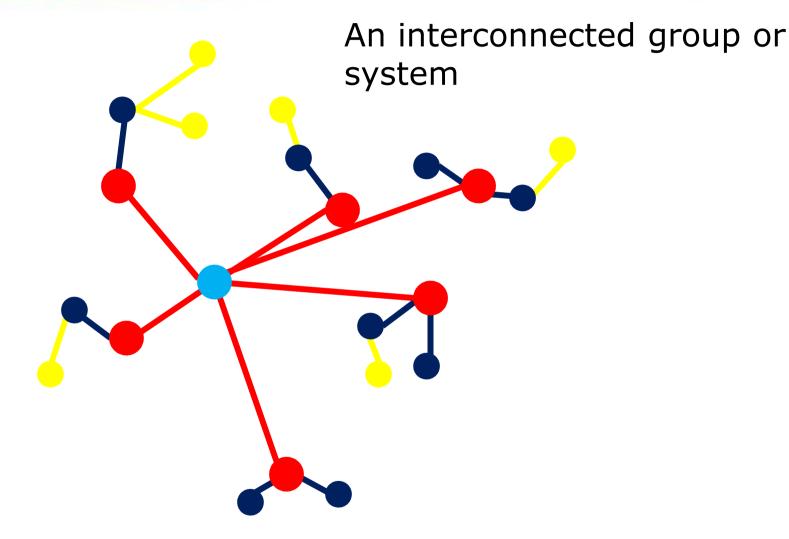


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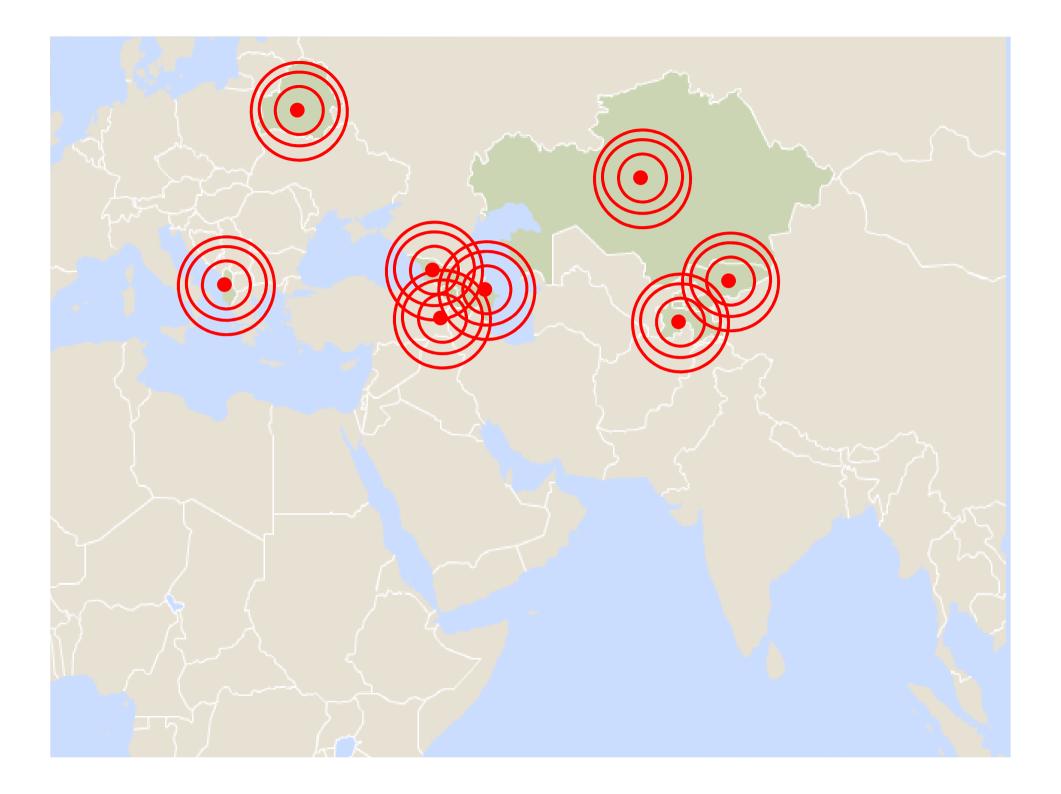
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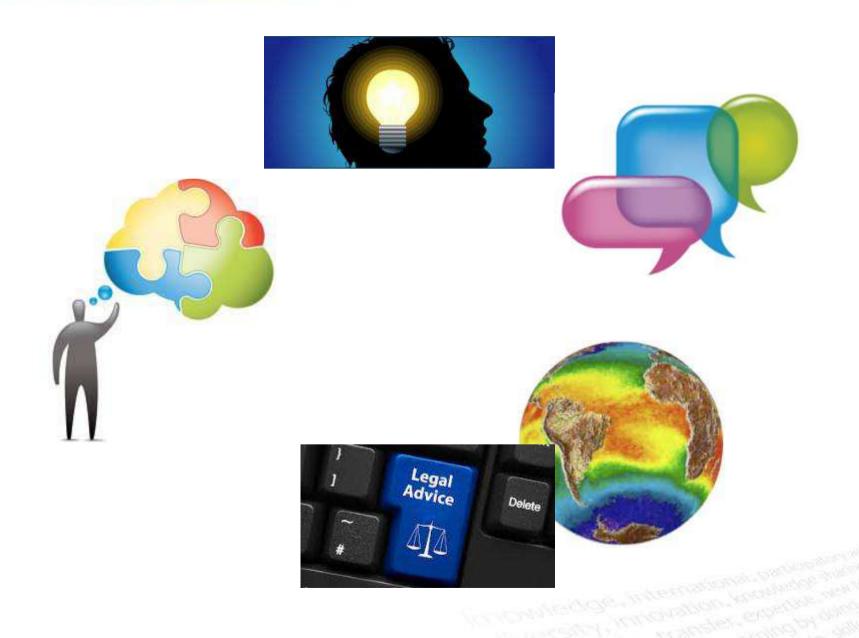
#### **NETWORKING**



Collaborative work, exchange of information, sharing of knowledge and capabilities, integration



### **Aarhus Centres activities**





## **NEW ERA**

## **INTERNET**

## **NETWORKING**

## Online social networking:

It is the practice of individuals connecting and communicating around a common interest using online tools and social networking sites.

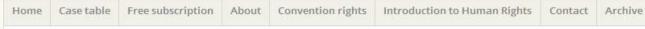
## WEB 2.0 = SOCIAL MEDIA

- Information dissemination
- Communicate
- Collaborate

interaction internet

#### **INFORMATION DISSEMINATION**

- Blogging
- Microblogging
- Newsletter (with listserv software)
- Event posting (calendar)
- News
- Videos and photos
- Podcasts



## **UK Human Rights Blog**



TAG ARCHIVES: AARHUS CONVENTION

APRIL 11, 2013 BY DAVID HART OC

#### The CJEU on "prohibitively expensive" and the new protective costs order regime



R (Edwards & Pallikaropoulos) v. Environment Agency et al, 11 April 2013, read CJEU judgment, and read Opinion of A-G Kokott.

and the Civil Procedure Rules 45.41 to 45.44, in force from 1 April 2013,

with Practice Direction 45

Twin developments, both of which are important for those involved in environmental cases. They emerge from the UK's treaty obligations flowing from the Aarhus Convention under which it is obliged to ensure that environmental cases are not "prohibitively expensive" per Article 9(4) of the Convention.

The first development is a decision by the CJEU on the meaning of those words.

The second is a new set of rules providing for protective costs orders in environmental judicial review claims. Continue reading -

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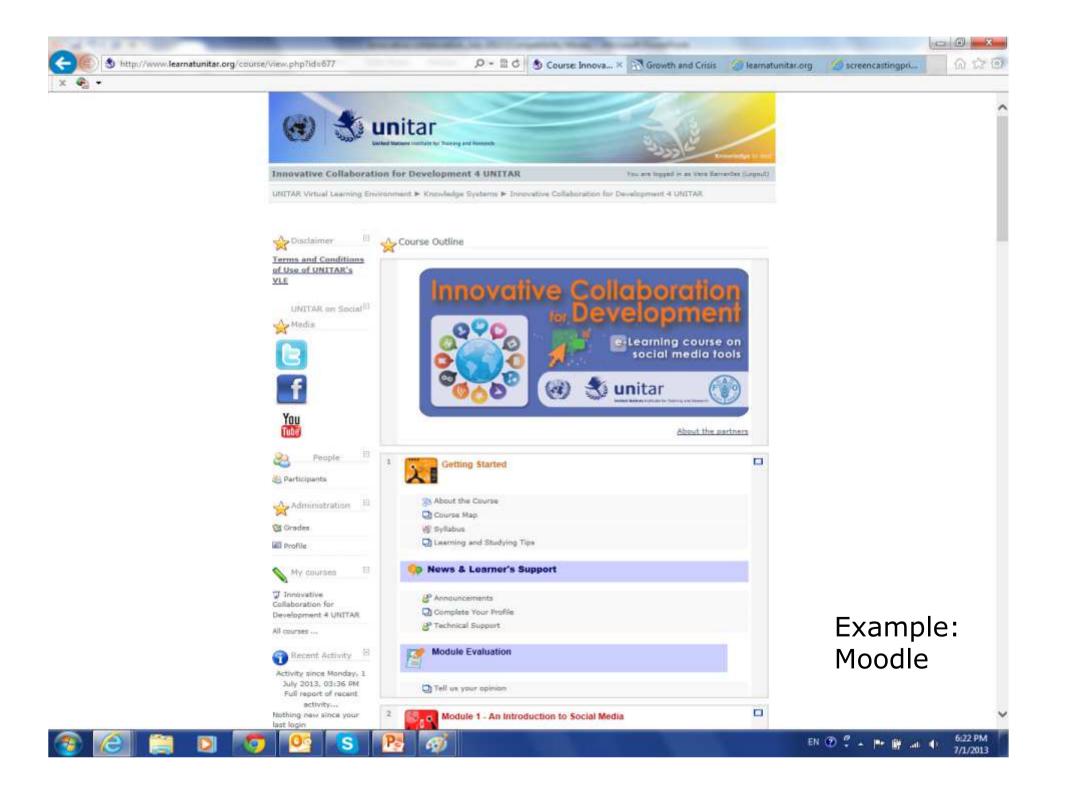
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## COMMUNICATE

- Chat, instant messaging(IM)
- Videochat
- Videoconference/ meeting
- Web forums
- E-learning
- Social networking community





## **COLLABORATE** (GROUPWARE)

- Shared calendars
- Wikis and other shared writing/editing tools
- Project management tools
- Online documents
- Customer Relationship Management systems (CRM)



http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/List\_of\_project\_management\_software

In the following example the three basic levels for supporting collaboration through groupware applications are used.

#### Example: Communication, conferencing and collaboration



Karla is coordinating a group of Water and Sanitation experts from five distant communities around the country. They have decided to put together a joint strategy for local governments. They had the opportunity to meet once in person and exchanged e-mail addresses.

For Communication purposes, Karla decided to setup an e-mail list in a service called <u>Dgroups</u>.

More detail

The group decided to have a chat Conference once a week by Instant Messenger (IM).

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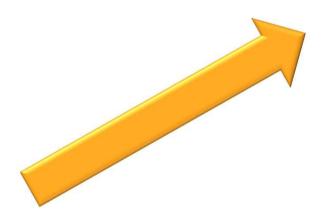
Collaboration. When it was time to write the proposal, Karla posted a first draft on a free wiki service called <u>PBworks</u>.

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For Content Management, Karla is saving external resources they team is finding on Scoop.it, a content curation tool.

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## **INTEREST**



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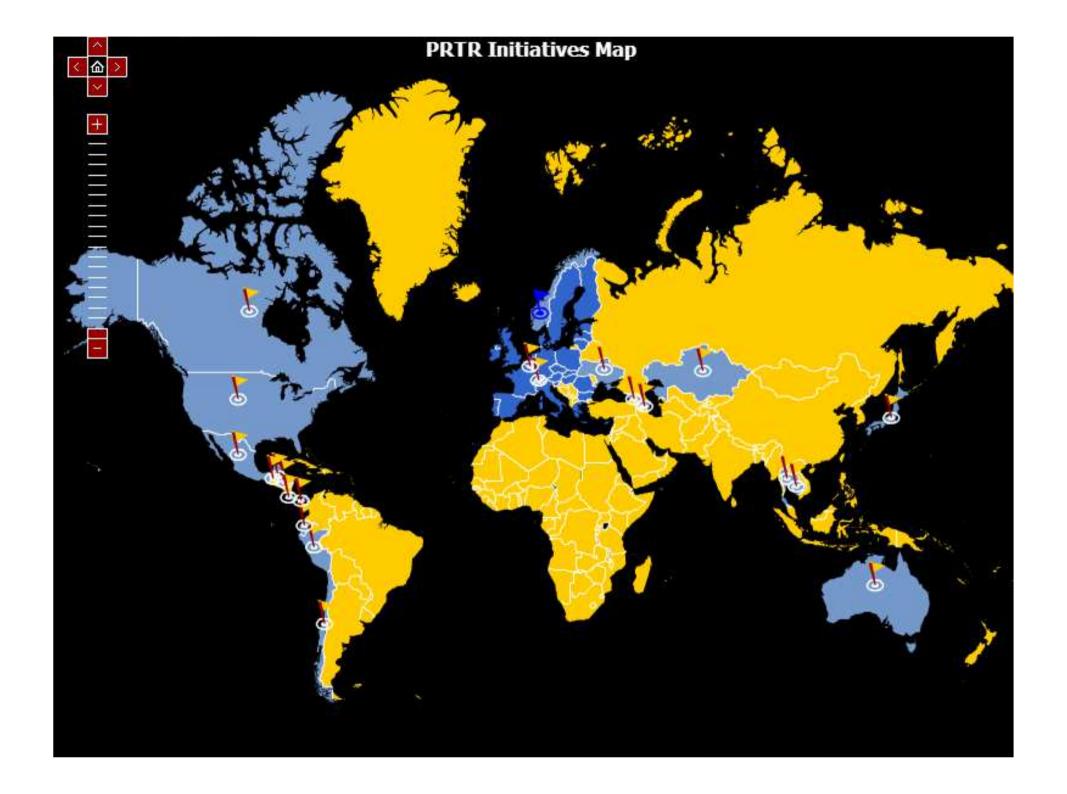
## **CAPACITY NEEDS**

## **INITIATIVES**

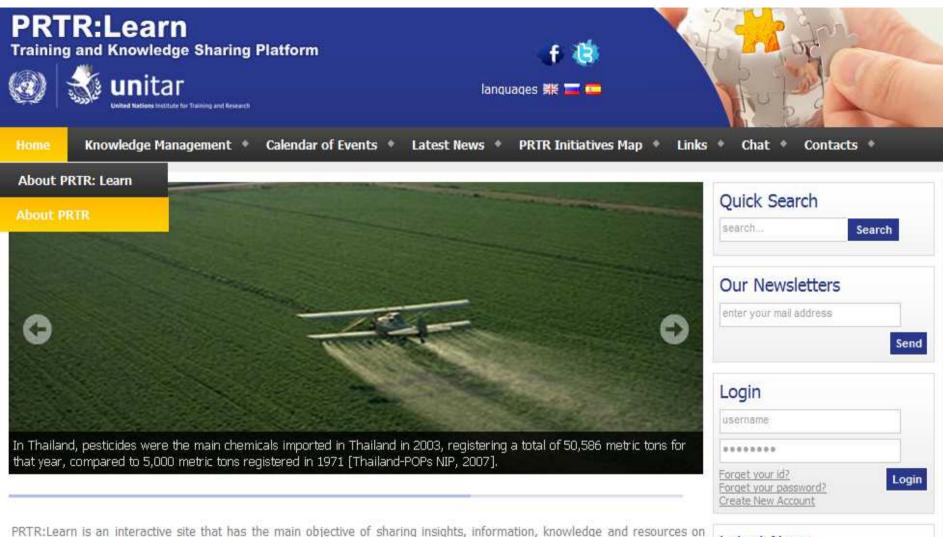
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#### **International Cooperation**

- European ECO-Forum
- European Environment Agency
- OECD PRTR Task Force
- OECD countries
- OSCE
- PRTR International Coordinating Group
- Regional Environmental Center for Central and Eastern Europe
- UNECE
- UNEP
- UNITAR
- ZOI Environment Network



- Online tool for training and knowledge-sharing
- Main goal is NETWORKING
- Includes
  - Document repository
  - Webinars
  - Tool for videoconferences
  - Chat
  - Map of initiatives
  - Calendar of events
  - Latest news



PRTR:Learn is an interactive site that has the main objective of sharing insights, information, knowledge and resources on Pollutant Release and Transfer Registers (PRTR). About 30 countries around the world already report emissions and transfers of chemicals to air, water and soil through their PRTRs and about 14 countries are in the process of designing their own PRTR system. This platform provides the space for countries implementing and designing PRTRs to share their experiences on reporting pollutants in their territories, enhancing the exchange of lessons learned and facilitating the provision of knowledge to countries that will develop PRTRs in the future. It also provides a space for public to obtain information on the latest news on PRTRs and to increase its participation on environmental issues.

Access documents on technical aspects of PRTRs, follow e-learning courses, share insights with others in forums and webinars and find about news and events on PRTRs around the world. Read more

#### Latest News

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Commission for Environmental Cooperation (CEC) Ministerial Statement - Eighteenth Regular

- Eighteenth Regular Session of the CEC Council

June, 2011 North America The environment ministers of Mexico.





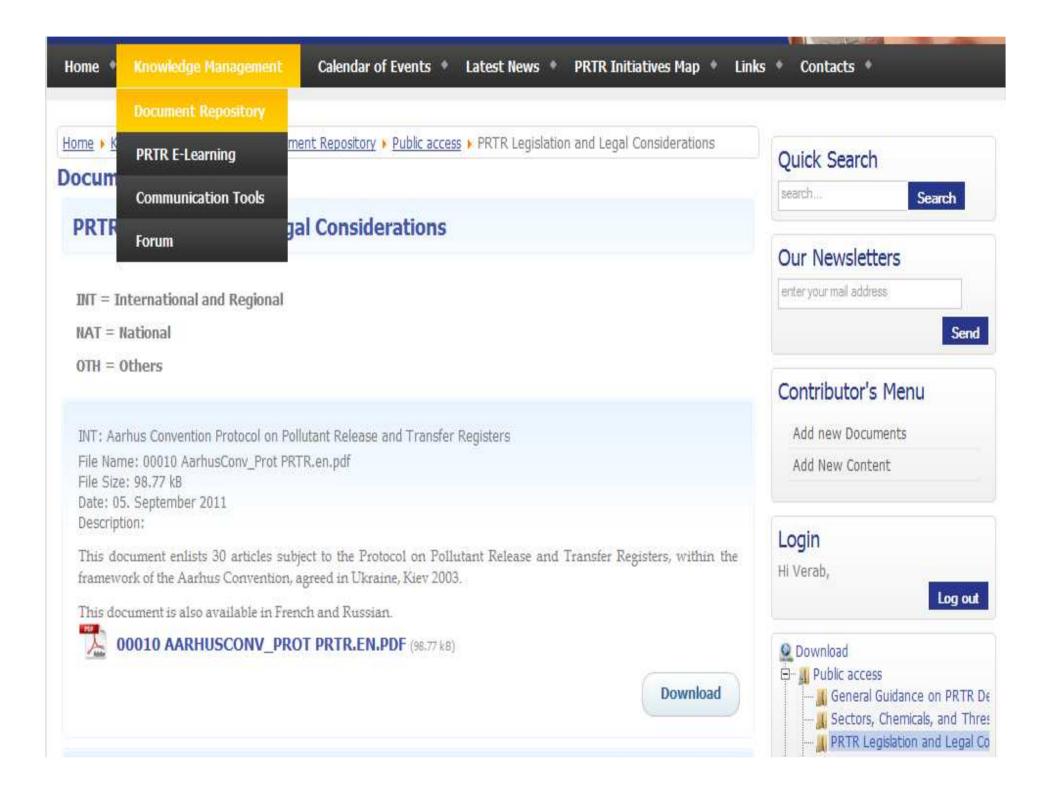
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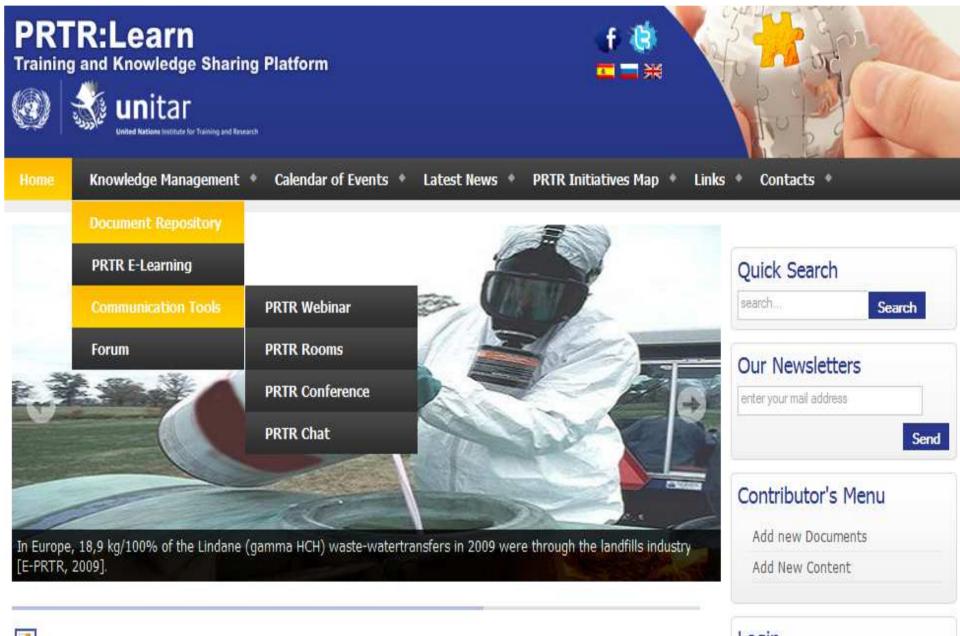
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