Towards a New Dynamic eGovernment Action Plan:

What Future for eParticipation in the EU?

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Case Study: Open Ministry in Finland

Step 1: Finnish Parliament adopted the New Citizens' Initiative Act (50,000 signatures in six months would lead to a discussion in Parliament)

Step 2: Open Ministry was launched

★Example: Off-Road Traffic Act





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eParticipation at the EU Level

Current Instruments of eParticipation	Improving eParticipation
Petitions to the European Parliament	Revision of the existing tools
European Citizens' Initiative (ECI)	
Consultation processes carried out by the European Commission	
	Crowdsourcing at the EU level



5 Recommendations for Designing Crowdsourcing at the EU level

- Identifying the suitable policy area
- **+** Ensuring multilinguism
- Involvement of citizens online through a deliberativecollaborative process
- **★**Ensuring the commitment of policy-makers
- **★**Simplifying the complexity of the EU policy process



Thank you!



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