

## Let's Cooperate with the platform of TRIZSites.bitrix24.com

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Dear TRIZ Leaders,

I am receiving positive feedbacks from several TRIZ leaders, with many thanks.

Organizing a cooperative project for Building a page of TRIZ Sites in the World and setting up practical and effective platform and procedures for carrying out the project are the important initial steps at moment.

I am thinking and preparing in the ways described below on a temporary basis and would like to get your suggestions, proposals, and cooperation:

(1) Let's name the project as **'World TRIZ Sites Project'**. Its purpose is to **"Build a page of TRIZ Sites in the World" and to share it among many Web sites and to keep it up-to-date by the cooperation of many TRIZ leaders/colleagues.** I am willing to take the responsibility of the Project Leader.

(2) The project can be successful only by the **voluntary cooperation/dedication** by many TRIZ leaders/colleagues who are working busy and actively and located in many different countries. There are 300 (or even more) TRIZ Sites in the world worthy of listing with proper annotation. Thus a lot of communications and draft descriptions will need to be made, and they cannot be handled smoothly by one or few leaders. For making the product page high quality and fair in description, the draft page should be accessible/reviewable by many people, such as project members and original site owners. In this situation, communication by emails and posting in a/few Web sites will not be effective. **A network-type organization** of active project members may be appropriate. And some groupware system in the cloud is desirable as the **project platform**, in addition to a number of Web sites of active project members.

(3) I surveyed **groupware systems**, and found the **Bitrix24 system** appropriate for our project:

**<https://www.bitrix24.com/>**

We will use its features of Communication tools, Project/Task management, Document system, etc.

Learning it with its many video introductions, I have started to use it. (If any of you and your colleagues is experienced with Bitrix24, please advise us how to use it effectively.)

Our project account is: World TRIZ Sites Project: **<https://TRIZSites.bitrix24.com/>**

Our account is **completely FREE** at moment (without any time limit) accessible to almost all Bitrix24 features, but has the limitation of **1 Admin, 12 Users, and 5 GB Online storage.** The number of

users is a bottle neck for us.

(For accepting voluntary members to our project, the capacity of several tens of Users is desirable. Bitrix24 offers the **Standard Cloud Service, with 5 Admins, Unlimited number of Users, and 100 GB Online storage for 99.00 USD/month**. It is desirable to use this Standard service for 1 year (i.e., for 1188.00 USD) and back to the FREE service later. We should appreciate very much if any TRIZ organization(s) would support this cost.)

--- We have already purchased the **Standard Cloud Service** for 24 months, thus 'Unlimited number of Project Members' are acceptable.

(3) As a **network-type organization of our Project**, I would like to propose as follows:

In each country (and each international organization, each main school in TRIZ) we should have (at least) one Web site which joins the network of our World TRIZ Sites Project. Such **local Hub Web sites** declare to join the project and to build a (partial) page of Web Sites in the World (at least covering its country (or organization, school)) by getting support of other TRIZ colleagues in its country. The local sites post the (on-going) draft page of Web sites (with annotations) (either publicly or accessible by some limited people), and also send the draft page to the Project platform. Overlapping of TRIZ Sites to be described is all right and rather desirable.

This and subsequent paragraphs reflect the situation of only 12 Users. Since we now have a nice and big platform, we can work more effectively together in the platform as Project Members (i.e., not Sites). **See Proposals (1B) and (1C)**.

(4) Using the **platform of Bitrix24**, twelve (or so) Users (i.e. **co-editors**) work to handle the information contributed by the local sites and to collaborate to edit the Page of TRIZ Sites in the World. The draft information from the local sites and the edited version of the Page should be documented and posted in the TRIZSites.bitrix24.com. Contributions by local sites and updating of the edited whole page are to be announced regularly (e.g., weekly or biweekly) to all the Project members.

(5) The **whole page of TRIZ Sites in the World** should be posted in the local Hub Web sites, referring the source (i.e., the Project). The page may be posted in any other Web sites under the condition of citing the source.

(6) It is desirable to **keep the whole page up-to-date** by the cooperation of the Project members and other TRIZ colleagues. In each country, new TRIZ Sites are advised to report their activities to the local hub sites. Updating the whole page either every year or every other year is desirable.

We should appreciate very much if you would join our 'World TRIZ Sites Project' and suggest/propose practical and effective ways of carrying out the project.

Looking forward to hearing from you,

Best wishes,

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