

# AUF ZU NEUEN USERN

CITIZEN SCIENCE MEETS LINGUISTIC LANDSCAPING

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**Lingscape**  
Citizen science meets linguistic landscaping

bonjour

hello

moien

bom dia



SERRI



Das ist ein offizielles Schild!

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• DOUCHE OBLIGATOIRE AVANT BAIN •

• DÜSCHEN BEVOR BADEN •

• DOUCHE  
OBLIGATOIRE  
AVANT  
BAIGNADE •

• BADEN AUF EIGENE  
GEFAHR  
OHNE HAFTUNG DER  
EIGENTÜMER •

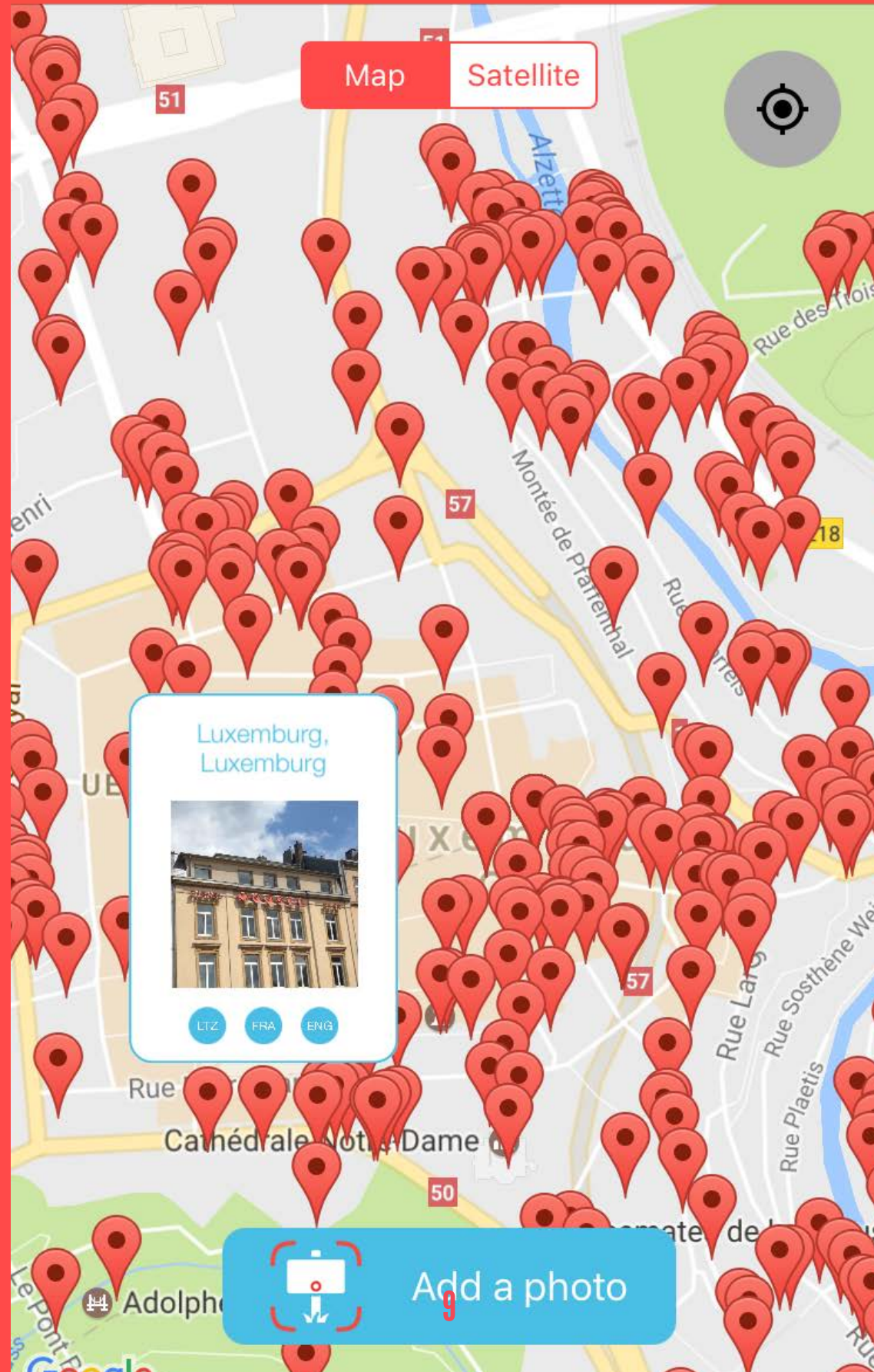
# INSIDE THE APP





# Add photos

By tapping the button "Add a photo" you can upload new photos to the map. It is important that this involves only lettering in public space. Whether monolingual signs, several stickers side by side or multilingual posters – all these motifs are suitable for the upload. You can also choose pictures from your local media library. The pictures can be cropped and annotated with additional information like location, languages or a comment.



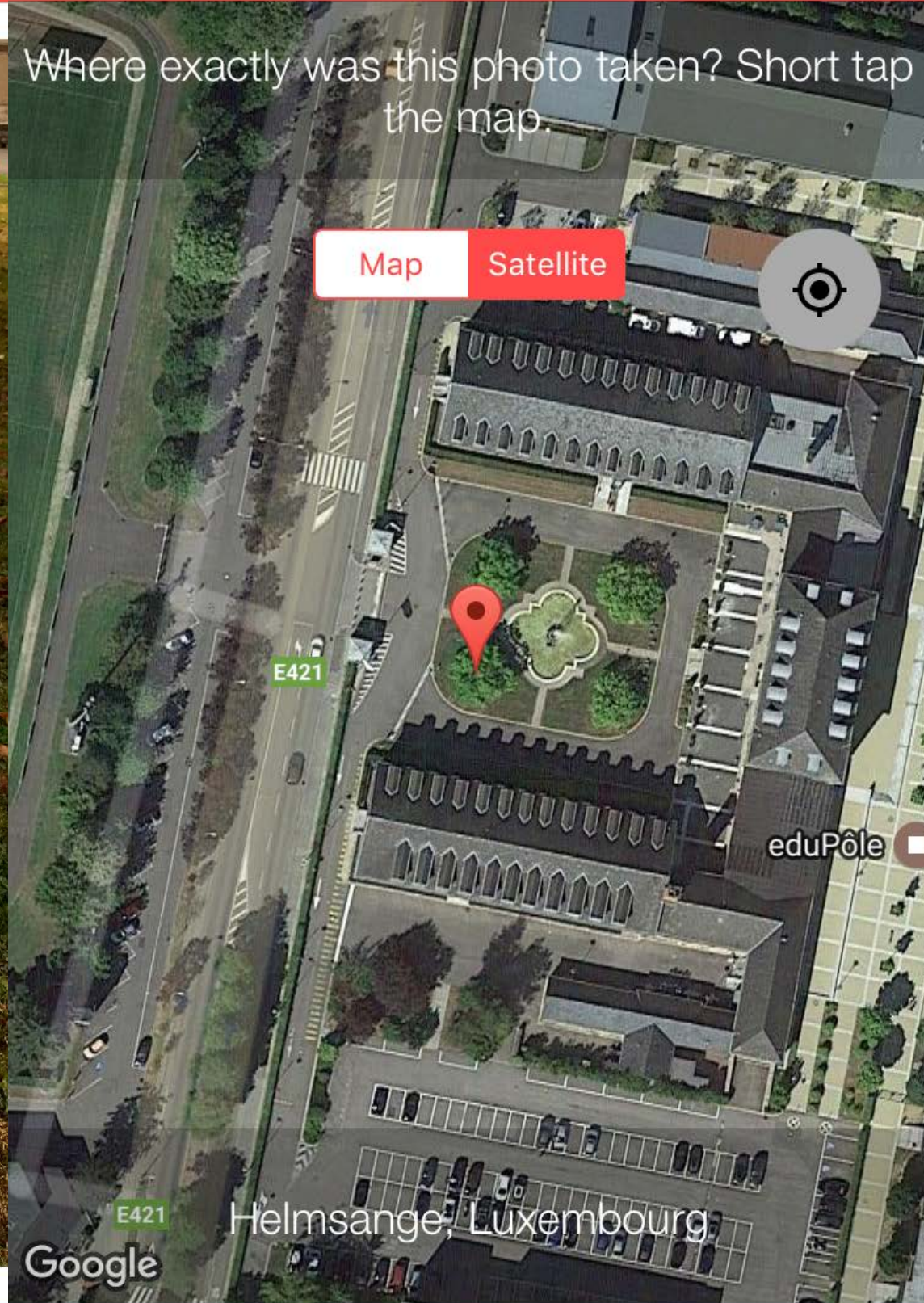
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- ENG
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Select this location <sup>10</sup>



Helmsange, Luxembourg >

FRA

DEU



%2016, @education campus, #official

Submit photo

You can use Lingscape to create your own linguistic landscaping project. Just send a request to [lingscape@uni.lu](mailto:lingscape@uni.lu) for more information and receive your personal password.

If you have received a password, enter it here:



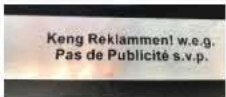

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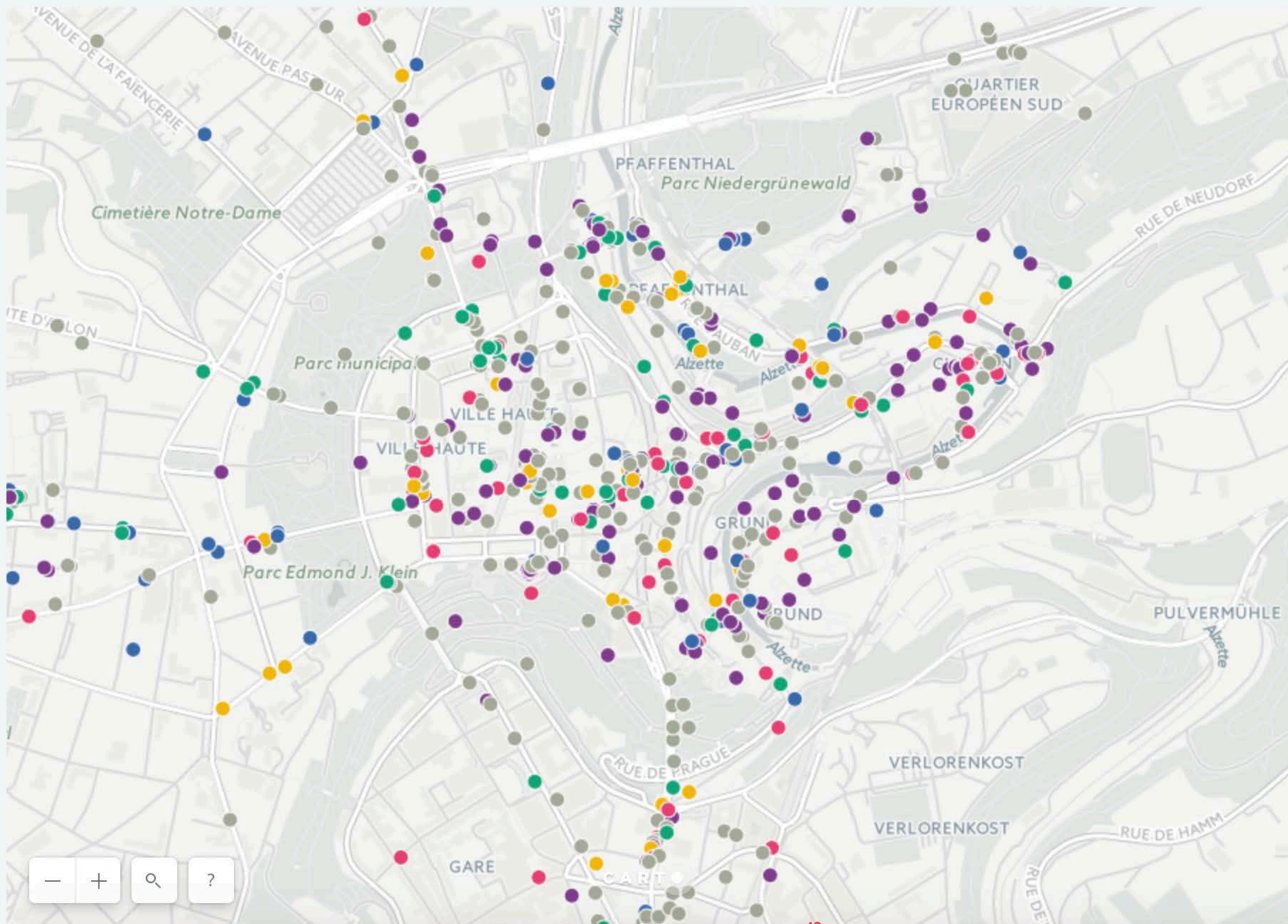
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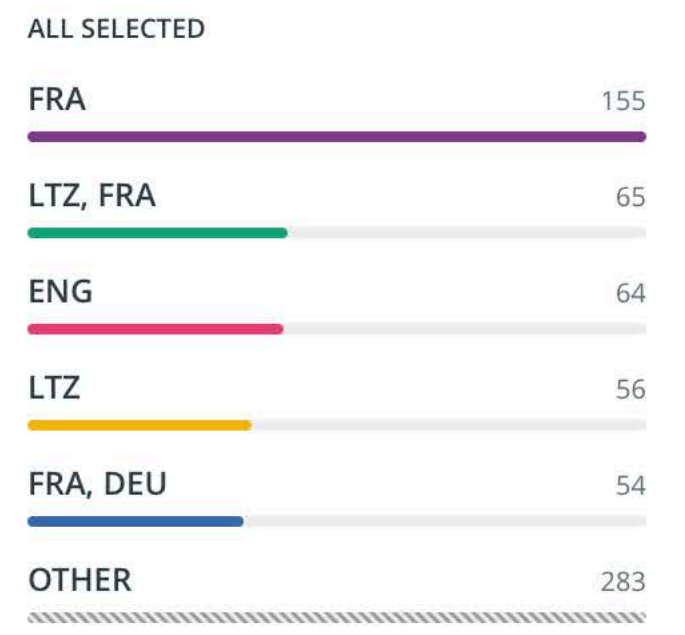
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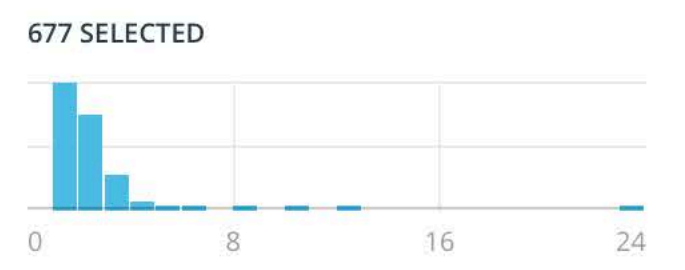
SEARCH IN 8 CATEGORIES

### Filter by languages

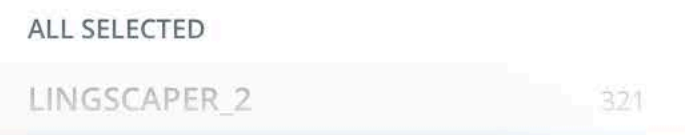


SEARCH IN 342 CATEGORIES

### Filter by number of langu...



### Filter by user



Map navigation controls: zoom in (+), zoom out (-), search (magnifying glass), and help (?).

Picture upload from client



Project administration



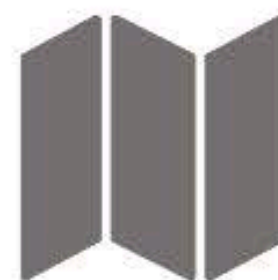
Server with database

Text extraction and analysis



Interaction with map

  Social sharing  
 Report misuse



Geostatistical mapping

# SOME BASIC STATS

> 1000 DOWNLOADS



> 320 CONTRIBUTORS

> 79000 PHOTOS

> 10 PROJECTS

# RESEARCH RATIONALE

# PARTICIPATORY RESEARCH

~~ENTREE INTERDITE~~  
VIVE LA LIBERTÉ  
~~A TOUTES PERSONNES~~  
H S A  
~~NON AUTORISEES~~

- ▶ Citizens' perspectives of the linguistic landscape, not ours
- ▶ Challenge our understanding of what's interesting in the ling.scape
- ▶ Users are not only data suppliers but actively participate in project development, analysis and the exploitation of results
  - ▶ Empower citizens, rethink our authority as researchers

# LIFEWORLD ORIENTATION





- ▶ **Direct** embedding of tools **in** everyday life, **not the other way around**
- ▶ **Create an** interactive research environment **that adapts to users' interests and needs**
- ▶ **Close** cooperation with education professionals **to shape the project based on the pupils' experiences with the app**
  - ▶ **Create awareness for cultural diversity in their lifeworld**

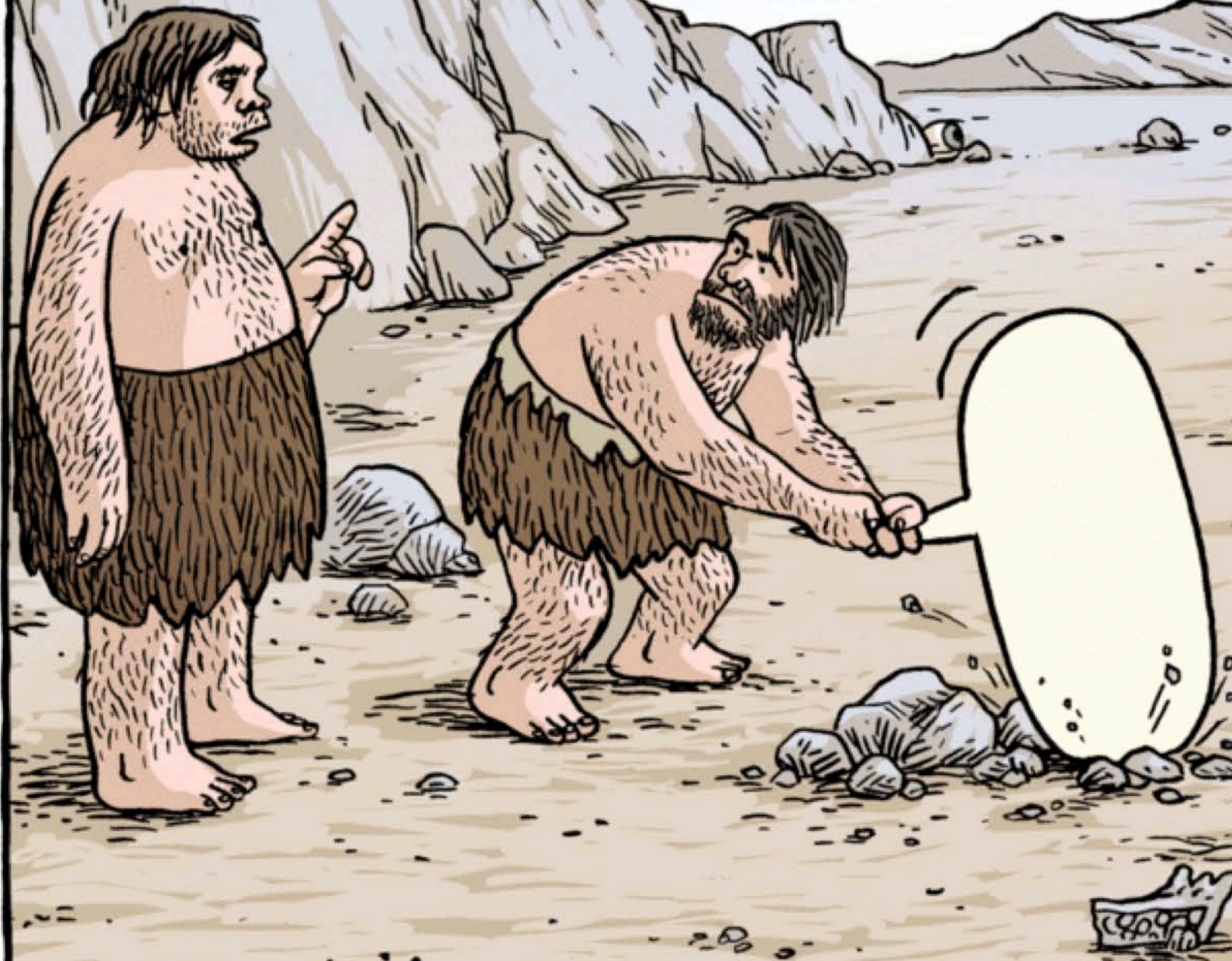
# SOCIETAL ENGAGEMENT



- ▶ **Long-term engagement with communities to develop shared interest**
  - ▶ **Implementation alongside the interests and needs of the communities**
- ▶ **Avoid the reduction of social practice to a set of phenomena and variables for analysis**
- ▶ **Help to improve the way communities organize their social practice**
  - ▶ **Help to redefine the relationship between scientists and society**

# COMPUTATIONAL ANALYSIS

No. Use it for  
talking. Like this.



- ▶ **Advanced computational methods for data processing, analysis, and visualization**
  - ▶ Automated text extraction **and** language identification
- ▶ **Geostatistical mapping using interactive maps with analysis widgets**
  - ▶ Facilitate the efficient processing **of huge data collections**
  - ▶ **Open up complete** new domains of knowledge creation



# OPEN RESEARCH PRACTICE

PROHIBIDO EL PASO  
A TODA PERSONA  
AJENA A ESTA OBRA

USO  
OBLIGATORIO  
DE CASCO

AYUNTAMIENTO DE  
SERVICIO SEÑAL

RUBA

HOTEL  
RESTAURANTE  
LA MINILLA  
A 50m



- ▶ **Make available data sources, tools and results to the public**
  - ▶ **Establish a transparent research practice**
- ▶ **Make accessible the process of interpretation that makes research**
- ▶ **Invitation and motivation to constantly reevaluate and develop further the theoretical and methodological foundations of our work**

ALL THE  
SMALL THINGS

**CITIZEN SCIENCE**  
**VS**  
**SCIENCE FOR CITIZENS**

# CROWDSOURCING VS CO-CREATION

# USER ORIENTATION VS DATA OPTIMIZATION

**DEVELOPMENT STRATEGY**

**VS**

**USE CASES**

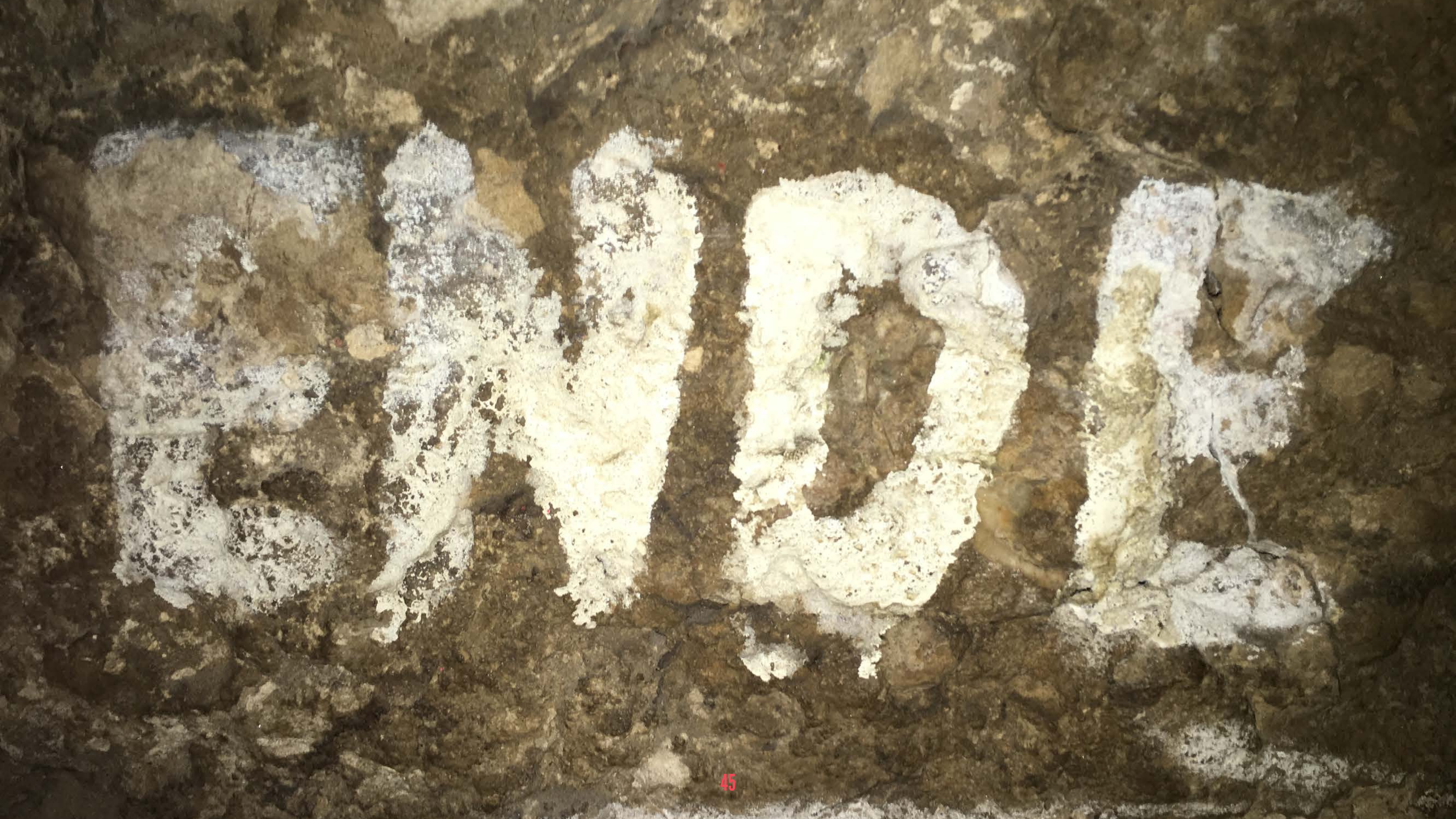


# **GAMIFICATION** **VS** **INTRINSIC MOTIVATION**

# DATA PRIVACY VS PERSONALIZATION

# OPEN ACCESS VS COMMERCIAL CODE

# **CROWDFUNDING** **VS** **NO FUNDING**



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