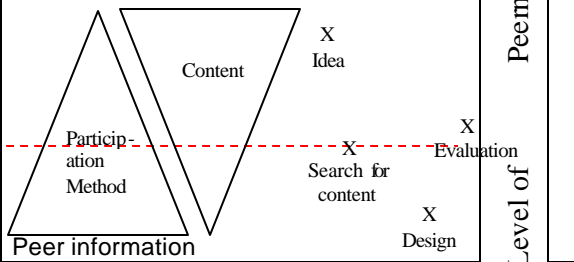


**Results from Discussion Group:**

**Participation of Young People in Youth Information Work**

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Participation is Quality	Interaction between Young People (YP) and Youth Info workers in participation strategies
<p>3. Participation + Quality (Evaluation system) Professional Youth Information</p>  <p>The diagram consists of two overlapping triangles. The left triangle is labeled 'Participation Method' and the right one is labeled 'Content'. A vertical bar on the right side is labeled 'Level of Peemess'. A dashed red horizontal line runs across the middle. Below the line, the text 'Peer information' is written. To the right of the triangles, there are four 'X' marks with labels: 'Idea', 'Search for content', 'Evaluation', and 'Design'.</p>	<p>4.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>❖ Different expectations <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- consult / involve</li> <li>- be clear from both sides</li> </ul> </li> <li>↳ depending also on project / strategy</li> <li>❖ Quality / evaluation (→ how involve YP) / how measure (→ criteria guidelines)</li> <li>❖ European level: Young People + Youth Info workers meeting &amp; exchanging</li> <li>❖ Youth Info workers =&gt; training and change attitudes towards Young People</li> </ul>
<p>1. Motivation</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- benefit young person, enjoy, reward</li> <li>- transparency + participation is quality</li> <li>- integration of YP in the networks</li> <li>- youth advisory "channel"</li> <li>- youth mobility in Youth Info</li> </ul>	<p>2.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- web-based participation can lead to ↗ quality (needs become known)</li> <li>- needing transparent rules</li> <li>- think of consequences before implementing (money, rules,...)</li> <li>- web is just another media</li> <li>- what about a youth committee for a Youth Info Centre? <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>↳ difficult at European level: at local level it is more easy to manage.</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
<p><b>Motivation of Young People to participate in Youth Info work</b></p>	<p><b>Equal access to Internet ? What about web-based participation?</b></p>