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Annual activity report (secretary)

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1. Journal

The proceedings of the 2017/11th meeting were distributed at the meeting in Sibřina, Czech Republic and sent out hereafter by post to the members not present at the meeting.

In the meantime the 2017 journal is made freely accessible to the public.

This year the journal could be finished in time before the 13th ConTēXt meeting in Bassenge-Boirs, Belgium. The journal will be handed out to the participants at the beginning of the meeting.

Copies for those who are not present will take place directly after the meeting.

As in the years before, it was not easy to get the articles from lecturers.

We thank Taco Hoekwater for his effort to take again the task of editor. Hraban Ramm was due to private reasons not able to be involved.

2. Christmas-Cards

As in previous years we are thankful, that H. Hagen provided us the cards for the seasons greetings at the end of the year. The cards were sent to members at the end of 2018 by the president.

3. Project support

Luigi Scarso performed software development for Idris Samawi Hamid. The project is in the meantime finished and paid.

4. E-foundry support

The ConTēXt-group has participated in the support of the e-foundry project.

5. Promotional activities

Hraban Ramm joined the Chaos Communication Camp 2019 and helped there to promote ConTēXt. He will report on this during the 13th ConTēXt meeting in Bassenge-Boirs.

6. Web presence

During the year, all ConTēXt Group related websites were updated to automatically switch to the secure `https` protocol.

The wiki software has been updated to `MediaWiki 1.31`, and our own plugins have been ported to this new version.

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7. Boardactivities

During the last year there were no changes of the board-members functions.

Communication was always through the e-mail list for the board.

8. Acquisition of new members

This year we could get 6 new members.

9. ConTēXt-meeting 2018

The 2018 meeting was held in Sibřina, Czech Republic. We spent a marvelous time in the rural environment in a great lodging. Jano Kula has found a great location with excellent facilities. – The meeting in 2020 will take place at this location again.

We thank Jano again for his great job done!

10. Organization of the 13th ConTēXt meeting, 2019

Announcements for the forthcoming 13th meeting were done early by Taco Hoekwater who also updated the web-site. The meeting is organized by Taco Hoekwater.

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