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TYPO3 ASSOCIATION GENERAL ASSEMBLY

22 April 2026 — Düsseldorf and online

#T3GA26

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PLEASE NOTE

- This session will be recorded
Purpose: Creation of GA protocol, recording will be deleted within 2 weeks
- Questions can be asked
 - **If you're present in person:** By raising your hand when the blue "QUESTIONS?" slide is shown.
 - **If you're watching online:** By typing the question into the chat. Your question will be announced when the next "QUESTIONS?" slide is shown.



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WELCOME AND AGENDA



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AGENDA

- Opening of the General Assembly
- Minutes of the previous General Assembly
- Annual report of the Association's Board
- Annual financial statement and reports of the statutory auditors and the Business Control Committee (BCC)
- Grant discharge to the association's Board, Business Control Committee, treasurer, statutory auditors, and committees
- Admission and suspension of members
- Budget for the running year
- Determination of admission fees and annual dues for all types of members
- Elections of the Board and Business Control Committee (BCC)



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AGENDA

- Petitions of the members and Association's Board
- Program of activities
- Amendments to the bylaws
- The nomination of honorary members
- Complaints against executive bodies, resolution on the appeal against expulsion, or rejection of a provisional admission resolution of the association's board
- Various other topics
- Closing of the General Assembly

VOTING SYSTEM

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<https://votesup.eu/?t3a-general-assembly>

You can also log in with the email address you provided when registering for the General Assembly.

QUESTIONS?



VOTE

To participate in the VOTING TEST.

TEST VOTE NOW

Would you like to take part in the VOTING TEST?

YES

NO

ABSTAIN

RESULT

Of the TEST VOTE.

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**ELECTION
OF VOTE COUNTER**

VOTE

To accept Peter Kraume as vote counter.

VOTE NOW

Do you accept Peter Kraume as vote counter?

YES

NO

ABSTAIN

RESULT

Of the vote to accept Peter Kraume as vote counter.

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PROTOCOL OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY 2025

The protocol of the General Assembly 2025 has been published here:

<https://typo3.org/association/structure/general-assembly/years/2025>



QUESTIONS?



VOTE

To accept the protocol of the General Assembly 2025.

VOTE NOW

Do you accept the protocol
of the General Assembly 2025?

YES

NO

ABSTAIN

RESULT

Of the vote to accept the protocol
of the General Assembly 2025.

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**REPORT
FROM THE BODIES**



REPORT FROM THE ASSOCIATION BOARD

Olivier Dobberkau

President





TYPO3 Association Board Activities Report

- In 2025, the TYPO3 Association Board and associated bodies held a total of 30 recorded meetings.
- Regular Board Meetings: 22 meetings were held online.
 - Quarterly Summits (QSA): 4 multi-day summits took place:
 - QSA 1: Feb 10, 2025–Feb 11, 2025 (Düsseldorf).
 - QSA 2: Apr 07, 2025–Apr 08, 2025 (Düsseldorf).
 - QSA 3: Aug 04, 2025–Aug 06, 2025 (Karlsruhe).
 - QSA 4: Nov 24, 2025–Nov 25, 2025 (Düsseldorf).
- Official Events: 2 major events:
- General Assembly (GA): Apr 08, 2025.
- Dialogue Day: Aug 06, 2025.

Board Member Responsibility Distribution



The Board's Activities in 2025

- 1.** Core Focus: Transitioning from strategic planning to operational execution, strengthening governance, and ensuring long-term financial sustainability.
- 2.** Governance & Leadership: Following the Apr 08, 2025, election, the Board welcomed Martin Helmich (Secretary), Jana Höffner, and Thomas Maroschik alongside incumbents Olivier Dobberkau (President), Boris Hinzer (Vice President), and Stefan Busemann (Treasurer).
- 3.** Strategic Execution: The Board prioritized implementing the Product Strategy, which included restructuring the Product Strategy Group (PSG) and aligning closely with TYPO3 GmbH for resource commitment.

The Board's Activities in 2025

- 1.** Financial Health: Maintained stable liquidity with a €1.3M cash reserve as of Jun 30, 2025. To ensure long-term sustainability, a 10% increase in the membership fee was approved for 2026.
- 2.** Community Expansion: Formalized the Dutch TYPO3 Committee to grow market share and launched an initiative to recognize open-source work as voluntary work in Germany.
- 3.** Brand Protection: Handed over trademark monitoring to TYPO3 GmbH to streamline enforcement against non-member advertising.

Strategic Planning and Governance

Strategic Planning:



Governance:

When:

Dialogue Day 2025



Community Engagement and Infrastructure

Membership & Community

- Membership revenue increased by 8,7 %
- All membership interactions were moved to my.typo3.org to improve usability
- 2025 elections featured a record nine candidates for four board positions following proactive outreach for more diverse representation (also thanks to TYPO3 GmbH)
- Increased participation across the board, highlighted by a record 400+ attendees at the newly implemented Community Day at TYPO3 Conference 2025

Events & IT Infrastructure

- Very successful TYPO3 Conference and Developer Days. TYPO3 camps and good industry presence (Cloudfest, WordCamp Europe, etc.)
- All services ran as planned throughout 2025, with external server and infrastructure costs fully covered by the allocated budget. Improvements to the onboarding of contributors have been started.

TYPO3 Event Highlights 2025

TYPO3 Developer Days

Technical Focus: Core advancements (v14 readiness), performance, security, and backend UX improvements.

Community Spirit: Outstanding onboarding for new developers and a highly productive Coding Night with strong contribution rates.

Impact: Strengthened developer collaboration and secured the technical foundation for the system's future.

TYPO3 Conference

Strategic Focus: Digital sovereignty, accessibility, and enterprise-grade architecture.

Formats & Insights: Highly successful 2-stage concept delivering tailored content for both tech and business audiences.

Highlight: The prestigious TYPO3 Awards Gala at *Les Halles* celebrating top-tier agency projects.

Impact: Firmly cemented TYPO3's position as a leading Enterprise Open-Source CMS.

Event Management

Flawless Logistics: Seamless execution driven by an outstanding organization team (TYPO3 GmbH) and highly dedicated volunteers.

Sponsorship: Strong partner acquisition and retention, ensuring sustainable event funding.

Attendee Experience: Carefully tailored locations successfully matched the unique vibe of each event, resulting in exceptional participant and sponsor satisfaction.

Cooperation with the TYP03 GmbH Supervisory Board

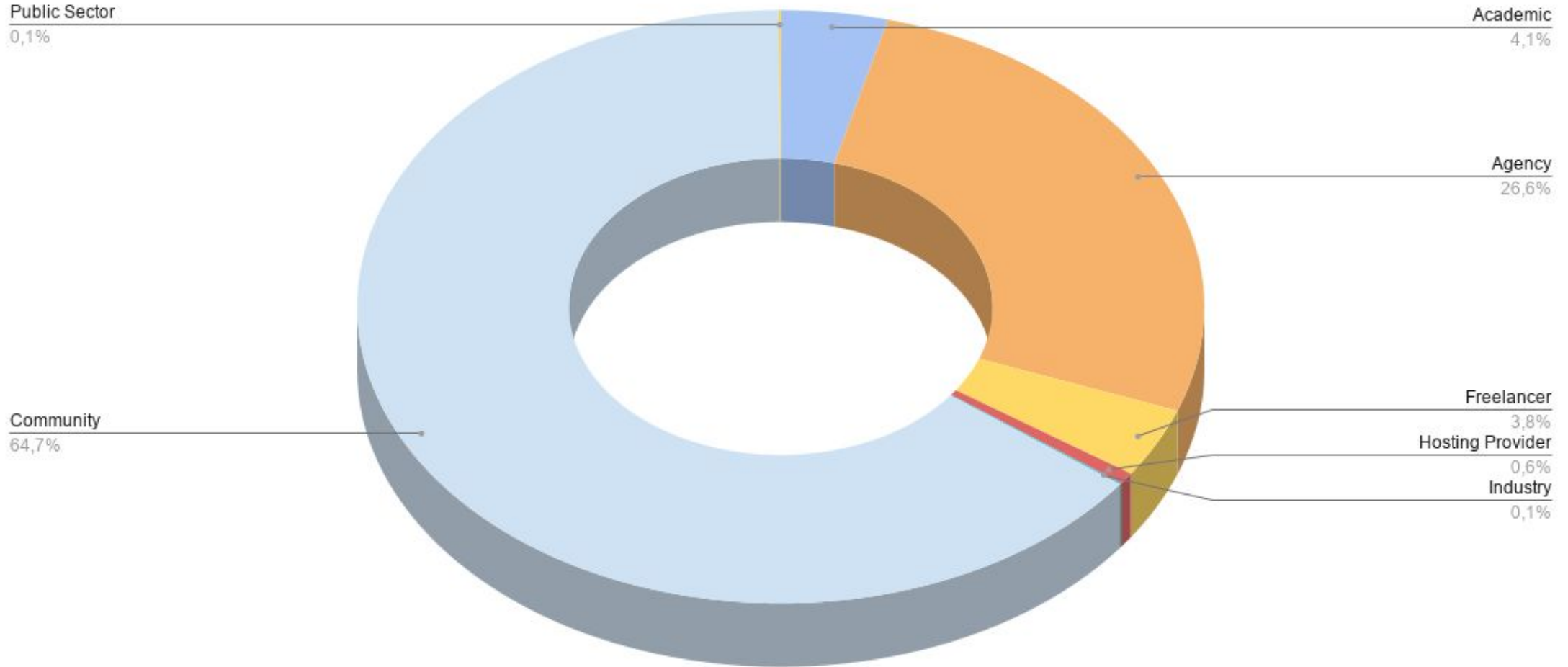
- Meetings with the Association Board and the Supervisory Board happen regularly, also without representation from the GmbH management.
- The company contract (Gesellschaftervertrag) has been changed after a very long process.

MEMBERSHIPS

The number of members continued to increase

- End-of-year 2021: 887 members
- End-of-year 2022: 953 members
- End-of-year 2023: 1010 members
- End-of-year 2024: 1054 members
- End-of-year 2025: 1112 members
- **April 2026: 1134 members**

MEMBERSHIP DISTRIBUTION



TYPO3 — a Digital Public Good

TYPO3 CMS is a verified Digital Public Good approved by the Digital Public Goods Alliance, a multi-stakeholder initiative endorsed by the UN Secretary-General. Our work supports the Sustainable Development Goals. digitalpublicgoods.net/r/typo3



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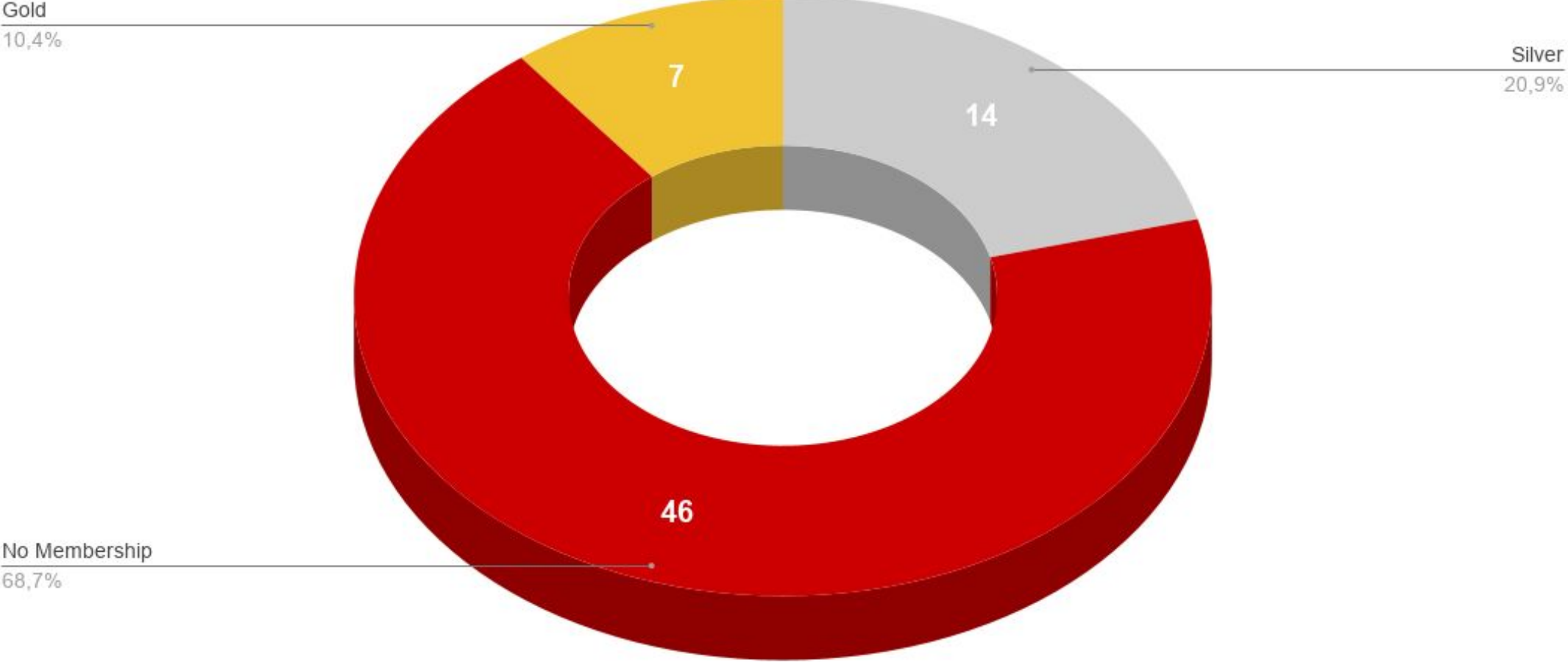




TRADEMARK REPORT

Ric van Westhreenen

ADS WITH TRADEMARK



THE YEAR IN NUMBERS

Active monitoring and active takedown.

Last year we were able to close 357 cases, but we received 100+ new cases.

250

**MONITORED
DOMAINS**

eTLD+1, auto-checked

100+

NEW CASES

created during 2025 (until April 2026)

713

FLAGGED

potential infringement

10

**ACTIVE
REGISTRATIONS**

across 7 jurisdictions

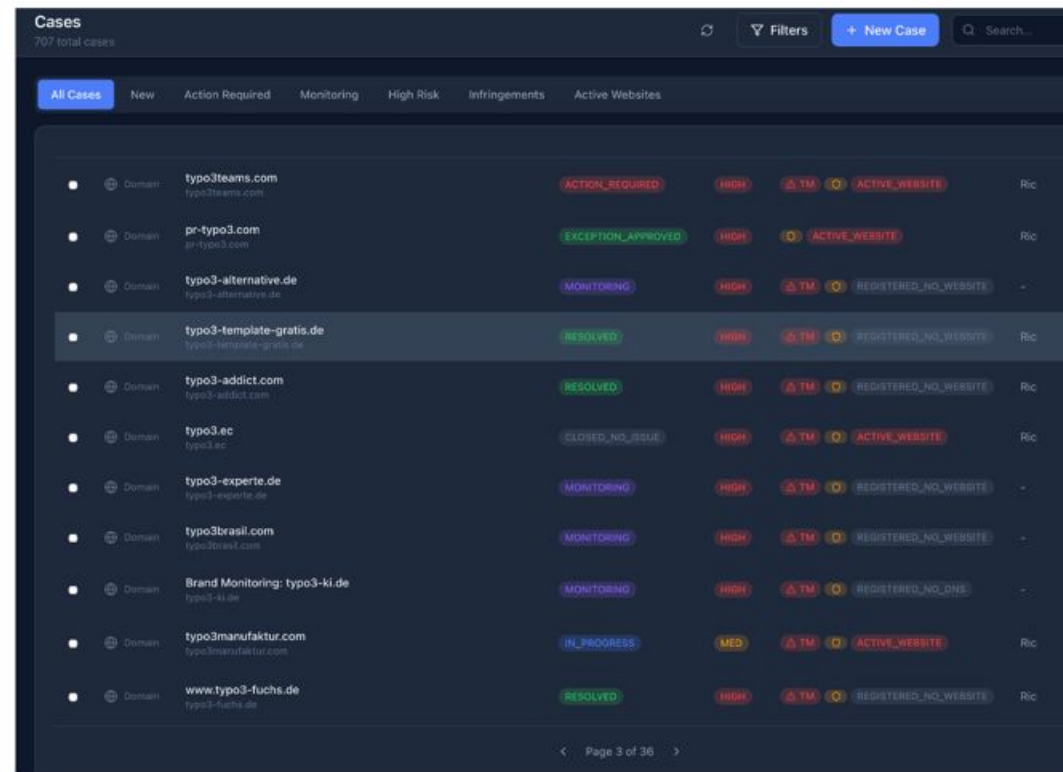
357 cases closed, no issue

101 cases action required

Achievements

What the Trademark team delivered this year.

- 10 toplevel domain registrations handled (like typo3.one)
- Won the opposition against the trademark registrations Typon, typpo and typo design.
- Extended the trademark registration for US and UK
- Implemented the Trademark Controller tool to help us with automating parts of our work



The screenshot shows a 'Cases' dashboard with 707 total cases. The dashboard includes a search bar, a '+ New Case' button, and a filter menu. The main content is a table of cases with the following columns: Domain, Status, Risk, and Actions. The table lists 10 cases, each with a domain name, a status (e.g., ACTION_REQUIRED, EXCEPTION_APPROVED, MONITORING, RESOLVED, CLOSED_NO_ISSUE, IN_PROGRESS), a risk level (e.g., HIGH, MEDIUM), and a set of icons representing actions (e.g., TM, ACTIVE_WEBSITE, REGISTERED_NO_WEBSITE).

Domain	Status	Risk	Actions
typo3teams.com	ACTION_REQUIRED	HIGH	TM, ACTIVE_WEBSITE
pr-typo3.com	EXCEPTION_APPROVED	HIGH	ACTIVE_WEBSITE
typo3-alternative.de	MONITORING	HIGH	TM, REGISTERED_NO_WEBSITE
typo3-template-gratis.de	RESOLVED	HIGH	TM, REGISTERED_NO_WEBSITE
typo3-addict.com	RESOLVED	HIGH	TM, REGISTERED_NO_WEBSITE
typo3.ec	CLOSED_NO_ISSUE	HIGH	TM, ACTIVE_WEBSITE
typo3-experte.de	MONITORING	HIGH	TM, REGISTERED_NO_WEBSITE
typo3brasil.com	MONITORING	HIGH	TM, REGISTERED_NO_WEBSITE
Brand Monitoring: typo3-ki.de	MONITORING	HIGH	TM, REGISTERED_NO_DNS
typo3manufaktur.com	IN_PROGRESS	MED	TM, ACTIVE_WEBSITE
www.typo3-fuchs.de	RESOLVED	HIGH	TM, REGISTERED_NO_WEBSITE



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REPORT FROM THE TREASURER

Stefan Busemann

Treasurer



VOICE RECORDING





REPORT FROM THE TREASURER

Stefan Busemann

Treasurer



REVENUE

Type / Year	2025	2024	Change	changes in %
Memberships	€767.334	€705.273	€62.061	+8,7%
Donations	€2.817	€533	€2.284	+428,52%
Financials	€7.038	€5.374	€1.664	+30,96%
Total Revenues	€770.151	€705.667	€64.484	+9,1%

All figures in EUR

EXPENSES

Type / Year	2025	2024	Change	in %
Expenses Events (Community Exp.)	€112.389	€99.148	€13.241	13,35%
Expenses Budget (Product)	€441.852	€336.450	€105.402	31,33%
Expenses MarCom	€91.129	€64.848	€26.281	40,53%
Expenses Management	€154.168	€139.734	€14.434	10,33%
Expenses Product-Infrastructure	€43.237	€47.134	-€3.897	-8,27%
Operating Expenses	€3.751	€3.515	€236	6,71%
Total Expenses	€846.526	€690.829	€155.697	22,54%

FINANCIAL RESULTS 2025

Type / Year	2025	2024	Change
financial income and expenses	-€3.865	-€8.507	€4.642
Operating profit	-€76.377	€12.577	-€88.954
Miscellaneous costs / taxes	-€853	-€820	-€33
Net income	-€81.095	€3.250	-€84.345

LIQUIDITY OF THE TYP03 ASSOCIATION

Year	Liquidity (in Mio)	Changes	in %
Cash EoY 2020	€1.215	-€352	-22,46%
Cash EoY 2021	€1.195	-€20	-1,65%
Cash EoY 2022	€1.289	€94	7,87%
Cash EoY 2023	€1.308	€19	1,47%
Cash EoY 2024	€1.116	-€192	-14,68%
Cash EoY 2025	€1.100	-€16	-1,43%

AUDITOR'S REPORT



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Report of the statutory auditor on the limited statutory examination To the General Meeting of

TYP03 Association, Baar

As statutory auditor, we have examined the financial statements (comprising the balance sheet, operating statement and notes) of TYP03 Association for the financial year ended 31 December 2025.

These financial statements are the responsibility of the Committee. Our responsibility is to perform a limited statutory examination on these financial statements. We confirm that we meet the licensing and independence requirements as stipulated by Swiss law.

We conducted our examination in accordance with the Swiss Standard on the Limited Statutory Examination. This standard requires that we plan and perform a limited statutory examination to identify material misstatements in the financial statements. A limited statutory examination consists primarily of inquiries of entity personnel and analytical procedures as well as detailed tests of entity documents as considered necessary in the circumstances. However, the testing of operational processes and the internal control system, as well as inquiries and further testing procedures to detect fraud or other legal violations, are not within the scope of this examination.

Based on our limited statutory examination, nothing has come to our attention that causes us to believe that the financial statements do not comply with Swiss law and the articles of association.

Lucerne, 11 March 2026

BDO Ltd



Marcel Geisser

Auditor in Charge
Licensed Audit Expert



ppa. Ramona Eggerschwiler

Licensed Audit Expert

QUESTIONS?



REPORT FROM THE BUSINESS CONTROL COMMITTEE

Philipp Stranghöner
Roberto Torresani
Ingo Schmitt
Jochen Weiland



Report from the BCC for 2025

- The final bookkeeping is in good order
- Overall in 2025 the spending has been in line with the granted budgets
- significant improvement: > **80% of budget was utilized**

Community Ideas 2025

40

Community Ideas

17

funded & finished

136.500 €

Spend

Funding for implementing rector rules, Component-Based Frontend Development with Fluid, Seamless Deployment: Enhancing TYPO3 Documentation for a Smooth Transition from Local to Live, TYPO3 Translation System Analysis and Modernization Assessment, Create remaining Rector rules for TYPO3 14 and add new features for Fractor, Adopt TYPO3 Extension news to latest best practice features, Enhanced Email Configuration with Multiple Senders and Automated Validation, Web application firewall - EXT:firewall, Permission presets - UI and exportable presets, EXT:seal - Search Engine Abstraction Layer, Side-by-side live preview and page content editing, Favorite content elements, Build a TipTap RTE Extension, Interactive guide/tour to TYPO3 backend, Semantic Suggestion 2.0: Enhanced Internal Linking Visualization for TYPO3 v13, One Click TYPO3 Playground (in browser demo / local installation), Incorporate xhprof/xhgui profiling directly into DDEV

QUESTIONS?



Academic Committee Highlights 2025

- TYPO3 University Day 2025 hosted by Saarland University (Saarbrücken) 16-17, 2025 with 112 participants (<https://www.uni-saarland.de/en/page/t3ud25.html>)
- T3AC Happy Hour – every other month - One hour talk about one specific topic
- Participation at TYPO3 Dev Days and TYPO3 Conference
- Next University Days will take place at University of Erfurt September 15-16, 2026 <https://t3th.org/> (Cooperation of 5 Universities in Thuringia)



Ombudsperson Committee Highlights 2025

The Ombudsperson Group works to ensure the wellbeing of everyone in the community through education about and enforcement of the Code of Conduct. The committee had three members in 2025.

No potential Code of Conduct violations were reported in 2025.

The committee, especially Rachel Foucard, has worked on establishing good ethical compliance guidelines and processes for the TYPO3 Association. This includes a Conflict of Interest Management Policy.

This and policies for complaint handling, dispute resolution, as well as the mediation process, are available in the TYPO3 Policy Directory:

docs.typo3.org/permalink/guide-policy:start

Many of the committees topics will be affected by the TYPO3 project's ongoing governance process.

Education & Certification Committee Highlights 2025

- **Certification v13** launched in Q2/2025 during the TYPO3 Camp Hamburg
- New Workflow for maintaining the Question Pool was established (thanks for TYPO3 GmbH for the support)
- **Change in the TCCC certification:** beginning with v13 the exam is now 90min and contains 75 questions
- Thanks to the new workflow, publication went smoothly and only minor things had to be corrected. All identified issues were resolved within a very short time.
- The Education Committee was **present at various events on site** and carried out certifications and represented the Education Committee.
- Additional **In-House-certifications** was provided
- With the new **certification bundle** offer from the TYPO3 GmbH **test exams** are now available
- We're pleased to see that interest in joining our team remains strong and that we've been able to welcome several **new members**.
- Currently we are **preparing for the v14 certification**. A combined task force sprint held place in Lübeck last week.
- We are heading to be ready with the **v14 certification until the TYPO3 DevDays 2026**
- We also provide on-site certifications during the majority of TYPO3 events in 2026 as well as In-House-certifications on demand.
- We are experimenting with an AI supported tool for fostering our exams

French Country Committee Highlights 2025

- Energized the French TYPO3 community through a series of **monthly “Apéro TYPO3”** meetups on Slack, for networking, knowledge sharing, and coordinated actions to strengthen TYPO3 adoption across the French-speaking ecosystem.
- Delivered localization by translating, publishing **multiple TYPO3 articles in 2025**, and through active French-language **LinkedIn** animation and community communication efforts.
- Significantly raised TYPO3’s profile in the French developer ecosystem through sponsorship and active participation in **Forum PHP Paris 2025**, a flagship event gathering more than 700 participants. TYPO3 gained strong visibility through its dedicated booth, direct exchanges with developers and other open-source communities, and by reaffirming its position as a modern, robust, and long-standing professional CMS within the PHP ecosystem.



Dutch Country Committee Highlights 2025

The Dutch Committee was created by the TYPO3 Association Board in November 2025, but the committee did not commence its activities until 2026. There is therefore no report from this committee.

Community Expansion Committee Highlights 2025

23 Members • 8 Events • 5 Country Adoption Projects • 14 Governments Engaged

- **TYPO3 growth** through international promotion, engagement and development of strategic relationships.
- **Direct support to governments** to adopt and implement TYPO3 projects.
- **Direct support to web agencies** and developers to learn and implement TYPO3 projects in new countries.
- **Foster strategic positioning** and relations with governments and international organizations.
- **Create educational materials** to ease TYPO3 learning and adoption.



QUESTIONS?



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TYP03 GMBH

REPORT



REPORT FROM THE TYP03 COMPANY

Daniel Fau

CEO

Your Service Team 2026

Expanding our capacities

2026

- 22 FTEs
- 23 People

2025

- 19 FTEs
- 20 People

2024

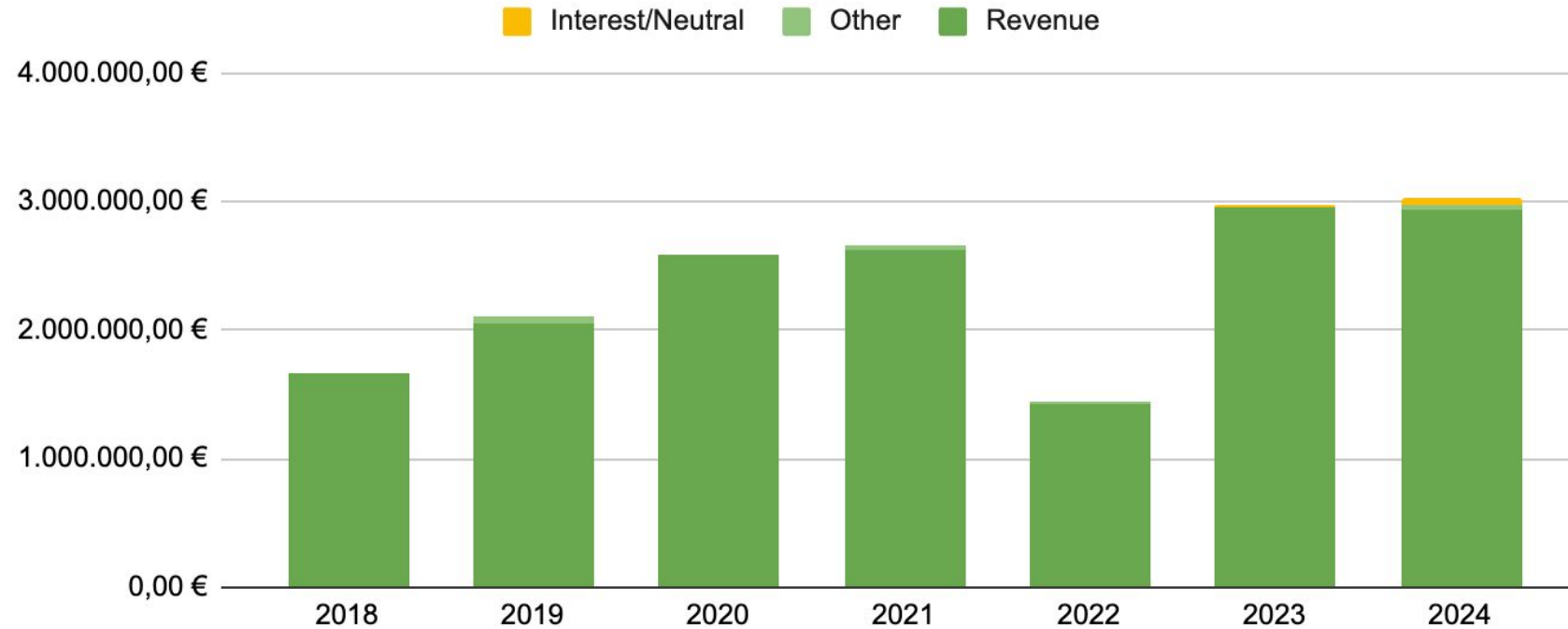
- 18.5 FTEs



* New hires are missing ...

Financial Statement **2024**

COMPANY STATEMENT 2024



- Revenue of 3.032.132,53 €
- Loss of -808.345,23 €
- Reduced periodic loss by 185.641,96 €

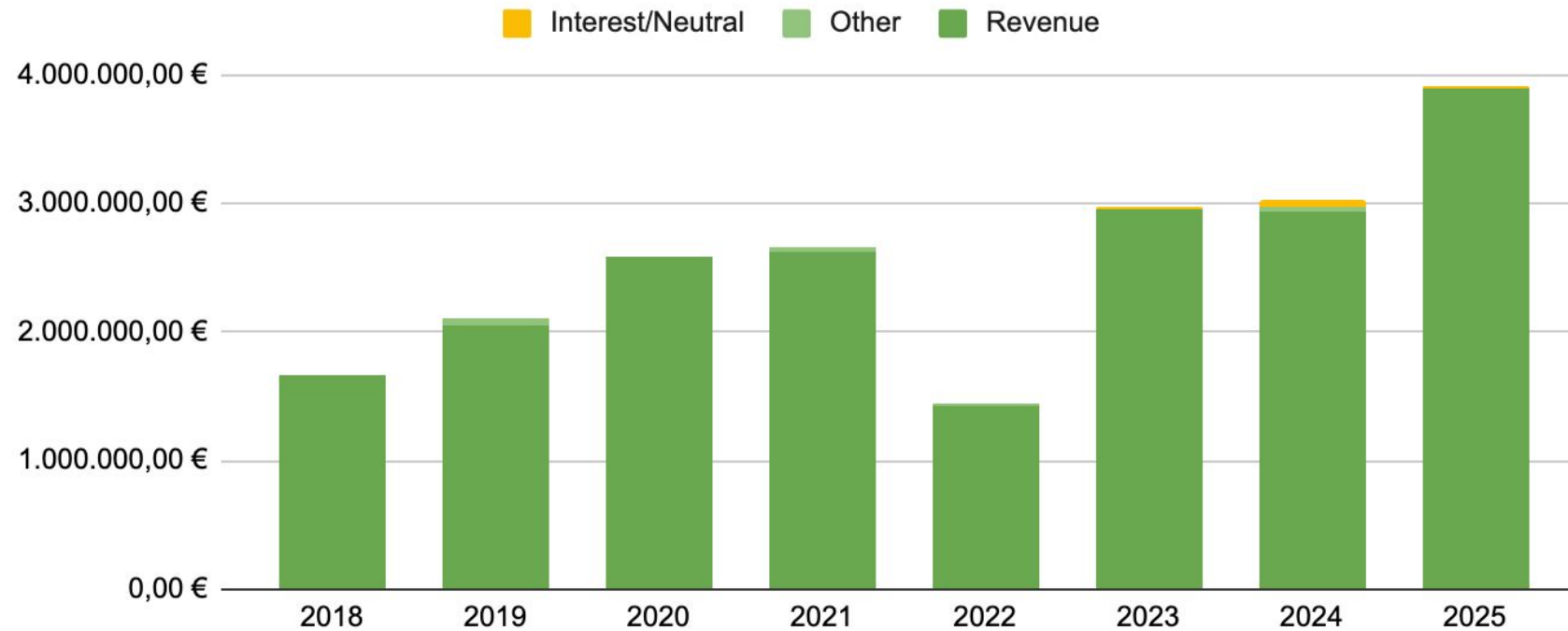


Management Notes 2024

- Cost allocation to the TYP03 project: 906k€
 - Development Resources: 310k€
 - Sprints & Core-Budget: 304k€
 - Strategy: 92k€
 - Shared Services: 200k€
- A strategy for the sustainable and manageable reduction of project costs whilst simultaneously improving revenue was initiated in 2024

Preliminary Financial Statement **2025**

PRELIMINARY STATEMENT 2025



- Revenue of 3.916.208,85 €
- Preliminary profit of 12.205,77 €



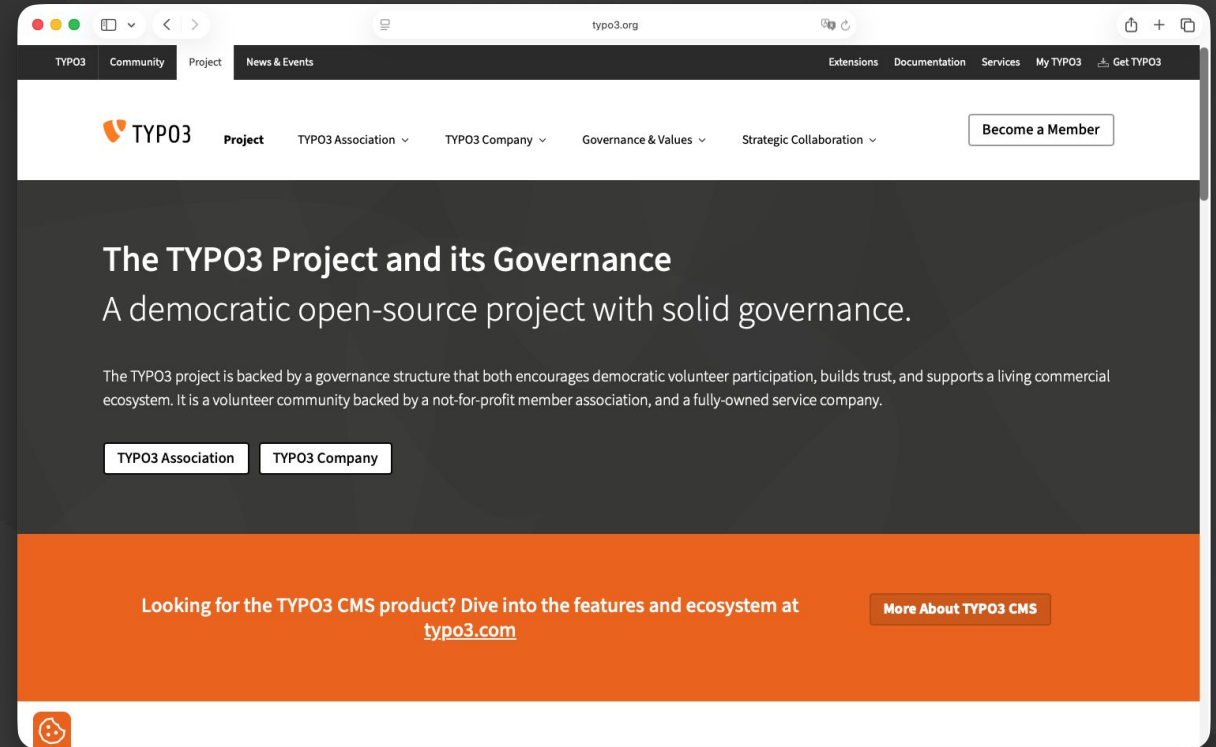
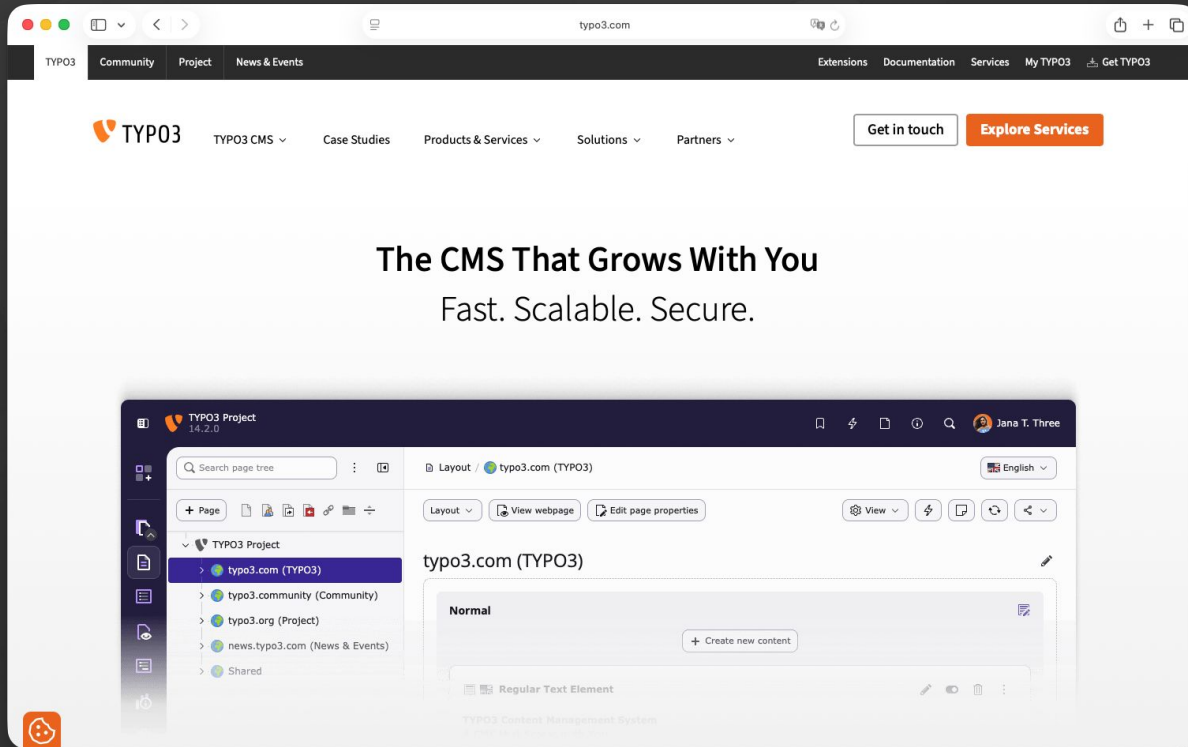
Outlook 2026

Outlook 2026

- **First Member- and Partnerships in North America**
- **Conservative Revenue Assumption with 3,4M € and Profit at 100k €** in line with our strategy
- Investments in Products, Security and regulatory compliance
- Introducing **additional services for joint offerings** with the agency ecosystem

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missed it ...**


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We look forward to sharing the most exciting updates in open source content management!

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Supervisory Board Report

- The Supervisory Board is a governing body with specific responsibilities, duties, rights, and obligations
 - Three Members: Olivier Dobberkau, Stefan Busemann and Ric van Westhreenen
 - 10 meetings in 2025
 - 2 town hall meetings with the employees
 - Setting the Goals for the Management / CEO
- 

QUESTIONS?



5 GDPR REPORT

GDPR & DPA Report 2025



GDPR implemented
since 2018, since
01.09.2023 DPA
(Schweiz)



Records on
processing
activities
continued



Contract
processors
updated



Olivier
Dobberkau
President



Boris
Hinzer
Vize President



Karen
Falkenberg
Data protection officer

GDPR & DPA Report 2025



1080 Members
(End of 2025)



19.028 (End of
2025) registered
users at
my.typo3.org



10 Inquiries from
data subject



10 Process of
Handling
Request of
Affected Party



2 Clarification of
identities and 2
timely deletion
of subject data



92

DeletionByUser

GDPR & DPA Report 2025



GDPR new legal estimates, active EU-U.S. Data Privacy Framework



new requirements of the Swiss DPA



Four IT security incidents



Several data protection trainings for TYPO3 teams



No Notification to the supervisory authority



No control by supervisory authority

QUESTIONS?



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GRANT DISCHARGE

VOTE

To discharge the members of the Board.

VOTE NOW

Do you discharge the members of the Board?

YES

NO

ABSTAIN

RESULT

Of the vote to discharge the members of the Board.

VOTE

To discharge the members of the BCC.

VOTE NOW

Do you discharge the members of the BCC?

YES

NO

ABSTAIN

RESULT

Of the vote to discharge the members of the BCC.

VOTE

To discharge the treasurer.



VOTE NOW

Do you discharge the treasurer?

YES

NO


ABSTAIN

RESULT

Of the vote to discharge the treasurer.

VOTE

To confirm the financial auditor (BDO)
for the current year.



VOTE NOW

Do you confirm the financial auditor (BDO)
for the current year?

YES

NO

ABSTAIN

RESULT

Of the vote to confirm the financial auditor (BDO)
for the current year.

VOTE

To collectively discharge the committees.

VOTE NOW

Do you collectively discharge committees?

YES

NO

ABSTAIN

RESULT

Of the vote to collectively discharge the committees.

VOTE

To discharge the Academic Committee.

VOTE NOW

Do you discharge the Academic Committee?

YES

NO

ABSTAIN

RESULT

Of the vote to discharge the Academic Committee.

VOTE

To discharge the Ombudsperson Committee.

VOTE NOW

Do you discharge the Ombudsperson Committee?

YES

NO

ABSTAIN

RESULT

Of the vote to discharge the Ombudsperson Committee.

VOTE

To discharge the Education & Certification Committee.

VOTE NOW

Do you discharge
the Education & Certification Committee?

YES

NO

ABSTAIN

RESULT

Of the vote to discharge
the Education & Certification Committee.

VOTE

To discharge the French Country Committee.

VOTE NOW

Do you discharge
the French Country Committee?

YES

NO

ABSTAIN

RESULT

Of the vote to discharge
the French Country Committee.

VOTE

To discharge the Dutch Country Committee.

VOTE NOW

Do you discharge
the Dutch Country Committee?

YES

NO

ABSTAIN

RESULT

Of the vote to discharge
the Dutch Country Committee.

VOTE

To discharge the Community Expansion Committee.

VOTE NOW

Do you discharge
the Community Expansion Committee?

YES

NO

ABSTAIN

RESULT

Of the vote to discharge
the Community Expansion Committee.

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ADMISSION AND SUSPENSION OF MEMBERS

MEMBERSHIP

The number of members continued to increase

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Definitive Admission and Suspension of Members

Since the 2025 GA we gained 26 new members and accepted them. Unpaid community memberships are excluded automatically by a decision of the Board. All other unpaid memberships are excluded by the Board, if the dunning is not successful.

The Board asks for the delegation of definitive admission and suspensions of members for the running year.

QUESTIONS?



VOTE

To delegate the final approval and suspension of members to the Board for the running year?

VOTE NOW

Do you delegate the final approval and suspension of members to the Board for the running year?

YES

NO

ABSTAIN

RESULT

Of the vote to delegate the final approval and suspension of members to the Board for the running year.

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**BUDGET FOR
THE RUNNING YEAR**

VOICE RECORDING

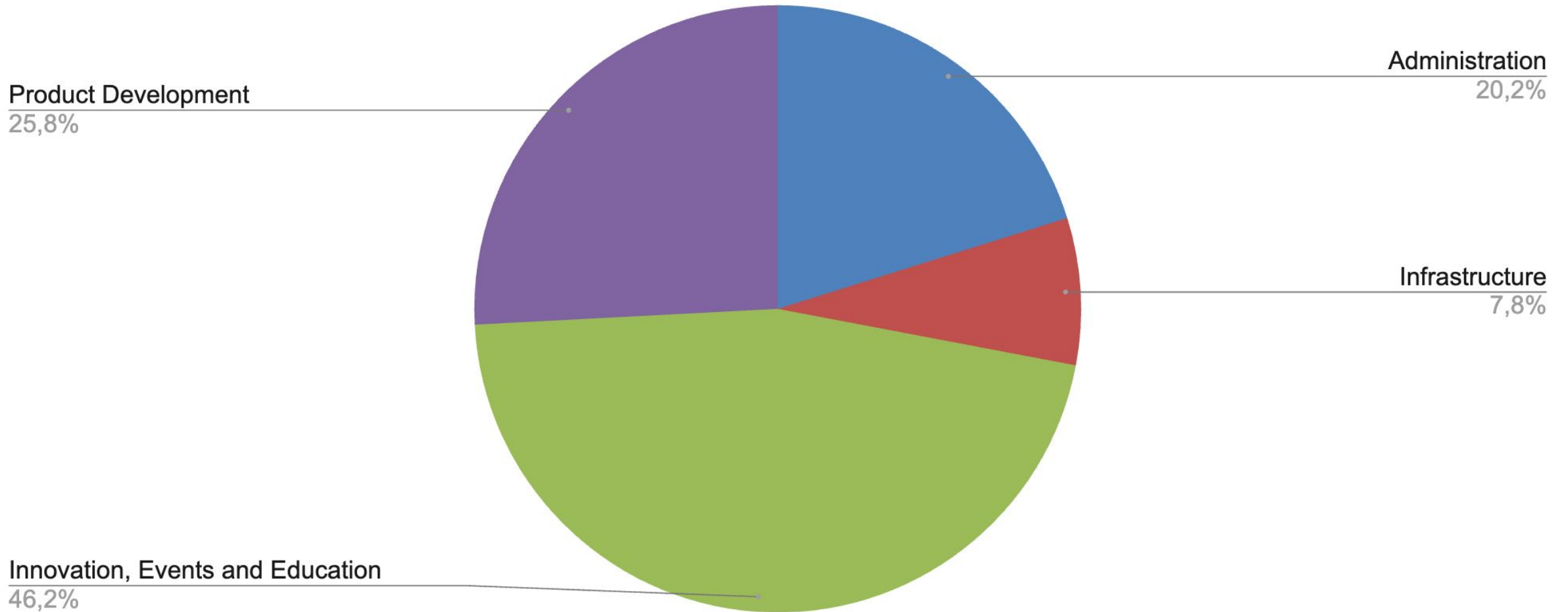


BUDGET FOR THE RUNNING YEAR

Budget Overview 2026	
Planned Expenses:	€1.000.000
Est. income:	€800.000
Anticipated loss:	-€200.000

Overview

Budget 2026



Budget Number	Budget Title	Budget Owner	Board (Accountable)	BCC (Responsible)	Area	Budget 2026
4000	Core Development	Oliver Bartsch	Thomas Maroschick	Ingo Schmitt	Product Development	150.000 €
4009	TYPO3 Security Team	Oliver Hader	Boris Hinzer	Philipp Stranghöner	Product Development	40.000 €
4010	TYPO3 Server Team	Andri Steiner	Boris Hinzer	Philipp Stranghöner	Infrastructure	52.940 €
4018	Strategy Process	Olivier Dobberkau	Boris Hinzer	Ingo Schmitt	Innovation, Events and Education	10.000 €
4082	Documentation Maintenance and Improvement	Lina Wolf	Thomas Maroschick	Ingo Schmitt	Product Development	45.000 €
6510	typo3.org Maintenance	Thomas Löffler	Thomas Maroschick	Philipp Stranghöner	Infrastructure	4.000 €
6511	Phone & Postage	Stefan Busemann	Rachel Foucard	Philipp Stranghöner	Infrastructure	1.000 €
6515	Insurance	Stefan Busemann	Rachel Foucard	Philipp Stranghöner	Infrastructure	2.000 €
6519	Other administration expenses	Stefan Busemann	Rachel Foucard	Ingo Schmitt	Infrastructure	2.500 €
6520	Transaction costs	Stefan Busemann	Rachel Foucard	Ingo Schmitt	Infrastructure	12.500 €
6521	Exchange lost	Stefan Busemann	Rachel Foucard	Ingo Schmitt	Infrastructure	1.000 €
6530	Financial revision	Stefan Busemann	Rachel Foucard	Philipp Stranghöner	Administration	10.000 €
6531	Trademark	Ric van Westhreenen	Olivier Dobberkau	Philipp Stranghöner	Administration	23.000 €
6532	Lawyer	Olivier Dobberkau	Boris Hinzer	Philipp Stranghöner	Administration	5.000 €
6533	Backoffice	Stefan Busemann	Boris Hinzer	Philipp Stranghöner	Administration	32.500 €
6534	Data Privacy	Boris Hinzer	Olivier Dobberkau	Philipp Stranghöner	Administration	12.500 €
6535	Compliance and regulations	Rachel Foucard	Olivier Dobberkau	Ingo Schmitt	Administration	8.000 €
6539	Association Compensation	Olivier Dobberkau	Boris Hinzer	Philipp Stranghöner	Administration	60.000 €
6547	Membership in other organisations	Jana Höffner	Martin Helmich	Ingo Schmitt	Innovation, Events and Education	5.000 €
6552	President's Initiatives	Olivier Dobberkau	Martin Helmich	Ingo Schmitt	Innovation, Events and Education	10.000 €
6553	Expenses GA	Thomas Maroschick	Martin Helmich	Ingo Schmitt	Administration	10.000 €
6555	Travel Bucket for Pool	Olivier Dobberkau	Martin Helmich	Ingo Schmitt	Administration	30.000 €
6563	TYPO3 Accessibility	Michael Telgkamp	Martin Helmich	Ingo Schmitt	Product Development	3.000 €
6600	Expenses Marketing (Podcast, ...)	Stefan Busemann	Martin Helmich	Jochen Weiland	Infrastructure	2.000 €
6602	Communications, PR & Media	Mathias Bolt Lesniak	Jana Höffner	Jochen Weiland	Innovation, Events and Education	65.000 €
6611	Localization Team	Peter Kraume	Jana Höffner	Jochen Weiland	Product Development	4.000 €
6612	best practices	Daniel Siepmann	Jana Höffner	Jochen Weiland	Innovation, Events and Education	2.500 €
6616	Out Reach Sprints	Benni Mack	Jana Höffner	Jochen Weiland	Innovation, Events and Education	15.000 €
6617	Contributor Workspace Onboarding	Thomas Maroschick	Rachel Foucard	Ingo Schmitt	Innovation, Events and Education	12.000 €
6618	Dialogue Day	Jana Höffner	Rachel Foucard	Jochen Weiland	Innovation, Events and Education	5.000 €
6619	Cloudfest	Olivier Dobberkau	Thomas Maroschick	Ingo Schmitt	Innovation, Events and Education	12.000 €
6626	Surfcamp	Benni Mack	Jana Höffner	Jochen Weiland	Innovation, Events and Education	35.000 €
6627	Ombudsperson Group	Rachel Foucard	Thomas Maroschick	Jochen Weiland	Administration	10.000 €
6643	Community Expansion Committee	Daniel Homorodean	Olivier Dobberkau	Jochen Weiland	Innovation, Events and Education	125.000 €
6650	Education Committee	Marc Willmann	Rachel Foucard	Roberto Torresani	Innovation, Events and Education	10.000 €
6652	Country Committees (French, NL)	Olivier Dobberkau	Boris Hinzer	Roberto Torresani	Innovation, Events and Education	18.000 €
6653	Academic Committee	Martina Alhswede	Olivier Dobberkau	Roberto Torresani	Innovation, Events and Education	8.000 €
6655	UX Team	Rachel Foucard	Thomas Maroschick	Roberto Torresani	Product Development	10.000 €
6658	Content Types	Andre Kraus	Thomas Maroschick	Roberto Torresani	Product Development	5.500 €
6659	Downloadable-Training-Framework	Marc Willmann	Thomas Maroschick	Roberto Torresani	Innovation, Events and Education	8.000 €
6660	Community Projects	Ingo Schmitt	Stefan Busemann	Roberto Torresani	Innovation, Events and Education	120.000 €

Total:

846.940 €

Outlook

	2026	2027	2028	2029	2030
Reserves	1.280.000,00 €	1.080.000,00 €	940.000,00 €	835.000,00 €	765.000,00 €
Income	800.000,00 €	810.000,00 €	820.000,00 €	830.000,00 €	840.000,00 €
Expenses	1.000.000,00 €	950.000,00 €	925.000,00 €	900.000,00 €	875.000,00 €
Profit / Loss	-200.000,00 €	-140.000,00 €	-105.000,00 €	-70.000,00 €	-35.000,00 €

QUESTIONS?



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DETERMINATION OF ADMISSION FEES AND ANNUAL DUES FOR ALL TYPES OF MEMBERS

ADMISSION FEES AND ANNUAL DUES

No changes planned.

10 ELECTIONS

RESULTS OF THE BOARD ELECTION

ROUND 1

Nominee	Votes	Voting Period
Stefan Busemann	211 votes (54.6%)	elected until 2029
Jochen Weiland	197 votes (51%)	elected until 2029

Participating voters: 386 out of 1117
Participation rate: 34.5%

ROUNDS 2 AND 3

No nominee reached 50% support

The Board will look at ways to improve the voting procedure in the future.
This can be done without modifying the bylaws.

QUESTIONS?



VOTE

To accept the Board election.



VOTE NOW

Do you accept the Board election?

YES

NO

ABSTAIN

RESULT

Of the vote to accept the Board election.

RESULTS OF THE BCC ELECTION

Nominee	Votes	Voting Period
Stefanie Vetr	300 votes (84%)	elected until 2028
Ingo Schmitt	290 votes (81%)	elected until 2028

Electors that voted: 355 out of 1117
Participation quote: 31,7%

QUESTIONS?



VOTE

To accept the BCC election.



VOTE NOW

Do you accept the BCC election?

YES

NO

ABSTAIN

RESULT

Of the vote to accept the BCC election.

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PETITIONS

PETITIONS

1. Adjustment of the member admission procedure
2. Editorial and cosmetic updates to the By-Laws
3. Clarification and Completion of Election Procedure in §18 of the Statutes
4. Proposition of Changing the Bylaws
5. Regular Publication of Board Reports and Records
6. Commit the Target Size of the Board to Eight Members
7. Making Official Records Published, Findable, and Permanently Available

VOTE

To not read the petitions aloud and go directly to the Board's remark and voting recommendation for each petition.

VOTE NOW

Do you agree to not read the petitions aloud and go directly to the Board's remark and voting recommendation for each petition?


YES

NO

ABSTAIN

RESULT

Of the vote to not read the petitions aloud and go directly to the Board's remark and voting recommendation for each petition.



PETITION 1

Adjustment of the member admission procedure by Jens Krumm

The General Assembly resolves

The provisions regarding the admission of new members in §13 (5) and §19 (7) of the By-Laws of the TYPO3 Association shall be amended as follows:

- The Board shall have the authority to decide on the admission of new members based on the submitted applications.
- Decisions of the Board regarding the admission of members shall be final.
- The Board shall ensure transparency by regularly informing the General Assembly about newly admitted members.
- In the event that an application for membership is rejected, the Board shall disclose and reasonably justify such decision to the General Assembly.

PETITION 1

Adjustment of the member admission procedure by Jens Krumm

Rationale

Under Swiss association law, the General Assembly is the supreme body of the association. However, unless explicitly restricted, the allocation of operational responsibilities – including the admission of members – may be defined by the by-laws and delegated to the Board.

The current model assigns the formal decision on membership admission to the General Assembly. In practice, this leads to procedural and governance challenges.

An informed decision by the General Assembly requires that all candidates for admission are known by name. Ensuring this transparency would require listing and presenting all applicants individually, which becomes increasingly impractical as the number of applications grows.

PETITION 1

Adjustment of the member admission procedure by Jens Krumm

In addition, the current setup creates a structural inconsistency: applicants may obtain voting rights before their admission is finally approved by the General Assembly. In the event of a rejection, this leads to legal and procedural uncertainty, especially in the context of secret ballots, where votes cannot be retroactively invalidated.

Furthermore, requiring the General Assembly to decide on individual admissions is inefficient and does not scale with a growing, international community.

The proposed change establishes a clear and widely adopted governance model:

- The Board handles the operational process of member admission
- The General Assembly retains oversight through transparency and the election of the Board
- Decisions become consistent, efficient, and legally robust

PETITION 1

Adjustment of the member admission procedure by Jens Krumm

This aligns the governance structure with common practice in similar organizations while ensuring accountability and transparency.

PETITION 1

Adjustment of the member admission procedure by Jens Krumm

The Board's remark and voting recommendation:

Recommendation: Approval with editorial refinement. The Board recommends that the General Assembly approve the petition's direction, subject to two refinements. First, the justification for rejections reported to the General Assembly should be aggregated rather than person-specific to protect the legitimate interests of rejected applicants and to comply with data protection requirements. Second, the existing right of appeal for rejected applicants under Art. 5, paragraph 2 should be preserved, so that the General Assembly remains functional as an appellate body.


Board position: The petition addresses a real problem the Board itself recognizes. We recommend approval and ask the Assembly for a mandate to finalize the exact wording in consultation with legal counsel and present the final text for formal adoption.

QUESTIONS?



VOTE

To enact the petition
Adjustment of the member admission procedure
by Jens Krumm.



VOTE NOW

Do you agree to enact the petition
Adjustment of the member admission procedure
by Jens Krumm?

YES

NO

ABSTAIN

RESULT

Of the vote to enact the petition
Adjustment of the member admission procedure
by Jens Krumm.

PETITION 2

Editorial and cosmetic updates to the By-Laws by Jens Krumm

In the course of upcoming amendments to the By-Laws of the TYPO3 Association, the following editorial and cosmetic updates should be addressed to improve clarity, consistency, and maintainability of the document.

The General Assembly is invited to acknowledge these points and to mandate their consideration alongside substantive changes.

PETITION 2

Editorial and cosmetic updates to the By-Laws by Jens Krumm

Proposed updates:

1) Removal of obsolete transitional provisions

The following sentence shall be removed:

“The first time the board is elected, the elected members select 4 board members whose term of office is only one year in order to ensure continuity in the board (meaning new elections are held each year).”

2) Handling of historical enactment references

The sentence referring to the initial approval and enactment of the By-Laws

"The bylaws were approved ... on 11 April 2018 and come into force ... in 2019." should be removed or moved to a non-normative historical note.

PETITION 2

Editorial and cosmetic updates to the By-Laws by Jens Krumm

3) Harmonization of communication terminology

References to "written request" or similar wording should be clarified to explicitly include electronic communication and aligned with existing provisions that already allow digital communication.

4) Removal of duplicated provisions - §19, (3) and (13)

Repeated statements, in particular regarding the responsibilities of the Board (e.g. "execution of the decisions of the General Assembly"), should be consolidated into a single, consistent provision.

5) Review of time-dependent election phrasing

Time-dependent wording (e.g. references to "even years" and "odd years") should be reviewed and, where appropriate, replaced with structurally neutral language.

PETITION 2

Editorial and cosmetic updates to the By-Laws by Jens Krumm

Rationale:

Over time, the By-Laws have evolved and accumulated provisions that are no longer relevant, partially redundant, or inconsistent in terminology. While these do not fundamentally affect the governance structure, they reduce clarity and increase the risk of misinterpretation.

Addressing such editorial and cosmetic issues alongside substantive changes is an efficient way to improve the overall quality of the document without introducing additional governance complexity.

PETITION 2

Editorial and cosmetic updates to the By-Laws by Jens Krumm

These updates aim to:

- remove outdated or one-time provisions
- ensure consistent terminology and structure
- improve readability and maintainability

reduce ambiguity in interpretation

This type of cleanup is common practice in mature organizations and helps ensure that the By-Laws remain a clear and reliable foundation for governance.

PETITION 2

Editorial and cosmetic updates to the By-Laws by Jens Krumm

The Board's remark and voting recommendation:

Recommendation: Approval with extended scope. The Board recommends approval and proposes to extend the mandate beyond the five points raised by the petitioner. The extended mandate would cover: synchronization of the German and English-language versions into fully congruent text; repair of broken numbering and enumeration; removal of all references to governing bodies no longer in existence; and review and clarification of communication-related terminology throughout the document.

The Board commits to presenting the revised text as a dedicated agenda item at the General Assembly 2027, so that the mandate does not become a blank check.

Board position: We welcome the initiative, confirm that the points raised are genuine editorial weaknesses, and propose broadening the scope of the mandate. The Board will return with a consolidated and synchronized text at the General Assembly 2027.

QUESTIONS?



VOTE

To enact the petition
Editorial and cosmetic updates to the By-Laws
by Jens Krumm.



VOTE NOW

Do you agree to enact the petition
Editorial and cosmetic updates to the By-Laws
by Jens Krumm?


YES

NO

ABSTAIN

RESULT

Of the vote to enact the petition
Editorial and cosmetic updates to the By-Laws
by Jens Krumm.



PETITION 3

Clarification and Completion of Election Procedure in §18 of the Statutes

by Jens Krumm

Proposed Resolution

The General Assembly resolves to amend §18 of the statutes to clarify and complete the procedure for subsequent voting rounds (runoff elections), ensuring both the achievement of a majority and the practical feasibility of elections.

Background

The current wording of §18 requires candidates to receive more than 50% of the votes cast and foresees subsequent voting rounds if positions remain unfilled.

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Clarification and Completion of Election Procedure in §18 of the Statutes

by Jens Krumm

However, the statutes do not explicitly define:

- how candidates are selected for subsequent voting rounds, and
- how such rounds are to be conducted when multiple positions remain unfilled.

This lack of specification may lead to differing interpretations and inconsistent application in practice.

Proposal

§18 shall be amended to include the following provisions:

1. Limitation of Voting Rounds

The number of voting rounds shall be limited to a maximum of three.

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Clarification and Completion of Election Procedure in §18 of the Statutes

by Jens Krumm

2. Candidate Reduction

In each subsequent voting round, exactly two candidates per remaining open position shall advance, based on the results of the previous round.

If fewer candidates are available, all remaining candidates shall advance.

3. Final Voting Round

If positions remain unfilled after the second voting round, a final voting round shall be conducted under the same candidate limitation.

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Clarification and Completion of Election Procedure in §18 of the Statutes

by Jens Krumm

4. Decision Rule in Final Round

In the final voting round, candidates shall be elected by relative majority (i.e. the highest number of votes), ensuring that all positions can be filled.

5. Objective of the Procedure

The procedure shall be designed in a way that makes achieving the required majority realistically possible within the defined number of voting rounds, while ensuring that a final decision is reached.

PETITION 3

Clarification and Completion of Election Procedure in §18 of the Statutes

by Jens Krumm

Rationale

This amendment will:

- ensure consistent and unambiguous interpretation of the statutes
- provide a clear and deterministic procedure for elections
- preserve the principle of majority support while ensuring decision-making capability
- avoid unresolved elections due to procedural ambiguity
- ensure that elections can be completed within a predictable and practical timeframe

The introduction of the 50% requirement aims to ensure that candidates have meaningful support and are not elected with only a minimal share of the vote.

PETITION 3

Clarification and Completion of Election Procedure in §18 of the Statutes

by Jens Krumm

At the same time, if no candidate achieves this threshold after multiple structured voting rounds with a reduced candidate field, it can be reasonably assumed that a clear absolute majority cannot be reached under the given conditions.

In such cases, allowing a final decision by relative majority provides a pragmatic and fair resolution, while still respecting the original intention of the statutes.

This proposal is made to improve clarity and governance for future elections and is not related to any specific election outcome.

PETITION 3

Clarification and Completion of Election Procedure in §18 of the Statutes

by Jens Krumm

The Board's remark and voting recommendation:

Recommendation: Approval in principle, with delegation of implementation. The Board recommends that the General Assembly approve the petition's direction. The Board further requests a mandate to determine the correct regulatory location (Art. 18 versus Voting Procedure), to prepare a coordinated legal text, and to present the final proposal for adoption at the General Assembly 2027. This is a stronger recommendation than a referral. The substantive problem is real, the proposed solution is sound, and the Board endorses both.

Board position: The petition identifies a genuine gap in the statutes in their authoritative German version. The Board supports the direction and requests a mandate to finalize the specific regulatory form and wording for adoption at the General Assembly 2027.

QUESTIONS?



VOTE

To enact the petition
Clarification and Completion of Election Procedure
in §18 of the Statutes by Jens Krumm.



VOTE NOW

Do you agree to enact the petition
**Clarification and Completion of Election Procedure in
§18 of the Statutes** by Jens Krumm?

YES

NO

ABSTAIN

RESULT

Of the vote to enact the petition

**Clarification and Completion of Election Procedure in §18
of the Statutes** by Jens Krümm.

PETITION 4

Proposition of Changing the Bylaws by Adrian Zimmermann

I believe the board needs to be more diverse and also needs fresh faces. That is why I propose limiting the term of office to a maximum of two terms (a maximum of 2×3 years). We should have an agile, diverse board, rather than one where some members have been in office for over 10 years. I propose therefore to change Article 18 as follows:

PETITION 4

Proposition of Changing the Bylaws by Adrian Zimmermann

Proposed Resolution

German: Die Amtsdauer des Vereinsvorstands beträgt drei Jahre und richtet sich nach dem Geschäfts- bzw. Kalenderjahr. Zu Vereinsvorstandsmitgliedern können nur Mitglieder des Vereins gewählt werden. Wiederwahl ist zulässig. Der Vorstand besteht aus maximal 9 Mitgliedern. Es können maximal 2 Amtszeiten absolviert werden (2*3 Jahre), nach diesem Ablauf kann man sich nicht mehr zur Wahl stellen.

English: The term of office for the association's executive committee is three years and follows the financial or calendar year. Only members of the association may be elected to the executive committee. Re-election is permitted. The executive committee consists of a maximum of nine members. Members may serve a maximum of two terms (2 × 3 years); after this period, they may no longer stand for election.

PETITION 4

Proposition of Changing the Bylaws by Adrian Zimmermann

The Board's remark and voting recommendation:

Recommendation: Rejection in the present form, combined with a counter-proposal.

The Board recommends that the General Assembly reject the petition in its present form. Reasons: incomplete text, unresolved retroactivity, lack of differentiation between ordinary board members and the presidency, and unaddressed interaction with the presidential eligibility rule in Art. 18.

At the same time, the Board recommends taking up the petition's legitimate intention. The Board proposes to examine and present to the General Assembly 2027 one or more of the following milder instruments: a cap of three instead of two consecutive terms; a cooling-off period of one term after three consecutive terms; term limits applicable only to the presidency; or an annual board self-evaluation with a public report on rotation and renewal.

PETITION 4

Proposition of Changing the Bylaws by Adrian Zimmermann

The Board's remark and voting recommendation:


Board position: The Board shares the petitioner's intention to foster renewal and diversity. The proposed mechanism, however, is incomplete, poorly aligned with the existing presidential eligibility rule, and too coarse. The Board proposes rejecting the petition in its current form and simultaneously requests a mandate to prepare an elaborated proposal on term limits for the General Assembly 2027, one that preserves the legitimate intention without endangering continuity.

QUESTIONS?



VOTE

To enact the petition
Proposition of Changing the Bylaws
by Adrian Zimmermann.



VOTE NOW

Do you agree to enact the petition
Proposition of Changing the Bylaws
by Adrian Zimmermann?


YES

NO

ABSTAIN

RESULT

Of the vote to enact the petition
Proposition of Changing the Bylaws
by Adrian Zimmermann.



PETITION 5

Regular Publication of Board Reports and Records by Matthias Hinner

The TYPO3 Association Board shall publish two types of regular record to its membership:

1. Half-Yearly Board Reports

Twice per year, the Board shall publish a written report consisting of:

- A collective section summarising the work of the Board as a whole during the period — topics addressed, decisions taken, ongoing initiatives, finances at a high level, and planned focus for the following period.
- An individual section for each Board member, structured around their portfolio (see Petition 2 and Article 19 of the Bylaws), describing what was worked on, what was achieved, and what is planned next.

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Regular Publication of Board Reports and Records by Matthias Hinner

The first report covers the first half of the year (January–June) and shall be published by the end of August. The second covers the second half (July–December) and shall be published by the end of February of the following year.

2. Publication of Board Decision Records

Article 20 of the TYP03 Association Bylaws already requires a written record (Beschlussprotokoll) for every Board meeting. This petition asks that these records be published in a member-accessible form on a rolling basis, containing at minimum a summarised statement of the decisions taken and the votes cast.

The two requirements are complementary: decision records give members ongoing visibility into what the Board decides; half-yearly reports give context, rationale, and direction.

PETITION 5

Regular Publication of Board Reports and Records by Matthias Hinner

Further Comment

The Board already does most of this — internally.

The Board Report January–August 2025 (news.typo3.com) is an excellent document. It describes the Board’s internal practice of Outcome Agreements, in which each Board member signs a document defining their deliverables and then reports on accomplishments and challenges in structured Keep / Improve / Stop feedback sessions. The information already exists. This petition asks for a member-facing summary of it twice a year.

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Similarly, Article 20 of the Bylaws already requires the Board to keep a written record of every meeting. This petition does not create a new obligation — it asks for publication of records that are already mandatory to produce.

Why half-yearly, not quarterly.

Quarterly reporting is the norm in many member organisations, but for a volunteer Board with mandates now extended to three years (GA 2025, Petition 2), half-yearly is a more appropriate cadence. It ensures that members see their Board at work at least twice in every year, and six times across a three-year mandate — frequent enough to build accountability, rare enough not to become a paperwork burden that distracts from actual work.

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Three reasons:

1. Scale of commitment matches scale of role. Board membership is a significant, public-facing role funded by members. Two written updates per year, plus published decision records, is a modest ask proportional to the trust members place in their elected representatives.
2. It makes the Board's work defensible. Published records turn the Board's work from an annual retrospective headline into a visible, citable record. Board members can point to concrete decisions and outcomes. Candidates for re-election have a public basis for their claim to continued service. Members can give informed feedback rather than generalities.
3. It fulfils existing Bylaws obligations. Publishing Board decision records is not a new demand. It is a request to make Article 20 of the Bylaws work in practice.

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Regular Publication of Board Reports and Records by Matthias Hinner

Implementation Suggestion

- First half-yearly report: covers H1 2026 (January–June), published by end of August 2026
- Format: Markdown article on news.typo3.com, with a stable index page linking all reports and all published Board decision records (see Petition 1)
- Length guideline: ~3 pages collective + ~1 page per member for the half-yearly report. Decision records: short, factual, aggregated per meeting — no essays
- Effort per Board member: approximately two hours per report, twice per year. Well under 1% of the Board member's annual time commitment of roughly 200 hours
- Decision records: published on a rolling basis after each meeting, via the central index

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Regular Publication of Board Reports and Records by Matthias Hinner

Cost

Zero financial cost. Time investment is approximately four hours per Board member per year for the half-yearly reports. Decision records are already required by the Bylaws; the additional effort is only the publication step.

References

- [TYP03 Association Bylaws \(German original\), Article 20 on meeting records](#)
- [TYP03 Association Board Report January–August 2025](#) (describes internal Outcome Agreements practice)
- GA 2025 Protocol, Petition 2 (extension of Board mandates to three years — context for why half-yearly, not annually, is the appropriate cadence)

PETITION 5

Regular Publication of Board Reports and Records by Matthias Hinner

The Board's remark and voting recommendation:

Recommendation: Approval with implementation refinements. The Board recommends that the General Assembly approve the petition with three implementation refinements added to the resolution. First, the publication standard for Board decision records shall include a confidentiality exception for personnel matters, pending legal proceedings, contract negotiations, and other sensitive items, with a practice of noting withheld items in the published record where applicable. Second, the Board will clarify the relationship between the half-yearly H2 report and the annual report under Art. 19 before the first publication cycle, and communicate the chosen structure to the membership. Third, the Board commits to publishing the first half-yearly report covering H1 2026 by the end of August 2026, and the first decision record within four weeks of the first Board meeting after the General Assembly 2026.

PETITION 5

Regular Publication of Board Reports and Records by Matthias Hinner

The Board's remark and voting recommendation:


Board Position: The petition formalizes a practice the Board has already begun building through the January to August 2025 report. The cadence is proportionate, the effort is modest, and the content material already exists through the Outcome Agreements process. The Board recommends approval with the three implementation refinements described above.

QUESTIONS?



VOTE

To enact the petition
Regular Publication of Board Reports and Records
by Matthias Hinner.



VOTE NOW

Do you agree to enact the petition
Regular Publication of Board Reports and Records
by Matthias Hinner?

YES

NO

ABSTAIN

RESULT

Of the vote to enact the petition

Regular Publication of Board Reports and Records
by Matthias Hinner.

PETITION 6

Commit the Target Size of the Board to Eight Members by Matthias Hinner

Proposal

The TYPO3 Association shall set the size of its Board at eight members for future elections.

This size lies within the range already permitted by the Bylaws: Article 17 sets a minimum of six Board members; Article 18 sets a maximum of nine. This petition therefore does not require a Bylaws amendment – it asks the Association to commit to eight as the target size within the existing range.

In addition, in line with Article 19 of the Bylaws, which requires the Board to issue a Rules of Procedure (Geschäftsordnung) specifying the division of tasks, the Board shall publish its portfolio assignments so that members know which Board member is responsible for which area of work.

PETITION 6

Commit the Target Size of the Board to Eight Members by Matthias Hinner

This petition does not affect the 2026 election. Results of the 2026 vote remain as published. The petition applies to future election cycles.

Rationale

Eight is proven. Six is fragile.

For most of its recent history, the TYP03 Association Board has operated with eight members. That configuration has worked: it has enough capacity for a growing set of responsibilities, enough redundancy to absorb absences and leadership transitions, and enough diversity of perspective to represent an international community.

PETITION 6

Commit the Target Size of the Board to Eight Members by Matthias Hinner

At the General Assembly 2025, Petition 2 extended Board mandates from two to three years. The protocol of that petition also records the Board's intent to reduce to six members over time, so that two members are elected per year. The extension of mandates was actively voted on. The reduction in size was a consequence drawn by the Board, not an independent member decision. This petition asks the General Assembly 2026 to take that decision directly — and to choose eight.

Three reasons:

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1. Quorum fragility at six.

Article 21 of the Bylaws sets the Board's quorum at four members. With a Board of eight, the quorum is half the Board and there is meaningful redundancy. With a Board of six, the quorum is two thirds of the Board, and any two simultaneous absences — whether from illness, travel, personal circumstances, or a disagreement leading to a temporary withdrawal — leave the Board unable to conduct business.

The Board Report January–August 2025 itself describes a Board member returning from long sick leave only in September 2025. That kind of situation is not hypothetical. A Board of eight handles it; a Board of six is one more absence away from paralysis.

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2. Compensation for reduced annual rotation.

Three-year mandates reduce annual turnover. With only two seats up per year instead of three or four, the rate of fresh perspectives entering the Board is roughly halved. Maintaining a Board of eight compensates for this by preserving the structural diversity that shorter, more frequent elections used to provide naturally.

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3. Capacity matches responsibility.

The TYP03 Association represents a community across multiple countries, languages, and time zones. The Board's responsibilities — governance reform, product strategy, engagement with EU regulation including the Cyber Resilience Act, brand protection, and education — are growing, not shrinking. Reducing from eight to six members removes roughly 25% of total Board capacity at a moment when more capacity, not less, is needed.

Portfolios make the Board accountable — and are already required.

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Article 19 of the Bylaws requires the Board to issue a Rules of Procedure (Geschäftsordnung) that regulates its tasks and the division of tasks among its members. This petition therefore asks for the publication of something the Bylaws already require the Board to have in place internally: a clear mapping of which Board member is responsible for which area of work. Publishing this mapping turns the larger Board from a group of eight into a cabinet of eight portfolio-holders, each with visible responsibility.

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Implementation Suggestion

- Effective: From the Board election cycle following GA 2026 onwards (2027 and beyond)
- The 2026 election result is not affected. In the 2026 cycle, three seats were up for election and three candidates were elected. This petition does not revisit that.
- Future elections: The number of seats up for election in a given year shall match the number of expiring mandates within a target Board size of eight
- Portfolio publication: Within three months of acceptance, the Board publishes its current portfolio assignments in a member-accessible form

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Cost

No additional cost. Board members are volunteers; setting the Board at eight instead of six does not change the budget structure. The portfolio publication uses information the Board already maintains internally.

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References

[TYP03 Association Bylaws](#) (German original):

- Article 17 — Minimum Board size of six members
- Article 18 — Maximum Board size of nine members; up to three positions elected annually
- Article 19 — Board shall issue a Rules of Procedure regulating its tasks and their division
- Article 20 — Board meeting records
- Article 21 — Board quorum of four members

Further references:

- GA 2025 Protocol, Petition 2 (mandate extension to three years; Board's stated intent to reduce to six)
- [Board Report January–August 2025](#)

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The Board's remark and voting recommendation:

Recommendation: Approval. The Board recommends that the General Assembly approve the petition. The argumentation is factually accurate, operationally grounded, and respectful of the current electoral cycle. The operational risks of a six-member Board under three-year mandates outweigh the gain in decision-making compactness.

The Board further confirms that portfolio assignments are already part of its Rules of Procedure and commits to publishing the current assignments in a member-accessible format within three months of the petition's approval. This fulfills the second element of the petition without additional administrative burden.

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The Board's remark and voting recommendation:

Board Position: The petition addresses an operational risk that the Board recognizes after eight months of experience under the new statutory framework. A six-member Board under three-year mandates is too fragile under realistic operating conditions. The Board thanks the petitioner for the fact-based reasoning and recommends approval. The portfolio publication will be implemented within three months as a concrete measure of transparency.

QUESTIONS?



VOTE

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VOTE NOW

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YES

NO

ABSTAIN

RESULT

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PETITION 7

Making Official Records Published, Findable, and Permanently Available

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The TYPO3 Association shall ensure that its official records — General Assembly protocols, Board decision records, petitions, financial statements, and election results — are published, findable, and permanently available.

Specifically:

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- General Assembly protocols shall be published no later than six weeks after the General Assembly to which they refer.
- Board decision records (Beschlussprotokolle), which Article 20 of the Association's Bylaws already requires for every Board meeting, shall be published in a member-accessible form. Records shall contain, at minimum, a summarised statement of the decisions taken and the votes cast.
- All Association records from 2012 onwards shall be made available through a central, linked index on typo3.org/association/. Records from past years that were lost during previous site migrations shall be restored from available archives, including the Internet Archive where necessary.
- All records shall be accessible via predictable, permanent URLs that remain valid across future website changes.

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Further Comment

The records already exist — or did.

Board decision records are not a new requirement. Article 20 of the TYP03 Association Bylaws already mandates that a written record be kept of every Board meeting, including the decisions taken. This petition does not ask the Association to do anything new; it asks to make existing records accessible to the members on whose behalf the Board decides.

For General Assembly protocols, the situation is similar. Older protocols used to be published openly. They were lost during a migration to a newer system and have not been systematically restored. This petition asks for restoration where possible and a clear publication standard going forward.

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The current situation is unacceptable.

For the General Assembly 2025, the protocol was not available on the Association's website several months after the meeting. It was published only after a member specifically asked about it, roughly five months after the GA itself. This is not appropriate for the highest governing body of an Association with over a thousand members.

Board decisions between General Assemblies are, in practice, not published at all in any form accessible to members. Members elect the Board and fund its work, but they cannot see what their Board decides from one GA to the next.

Three reasons this matters:

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- Transparency. The Bylaws define the General Assembly as the highest governing body of the Association and the Board as its executive. Both exercise power on behalf of the members. The exercise of that power must be documented and visible. Transparency is not a bonus feature; it is a structural prerequisite for a member-driven organisation.
- Institutional memory. New Board members, BCC members, candidates, and active community members need access to past decisions to understand precedent, build on prior work, and avoid relitigating settled questions. Records that are missing, delayed, or scattered across different URLs erode this collective memory.
- Accountability. Citing a past decision — by the Board, by a past General Assembly, by the BCC — is meaningless if the underlying record is unreachable or was never published in the first place. Stable, findable records are a precondition for meaningful governance discussions.

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Implementation Suggestion

Within the authority of the Board and in coordination with the TYPO3 Server Team:

- Within 4 weeks of acceptance: publication standard for Board decision records defined and announced
- Within 8 weeks: central index of all Association records published on typo3.org
- Within 3 months: GA protocols from 2012 onwards restored and linked where available
- Ongoing: GA protocols published within 6 weeks after each General Assembly; Board decision records published on a rolling basis after each meeting

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Cost

Negligible. This is a documentation, URL-management, and publication-discipline task. The records that need to be published already exist. The records that need to be restored exist in archives. No development budget is required.

References

- [TYP03 Association Bylaws](#) (German original), particularly Article 20 on meeting records
- Current state: Multiple GA protocol PDFs from past years return HTTP 404 on their original published paths; the GA 2025 protocol was published only after member inquiry, roughly 5 months after the meeting.

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The Board's remark and voting recommendation:

Recommendation: Approval with implementation refinements. The Board recommends that the General Assembly approve the petition with three implementation refinements added to the resolution.

- First, the publication standard for Board decision records shall include a confidentiality exception clause for personnel matters, pending legal proceedings, contract negotiations, and other sensitive items, coordinated with the standard arising from Petition 5.
- Second, historical records restored from external archives shall be clearly marked as such, with provenance noted, to preserve the integrity of the authoritative record set.
- Third, the proposed timelines shall be treated as targets with a progress report to the Business Control Committee at the next quarterly review, and a full status report at the General Assembly 2027.

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The Board's remark and voting recommendation:


Board Position: The Board welcomes the petition. The transparency standard it proposes aligns with the Board's own stated commitment to improving dialogue with members. The Board accepts the petition with the three implementation refinements described above and commits to progress reporting.

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**PROGRAM
OF ACTIVITIES**

Team Highlights 2025

Detailed reports from committees and teams can be found in the protocol.

News and updates about the team activities are published regularly on news.typo3.com.

~**300 news articles** were published on news.typo3.com (previously, typo3.org and typo3.com) during 2025.

Core Team Highlights 2025

The team achieved the following roadmap objectives from the Product Strategy Group in the past 12 months:

1. Easy Upgrade Path

- No increased system requirements
- Many upgrade paths and deprecation ways

2. Default Theme

- Camino for the first time, Core ships a default frontend for testing and playground purposes
- Each new major release will get a new theme

3. Fresh Look & Feel

- New Theme + Icons + Color Scheme
- Updated Editing Concept
- Page Creation Wizard

4. Housekeeping

- Migrated a lot of old concepts to new functionality
- Examples: Bookmarks, Scheduler, Fluid

TYPO3 Content Blocks Team Highlights 2025

- Content Blocks v14 Support
- Content Blocks Maintenance and new Features
- Content Blocks JSON Schema and YAML Linter
- Content Blocks GUI early alpha state release
- Community Support & Sessions on TYPO3Camps and T3DD25

Security Team Highlights 2025


Incidents Handled

- 23 vulnerabilities in TYPO3 CMS
- 16 vulnerabilities in TYPO3 extensions
- 5 infrastructure incidents

Key Milestones

- Became an official CVE Numbering Authority (CNA) in July 2025
- Swiss NCSC reported multiple vulnerabilities with a 90-day disclosure deadline — patches delivered in May 2025, just before the deadline
- Investigated a potential supply chain attack via exposed GitHub Actions credentials; no evidence of exploitation found

Outlook

- Standalone advisory portal planned at advisories.typo3.org to ensure reliable access during outages of the main site
 - Growing interest from security researchers, with a steady increase in incoming reports
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UX Team Highlights 2025

- **UX Microcopy Improvements for V14:** Delivered improvements to backend microcopy as part of the V14 initiative, refining clarity, consistency, and usability of interface texts across key user workflows. Continued efforts on terminology alignment across CMS ecosystems.
- **Community & Project Support:** Delivered UX concepts and hands-on guidance for community-driven initiatives, like the Tour extension, the side-by-side preview extension and the pinned content extension (Community Budget Ideas). Active UX support on Slack, assisting both core contributors and community projects.
- **UX Concepts & Exploration:** Exploratory UX concepts for ongoing research and prototyping efforts such as new page wizard, side by side frontend preview, language visualization, or fresh look and feel proof of concept.
- **Core Collaboration Preparation:** Established a more systematic approach to triaging Forge issues tagged “ux-decision”, ensuring timely review, clearer prioritization, and more consistent decision-making.

Marketing Team Highlights 2025

Since the last General Assembly, the TYPO3 Marketing Team:

- Completed all goals from the 2025 Marketing Roadmap (“*Housekeeping & Next Steps*”)
 - Successfully relaunched typo3.com and typo3.org with the Content Group and TYPO3 Company
 - Completely translated all pages on typo3.com into German to cater to one of our biggest audiences in their native language + started the translation process into Dutch and French
 - Took over Google Ads related trademark infringement monitoring and thereby successfully reduced the average CPC for the keyword “TYPO3 Agency” from ~75€ to ~25€
 - This included the active outreach towards roughly 50 points of contact
 - Relaunched the official TYPO3 Styleguide
 - Launched the official TYPO3 Partner Search with broader filtering options
- Created the Marketing 2026 roadmap under the title “*Authenticity, Diversification & Real Connections*”
- Created all TYPO3 v14 communication & marketing assets and surrounding tasks leading up to the LTS launch

Documentation Team Highlights 2025

- **Enhanced Core Documentation:** Major updates to "Getting Started" and "TYPO3 Explained," adding sections on deployment, containerization, and v14 core changes for integrators/developers.
- **Developer Productivity Tools:** Launched "Live Documentation Preview" for instant edit checks; updated Kickstarter and Blog Example extensions for modern development.
- **Technical Infrastructure Improvements:** Upgraded version-specific search and modernized the rendering process with version switches, semantic CSS, and improved UI.
- **Active Community Engagement:** Completed a Q2 deployment project, hosted monthly "group documenting" sessions, and recruited new contributors at 2025 events (Developer Days, code sprints).
- **Efficient Team Operations:** Maintained budget and leadership stability; processed 39 community awards; held regular, transparent public monthly meetings.

Best Practices Team Highlights 2025

- **Remote code sprints:** conducted 8 1-day remote code sprints
- **Sessions at community events:** held 2 sessions at community barcamps (Berlin and Rhein-Ruhr) and 1 session at a user group (Cologne)
- **Project milestone achieved:** released a new version of our example extension
- **Leadership Transition:** Daniel Siepmann announced he will step down as lead to continue contributing as a team member, prompting the search for a new lead + co-lead.
- **On-Location Sprint Announcement:** Planned an in-person sprint in Bonn to work together on EXT:tea.
- **Constant Reporting:** The Team constantly published news on TYPO3 websites to transparently communicate what's going on.

Server Team Highlights 2025

- **Operational Stability:** Services ran as planned throughout 2025 with all external server and infrastructure costs fully covered within the allocated budget.
- **Strategic Domain Management:** Optimized the portfolio to focus on key domains, successfully reducing registration costs from EUR 8000 to EUR 5000 by year-end.
- **Reliable Infrastructure:** Managed server budgets were fully utilized to secure hosting for the entire year, with stable cost projections maintained for 2026.
- **Community Engagement:** Successfully participated in community sprints, including the Nov 2025 event, ensuring continued collaboration with the wider TYPO3 ecosystem.
- **Resource Efficiency:** Maintained core operations with existing team members while remaining prepared to onboard new talent as opportunities arise.

Localization Team Highlights 2025

- **Team Growth:** Successfully onboarded four new team members throughout the year, counteracting previous staff reductions and strengthening the existing team.
- **Technical Advancements:** Released Crowdin Bridge v3 with Site Sets support and a brand new status page. Furthermore EXT:crowdin got TYPO3 v14 compatibility and major improvements.
- **Translation Milestones:** Achieved complete TYPO3 translation for Czech and reached major progress milestones for Albanian and Hindi.
- **Strategic Outreach:** Maintained a high community presence through participation in TYPO3 Developer Days, the Düsseldorf Community Sprint and the Munich TYPO3camp to foster inner cohesion.

typo3.org Team Highlights 2025

- **Successful Infrastructure Upgrades:** Completed v12 upgrades and server migrations for typo3.org and extensions.typo3.org to ensure a modern, secure foundation.
- **Core Service Maintenance:** Ongoing maintenance and preparation for v12 and v13 upgrades for voting.typo3.org.
- **Active Team Collaboration:** Hosted several t3o Remote Days and planned an in-person sprint for Jul 2025 in Stuttgart to drive progress.
- **Strategic Budget Planning:** Effectively managing resources for upcoming sprints, with a detailed budget review scheduled for Oct 2025.

Community Ideas 2025



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**VARIOUS
OTHER TOPICS**



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