Are you a software developer?
Let’s talk!

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We build plenty of software… but do we communicate enough?

The lucky ones:

you end up in a development team

The lone wolf:

you are the development team
• We are used to showing what we have done, but not how.

• We don’t share our experiences
We are fighting the same fires!

• Solving again and again the same problems.

• Using the same CERN tools.
  • Well… only if you know that they exist!!

• Interconnecting with the same systems.
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• Following the same trends (more or less).
Let’s talk more

- Learn from other’s experiences.
- Seek advice (especially for those working alone).
- Avoid overcomplicated infrastructure and technology chaos.
- Identify new trends —> faster adoption —> faster central service, etc…
Initiatives coordination

• software-developers@cern.ch
  • Yes, it’s an old fashioned mailing list
    • But we need to start with something!
  • http://cern.ch/go/7zpQ
Example ideas

- Quickstart guide for developers
  - Brief description of basic services
- Conference
  - about various experience on a particular subject
- Informal meetups
- Describe yourselves (basic desc of your team)
Questions?