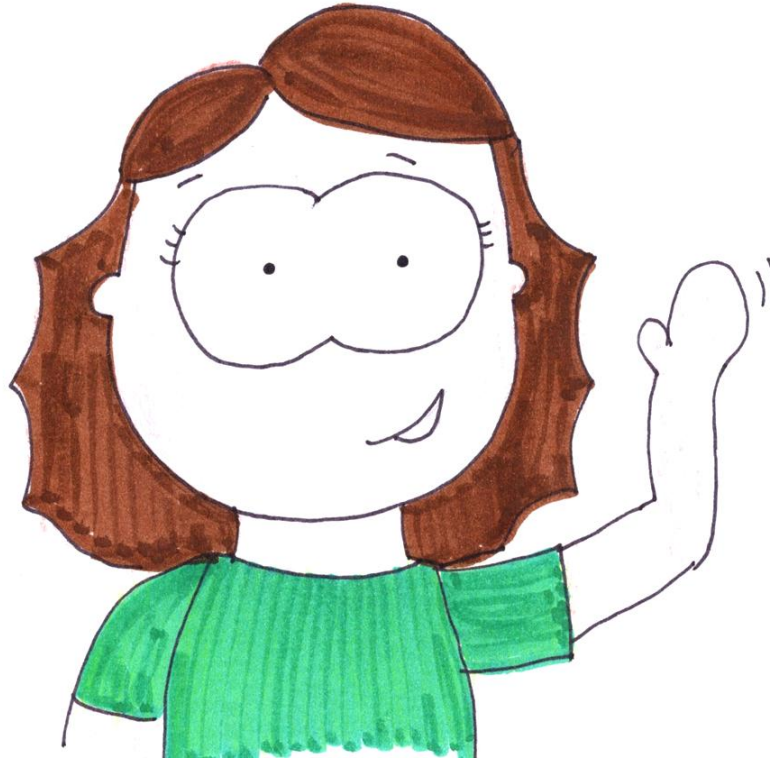


The SOE Chronicles

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HELLO!!



My name is Mari Carmen Rivero
I'm a student in the University of Freiburg
I come from Mexico

I'm going to tell you a story...

Once upon a time (1.5 years ago to be exact)...



20 Different people...

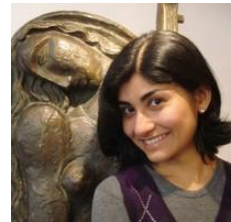
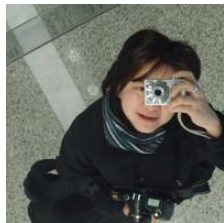
with 20 different background
studies & experience...



and coming from 14 different countries...

decided to come to Freiburg to study MEG.

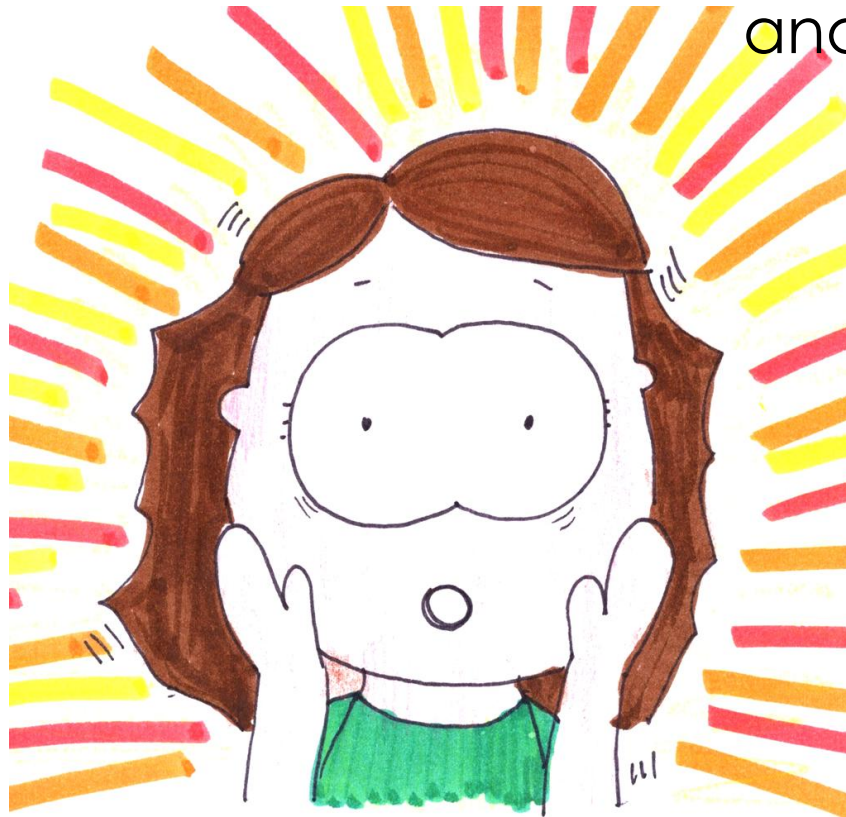
(**M**aster in **E**nvironmental **G**overnance)



Since the very beginning of the
Master programme we heard about
the famous S.O.E.

(**S**tudent **O**rganized **E**vent)

Already at this point I personally was
thinking about it with confidence
and self assurance...



Well, you can imagine the challenge:



First each of us came up with an idea of an event and presented it to the group.

We also each wrote a paper about it.

*Mari Carmen's
Student Organized Event*



But wait... There were in total 20
different and great individual
Student Organized Events...

Which one would we go for??!!

What to do?!!



What WE did...

DISCUSSED

MEETINGS

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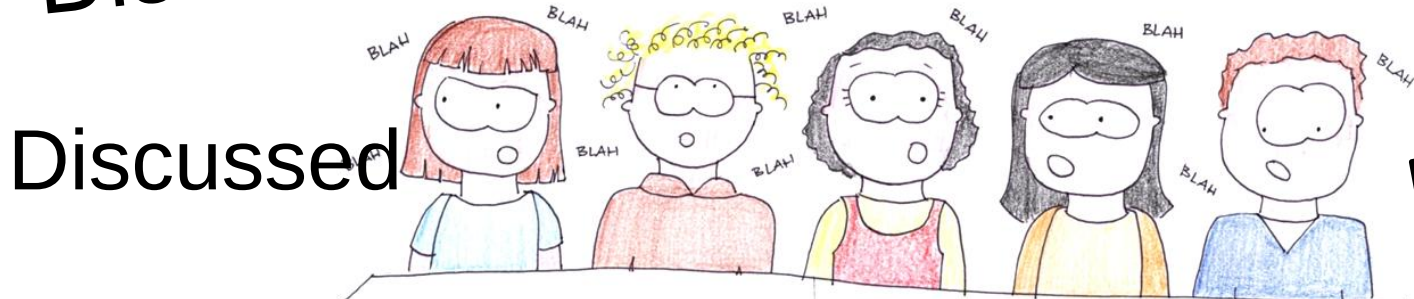
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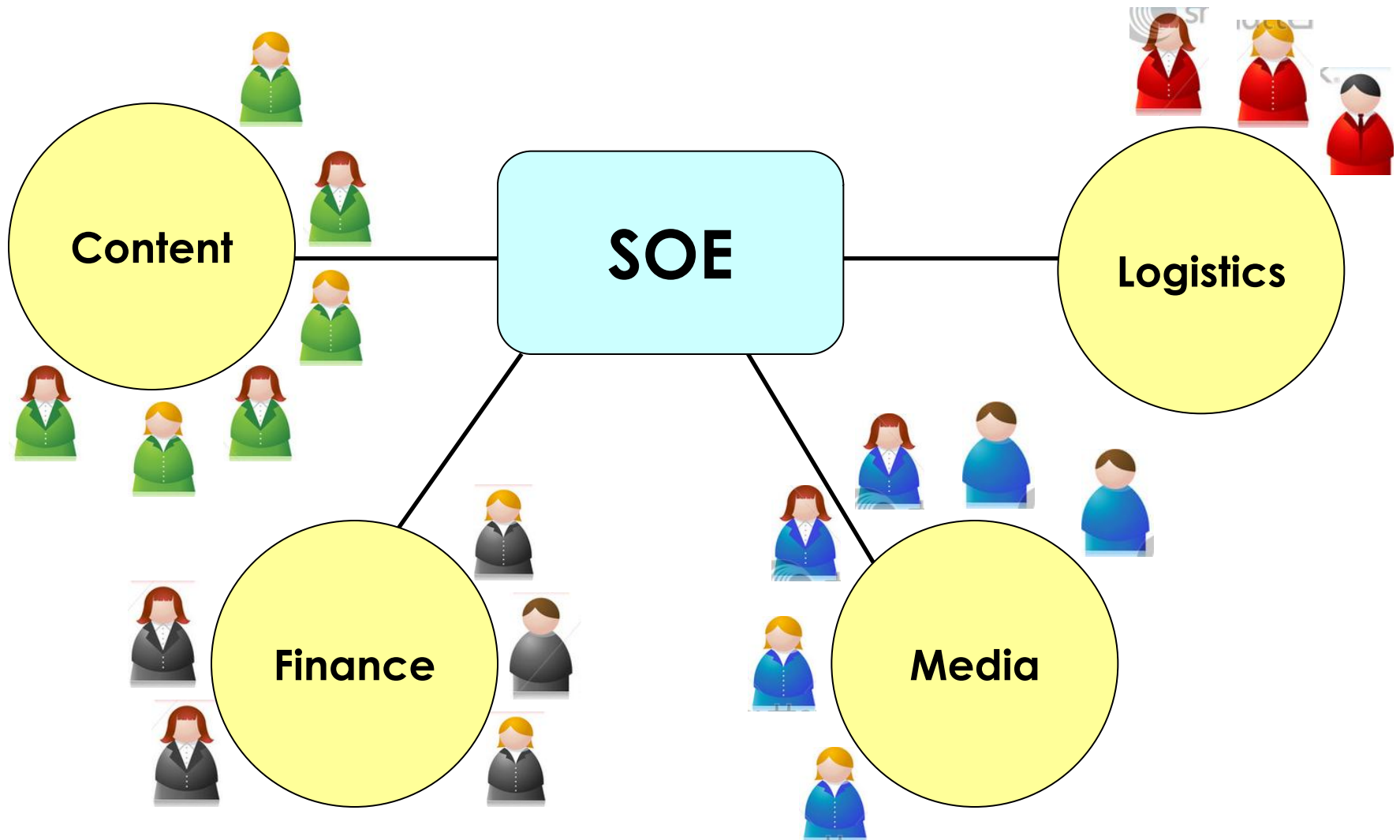
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Finally we agreed on a common
idea:

*The Role of New Media in
Environmental Governance*

And we started to work from there...
together!

We divided into groups and took on responsibilities.



We kept having the occasional discussion
& meetings here and there.

All of this in the middle of classes, holidays,
internships, master thesis...

The last few days have been the most stressful. You can imagine...

Phonecalls



More meetings



Rehearsals



Emails



Even in our sleep we've been thinking about it!



Today, after such a long process,
which wasn't so easy all the time...
Us, the MEG students 2008-2010 are proud to
present to you:

Our own Student Organized Event!



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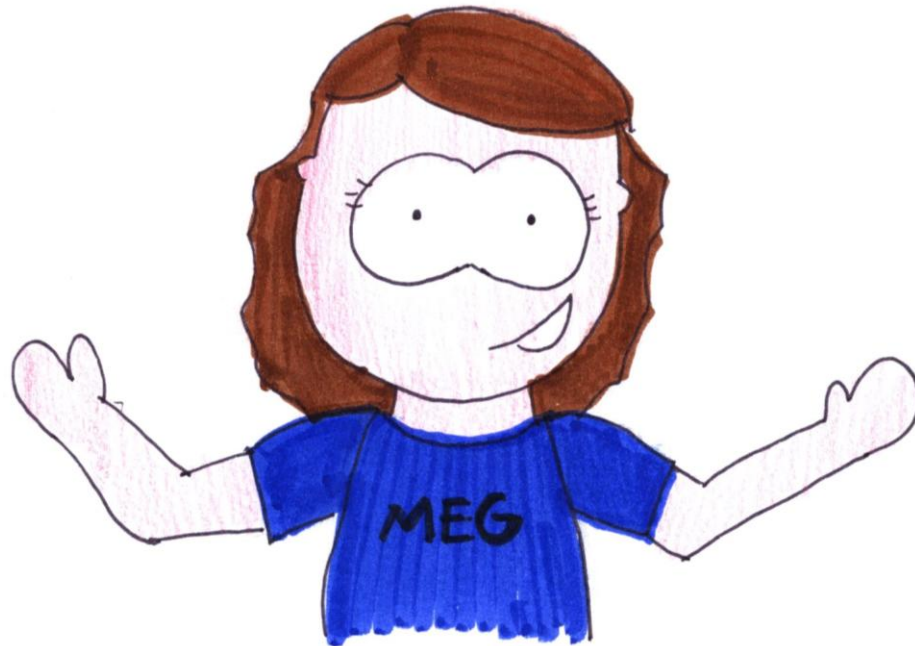
- 08:00 Registration
- 09:15 Welcome speech
- 09:30 New Media and Environmental Governance Introduction
- 10:00 Keynote speech on »Transnational and Social Networks«
- 11:00 Break
- 11:30 Keynote speech on »Social Inclusion and Exclusion«
- 12:30 Lunch
- 13:30 Keynote speech on »Monitoring and Accountability«
- 15:00 Break
- 15:30 Roundtable on »New Media and Environmental Governance«
- 17:00 Wrap-up session
- 20:00 Movie »The Age of Stupid« in collaboration with AKA film club

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