



## 2013-2014 “eGovPoliNet” (EU Program FP7) Project Annotation

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**eGovPoliNet (The Policy Community)** brings together researchers from different disciplines to share knowledge, expertise and best practice supporting policy analysis, modelling and governance. It develops valuable knowledge assets such as a glossary of terms for a common understanding across disciplines, white papers of comparative analyses of theories / concepts / solutions, and visions and grand challenges of future research.

The overall **mission** of the Policy Community is to bring together researchers and practitioners from different disciplines and backgrounds to work together and share and learn from each other about projects successfully executed, theories and methods applied, tools available to support governance and policy development. Comparative studies and a knowledge base have been developed to provide a useful body of knowledge. Community building activities bring together the different actors at various occasions via on- and offline interaction.

The overarching **objective** of the Policy Community is to strengthen scientific, technological and social research and practice excellence in digital public governance and policy modelling by integrating the research and practice capacities of individuals and organisations spread across Europe and worldwide.

The expected achievements of the Policy Community are:

1. The establishment of a network that is interacting regularly via online and offline international and multi-disciplinary constituency building events
2. The set-up and growing of a community knowledge portal with concrete content production and news items and collection and integration of content through third party websites
3. The performance of studies and comparative analysis to identify research, practice and development projects and good practice examples concerning modelling and simulating, as well as understanding and visualising of social behaviour
4. In depth case studies on specific applications of ICT solutions for policy modelling
5. The creation of an International Research Roadmap on ICT tools for governance and Policy-Modelling

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4. Centre for Research and Technology Hellas (CERTH), Greece
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