SNB-projects

Coordinator:
Cees de Laat
(with invaluable help of KK)
UvA
Goals

• To gain practical experience
• To work on real problems in a foreign context
• To (re)gain collaboration skills
• To practice presentation skills
• To practice defending your solution to a problem
• To practice report writing skills
• To have a good time
Format

- Two project months
  - January
    - Emphasis on systems
  - June
    - Emphasis on networking
Per project month

• 4 weeks
  – Week 1:
    • Familiarize
    • Make a concrete work proposal
  – Week 2-3
    • Do the work agreed on
  – Week 4
    • Write report
  – Week 5…
    • Short presentation in Wednesday meeting
Subjects

- Organizations we have relationships with:
  - SURFnet
  - UvA - Ivl
  - HvA
  - Others
- Selection in december, may
- Orientation in november, april

- Via web site: [www.os3.nl/rp/](http://www.os3.nl/rp/)
  - (send out email)
  - Cees de Laat <delaat@science.uva.nl>
Report

• Should contain
  – Description of the problem
  – Research question
  – Research done
  – Experiments or proof of concept done
  – Evaluation of experiments or proof of concept
  – Conclusions and suggestions for further research
Evaluation

• Supervisor proposes score based on:
  – Work done
  – Presentation
  – Report

• Coordinator is end responsible
Non Goals

• To be the default groups coffee maker
• To do trivial software installs
• To pull cables as main activity
• To sort out all software cd’s
• Etc. etc. etc.