

How to contribute and get involved

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Give Information

- What packages do you use?
 - apt-get install popularity-contest
- What do programmes look like?
 - <http://screenshots.debian.net/>

Help others

- Mailing lists:
 - <http://lists.debian.org/users.html>
- IRC:
 - irc.debian.org
- Forums:
 - <http://forums.debian.net>
 - <http://www.ulk.rs.ba/forum>
- <http://wiki.debian.org>

Support Developers

- Report Bugs:
 - <http://bugs.debian.org/>
- Reproduce Bugs:
 - <http://bugs.debian.org/cgi-bin/pkgreport.cgi?tag=unreproducible>
- Test new Releases:
 - Installation
 - Upgrades
 - Look for “Call for ...” in the Debian Project News
 - <http://www.debian.org/News/project/>
- Request new packages:
 - <http://www.debian.org/devel/wnpp/#I2>

Translate

- Software, Documentation, Website
 - <http://lists.debian.org/i18n.html>
- Package Descriptions
 - <http://ddtp.debian.net/ddtss>
- ... or review existing translations

Help to spread the word!

- Support the Publicity Team
 - <http://lists.debian.org/debian-publicity/>
- Tell those around you
- Represent!

Be creative!

- Wallpapers
- Splashscreens
- Banners
- CD/DVD covers
- T-Shirt designs
- Webdesign
- Tutorials

Share what you have

- Money Donations
 - Software in the Public Interest: <http://www.spi-inc.org>
 - Verein zur Förderung Freier Informationen und Software e.V.: <http://www.ffis.de>
 - Associazione Software Libero: <http://www.softwarelibero.it/>
 - debian.ch: <http://debian.ch>
- Hardware Donations
 - hardware-donations@debian.org
- Bandwidth Donations
 - mirrors@debian.org

Debian Events

- Help at the event
 - <http://lists.debian.org/debian-events-eu/>
 - Booth shifts, demo hardware, accomodations, postal address, storage space, ...
- Make Merchandise
- Host an event yourself
 - Install party
 - Bug squashing party (BSP)
 - DebConf ;-)

Is this work recognized?

- You don't need to be a package maintainer. Any continuous work within Debian can be reason to apply for the Debian Developer status:
 - Martin Bagge became Debian Developer for keeping Swedish translations up to date
 - Francesca Ciceri for Italian translations, web and publicity work
 - Matt Zimmerman takes care of cooperation with Debian derivatives
 - Kåre Thor Olsen does Danish translations and web work

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