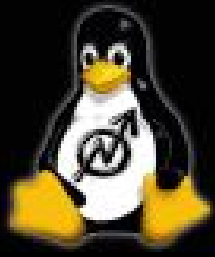**BeWelcome**

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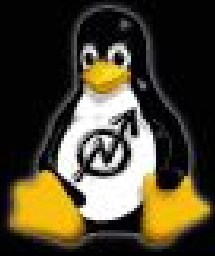
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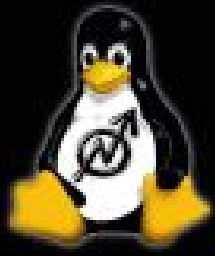
Share a room/bed/couch at your place and stay with people everywhere in the world for free

Offering a place not mandatory, but encouraged

bewelcome.org: About 6700 members (June 2009)

Project emerged from volunteers of HospitalityClub and CouchSurfing, which have a similar mission, but are not following Open Organisation principles

Site software, a hand-crafted MVC framework called BW rox, available under GPL - coders wanted!

Donation based, no funding, work done by volunteers (bevolunteer.org)
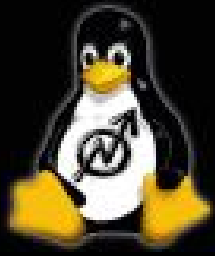 --

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Open Organisations

\# Framework by www.open-organizations.org with
  processes and functional rules

\# Processes:

  \# Decision-making

  \# Accountability (consequences of your work)

  \# Transparency

  \# Coordinating

  \# Excluding (conflict resolution)

  \# Inter-Working Group (IWG) processes
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# Functional rules:

  # Charter

  # Open participation

  # Self-management

  # Best practices

  # Respect for skill

  # Public ownership of knowledge

  # Diversity

  # Affirmative terms
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BeWelcome Rox: http://sourceforge.net/projects/bw-rox

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