

Community-of-practice platform: *Useful facilities*

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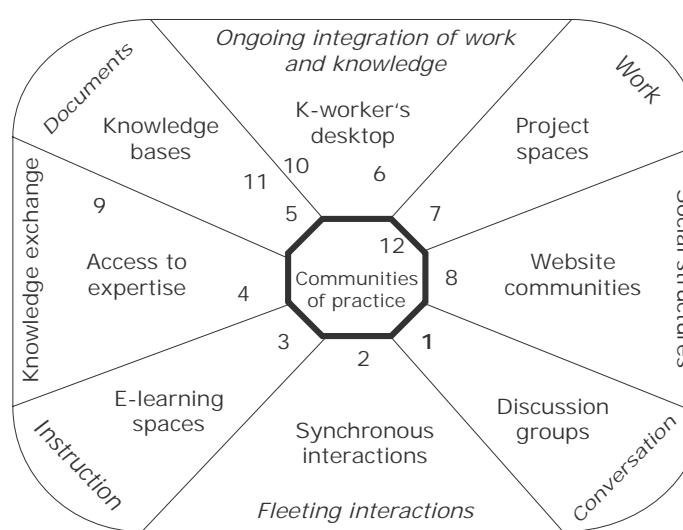
- home page
- conversation space
- directory of membership
- floating questions to the community
- shared workspace (synchronous collaboration)
- document repository for the knowledge base
- search engine for the repository
- community management tools (traffic, who, ...)
- subcommunities, subgroups, project teams

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Community-of-practice platform: *Broader Market Chart*

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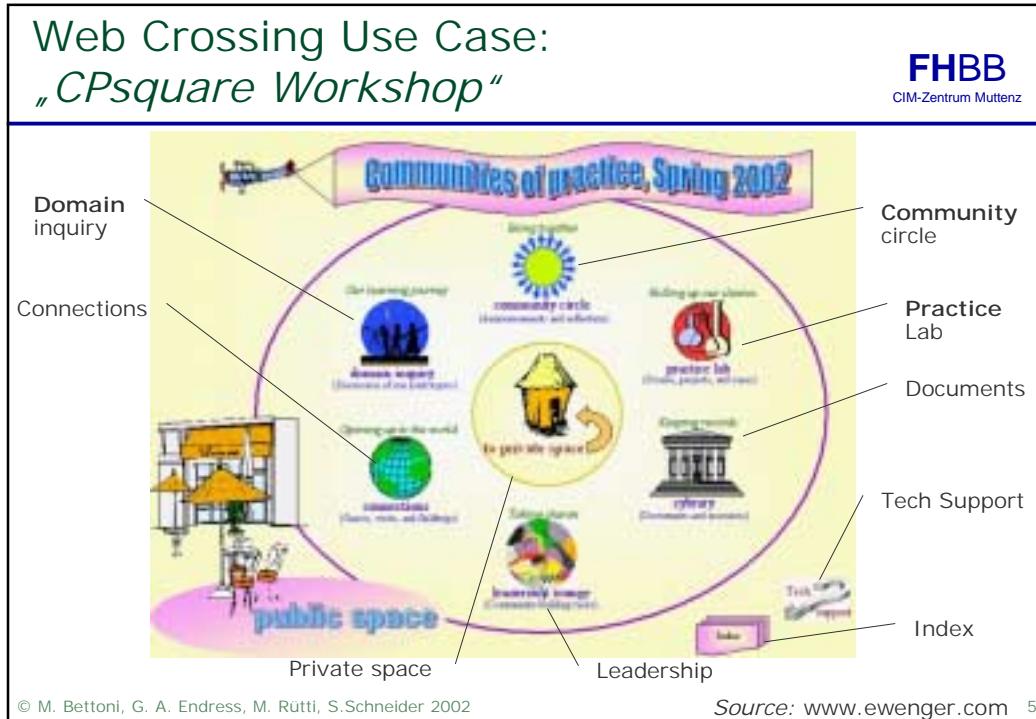


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1. *WebCrossing*
2. Tapped in
3. Pensare
4. AskMe
5. Geneva
6. K-Station
7. QuickPlace
8. ArsDigita
9. Sharenet
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11. DocuShare
12. Communispace

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**CPsquare Workshop:
Example of a topic discussion**

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Topic

Author:

- Portrait
- Name
- Date/Time
- Organis.

Functions

Title & Text

Topic Table: What motivates cooperation and sharing?

Guest speaker Doug Rushkoff was asked how altruistic behavior could be sustained. Doug's view is that self-interest rather than altruism is behind cooperative behavior. He cited several scientific studies, which show that apparently altruistic behavior is ultimately traceable to self-interest. Marco Bettoli and Ann Bräuer ask: ...What do others think? Are there factors other than self-interest that motivate sharing? Or is self-interest a "complete" explanation for cooperative (altruistic) behavior?

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Marco Bettoli - 02:54pm May 24, 2002 PST (1) Basel University of Applied Sciences (FHBB)

What is meant by "self-interest"?

From the last comment by Doug about self-interest: Discussion with Doug Rushkoff I have the impression that he uses "self-interest" in the very general sense of "satiation of a need" or "self-fulfillment".