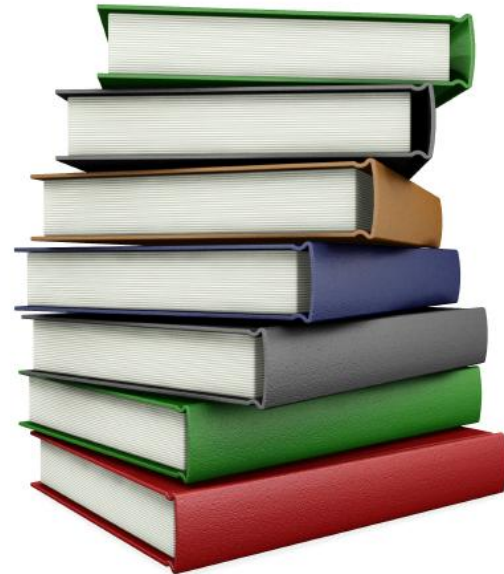
engineering

data

education

cyclists' needs

policy



# WHY

## **better skills**

raising awareness

fostering cooperation

lobbying

fundraising

building and managing organizations

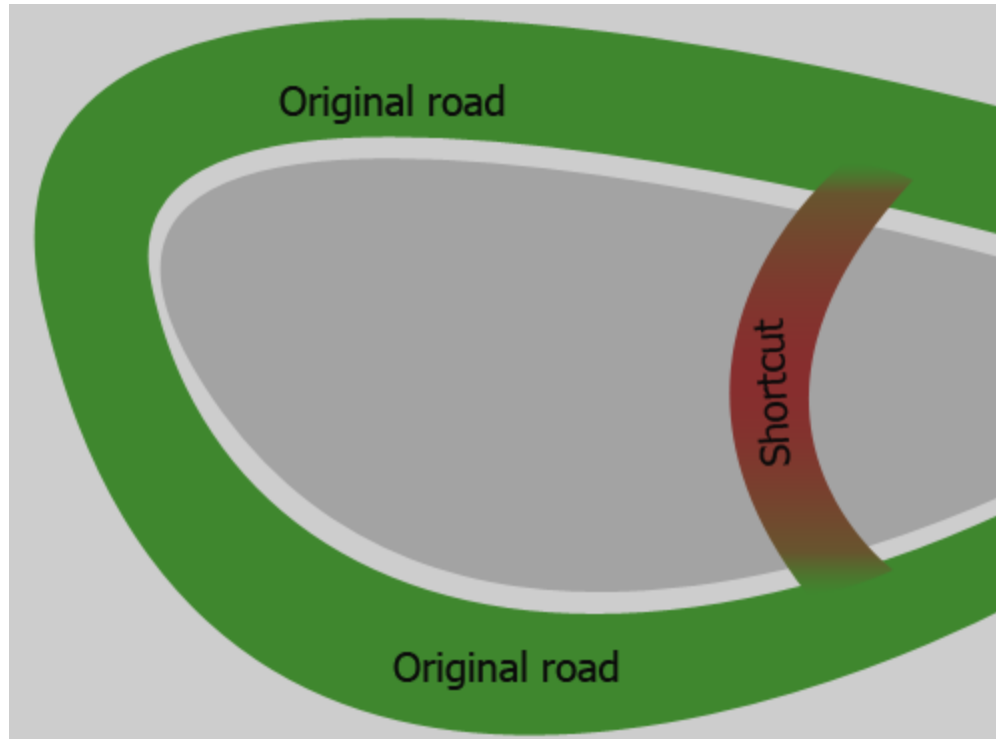


# WHY



## fast track

# WHY

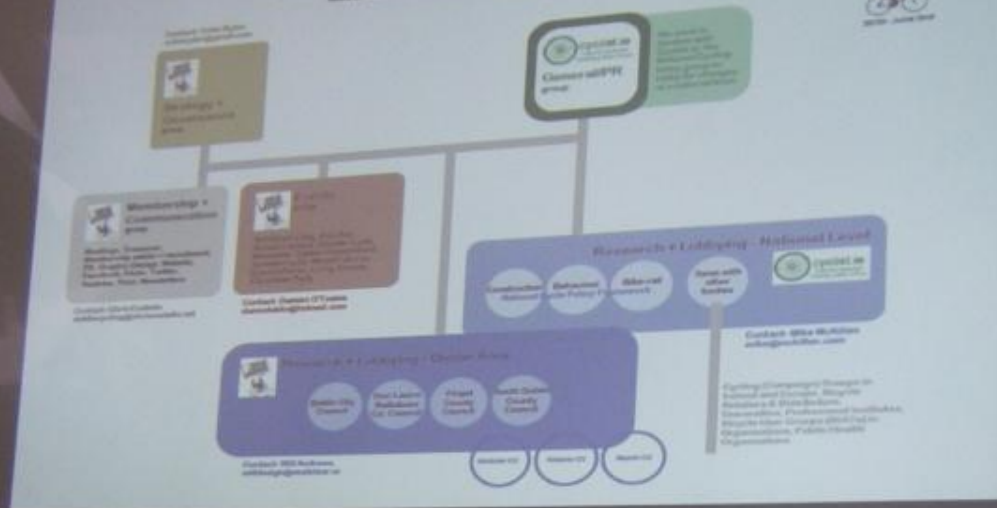


***better*** track

**HOW?**



How we are organised



# HOW

## Regional bodies

- People who try to make their own neighbourhood bicycle friendly
- Own initiatives, activities, campaigns
- HCC downtown - Bike with Guide, Bike to Work breakfast event, Bike Kitchen, etc...
- HCC HQ provides tail-wind for their work, how-to's, expert knowledge of the workgroups, influence

# HOW

Disobeying traffic rules: irresponsibility or consequence? (5)

## Status quo in Prague - 4

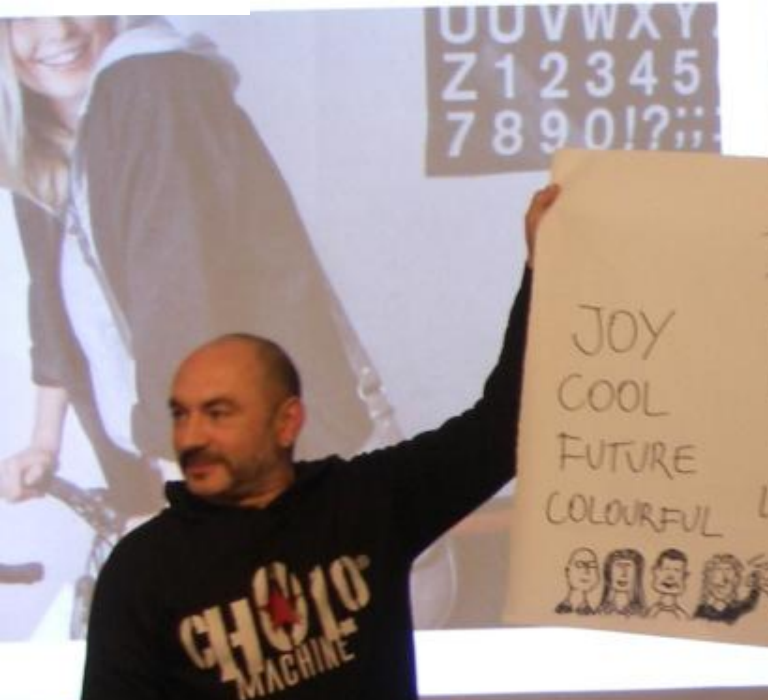
► Using counterflow oneways (with some querilla legalization :-))



Photo: Václav Kříž



# HOW



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KIDS

JOY	NO WORRIES	FRESH AIR
COOL	CHILDISH	FREEDOM
FUTURE	NATURE	DIRTY
COLOURFUL	LEISURE TIME	SPEED

Illustration of six cartoon children at the bottom of the sign.



# HOW

life cycle keep on cycling

## Getting Babies on Bikes & Grampas on Trikes How to Run Win-Win-Win Campaigns

With Thanks to  
Raymond FISMER  
Project Manager LIFE CYCLE at  
German Cycling Federation)



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# HOW



## Feedback

- Examples of feedback
- Examples of your own experience



HOW

## Contents

- 1 What do cyclists need & want?
  - 2 Guidelines, planning principles, infrastructure
  - 3 Contraflow cycling in one-way streets
- Intersections
- (?) Crossing streets
  - (?) Roundabouts



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HOW

Wintersperre!  
Betreten und Befahren  
auf eigene Gefahr!





HOW



HOW





# HOW

flat : hilly

hot : cold

dry : wet

1 % : 35 %

...

# HOW



Education and Culture  
Lifelong learning programme  
GRUNDTVIG

# RESULTS

**motivated & connected**  
**many similarities**


presentations & reports

lexicon

best and worst practices

problem collection

# RESULTS



**A Dozen Moments of Cycling Joy**  
 12 Countries in 12 Months:  
 The Volunteers of Cycling Academy of Europe

 **2013**

 Lifelong Learning Programme

  
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**Vienna** Austria



Photo: Juergen Schindler

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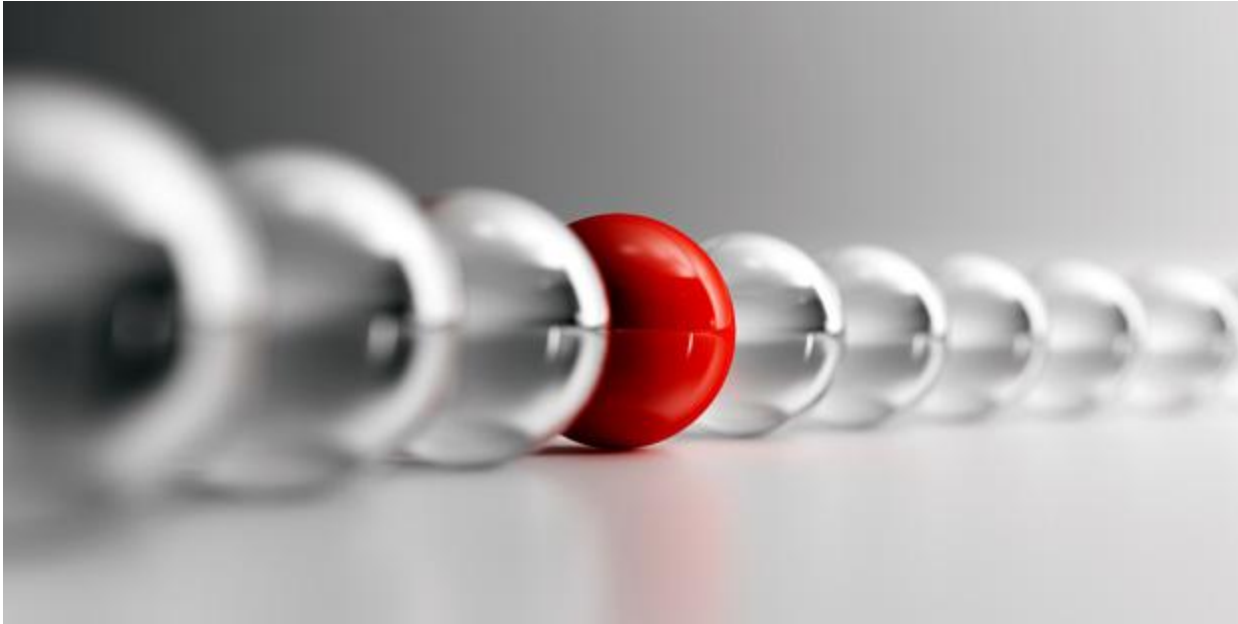
**FUTURE?**

# FUTURE



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# FUTURE

# SUMPs

*Planning for People*



SUSTAINABLE  
URBAN MOBILITY  
PLANS



## GUIDELINES

DEVELOPING AND IMPLEMENTING A  
SUSTAINABLE URBAN MOBILITY PLAN

# FUTURE



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# FUTURE

more  
countries!





# Thank you!

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