

MATRIX: Social Cooperation Patterns

My aim, with this first short note, is to inspire others to participate in the detection of some "social cooperation patterns" for Europe area and to find out ways of strengthening Videobridge activities by combination with other actors or channels of communication. The web sites flagged by me are just for inspiration on how to define "contexts, problems and solutions" for the "social cooperation patterns". Comments and suggestions are welcome and well accepted as well as any other kind of help and support.

Types of "Villages"

The definition of "Village" on Wikipedia in different languages can be useful to identify the different targets / users might be interested in the VideoBridge services in Europe and around the World. Also the use of "thematic maps", such as "The Guide to Anthropogenic Biomes of the World (v1)" will be supportive in identifying the type of Villages to be taken into account in the different areas of the World.

"Village" on wikipedia, statistics : <http://stats.grok.se/en/201001/village>
<http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Village>

Definition of "Village"

<http://www.websters-online-dictionary.org/definition/english/vi/village.html#Definitions>

A Guide to Anthropogenic Biomes of the World (v1)

<http://www.ecotope.org/anthromes/v1/guide>

For example in Bouguenais, four types of villages coexist

http://www.ville-bouguenais.fr/index.php?option=com_content&view=article&id=224&Itemid=270

The villages are not all identical.

They were not all arranged on the same model. In Bouguenais, four types of villages coexist:

Villages linéaires: They have developed on both sides of a road.

The villages centered or "village core": They have developed around or near a center such as a sink, a place, a crossroads, a port ...

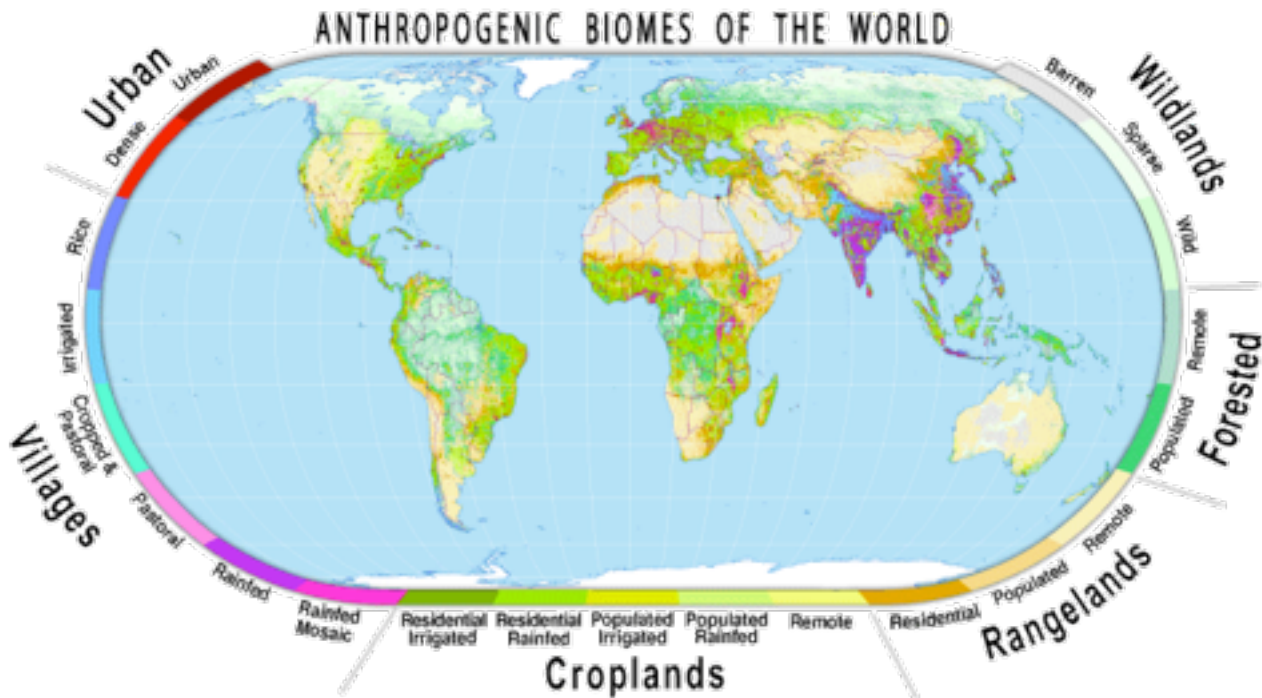
The mixed villages: This is a combination of the two previous types: they were originally developed from a center and then on both sides of a way.

The scattered villages: the houses were developed erratically along roads

etc.....

A Guide to [Anthropogenic Biomes of the World \(v1\)](#)

[Anthropogenic Biomes](#) ([Anthromes](#)) offer a new way to understand our living planet by describing the way humans have reshaped its ecological patterns and processes. This guide is based on a system of 21 Anthrome classes divided into 6 broad groups, as described in [Ellis and Ramankutty \(2008; Anthromes v1\)](#)



1. [Urban](#)

- 11. [Urban](#)
- 12. [Dense Settlements](#)

2. [Villages](#)

- 21. [Rice Villages](#)
- 22. [Irrigated Villages](#)
- 23. [Cropped & Pastoral Villages](#)
- 24. [Pastoral Villages](#)
- 25. [Rainfed Villages](#)
- 26. [Rainfed Mosaic Villages](#)

4. [Rangelands](#)

- 41. [Residential Rangelands](#)
- 42. [Populated Rangelands](#)
- 43. [Remote Rangelands](#)

5. [Forested](#)

- 51. [Populated Forests](#)
- 52. [Remote Forests](#)

6. [Wildlands](#)

- 61. [Wild Forest](#)
- 62. [Sparse Trees](#)

3. Croplands

31. Residential
Irrigated Cropland

32. Residential
Rainfed Mosaic
Cropland

33. Populated
Irrigated Cropland

34. Populated
Rainfed Cropland

35. Remote
Cropland

63. Barren

STATISTICS in real time on social phenomena, economic and cultural factors

<http://www.realtimestatistics.org>

or other stats' sources such as the ones flagged from Mark Petz

http://www.ted.com/talks/hans_rosling_reveals_new_insights_on_poverty.html

<http://www.gapminder.org>

<http://portti.iltalehti.fi/keskustelu//showthread.php?t=220462>

and from Pitlik László

http://www.ted.com/talks/hans_rosling_shows_the_best_stats_you_ve_ever_seen.html

Information and Communication Technology (ICT) Statistics

<http://www.itu.int/ITU-D/ict/>

etc.....

TECHNOLOGY

Regarding the technology changes are increasingly fast (sometimes exponential), which remains difficult to make predictions about which technology to adopt.

The only possible is continuous monitoring and adjustments in technology and needs of SSL's learners.

100 years of fantastic technology predictions

<http://www.youtube.com/user/bitwatt#p/a/f/1/QaDLEgcPc8k>

PEN PC

<http://www.youtube.com/user/bitwatt#p/f/9/40tS8A-SJ6c>

<http://images.google.fr/images?hl=fr&q=PEN%20PC&um=1&ie=UTF-8&sa=N&tab=wi>

wikiTV (or Wikitelevision)

<http://meta.wikimedia.org/wiki/WikiTV>

etc.....

---- Videobridging activities ----

Combination with other potential actors

Les plus beaux villages de France

http://fr.wikipedia.org/wiki/Association_les_plus_beaux_villages_de_France

<http://www.les-plus-beaux-villages-de-france.org/fr/les-plus-beaux-villages-de-france>

<http://www.lescommunes.com/les-plus-beaux-villages-de-france.fr.html>

Cultural Village is an international cooperation of twelve small European communities

<http://www.cultural-village.com/>

The most beautiful villages in Italy

http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/The_most_beautiful_villages_in_Italy

<http://www.borghitalia.it>

etc....

Channels of communication

TF-Media WIKI - TERENA task FORCE Media WIKI

<https://confluence.terena.org/display/tfmedia/TF-Media+Wiki>

The list of other "communities" and projects with related interests to those of TF-Media

<https://confluence.terena.org/display/tfmedia/Investigate+and+liaise+with+other+communities>

MARCEL - Multimedia Art Research Centres and Electronic Laboratories

<http://www.mmmarcel.org>

Telecentre Europe

<http://www.telecentre-europe.org>

UK online centres

<http://www.ukonlinecentres.com/>

Piazza telematica

http://it.wikipedia.org/wiki/Piazza_telematica