

PRIVACY FOR KIDS: THE BOOKLET

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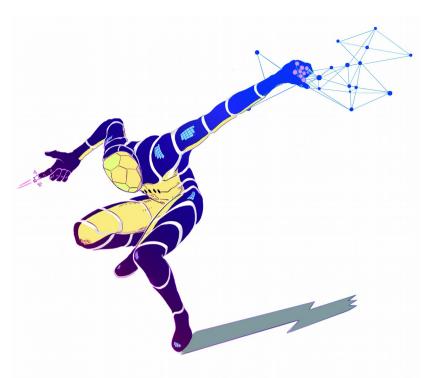
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What is EDRi?

- European Digital Rights (EDRi)
- EDRi is an association of 35 civil rights organisations from across Europe & beyond.
 We defend rights and freedoms in the digital environment.
- Founded in 2002. Brussels office from 2009
- EDRi office: 8 staff + 3 interns
- I work for the Policy Team







WHY

Our main motivation:

- produce something that did not exist yet
- empower kids & young people instead of terrifying them
- help kids (& everyone) make safer and more informed choices about what to share and how to share online



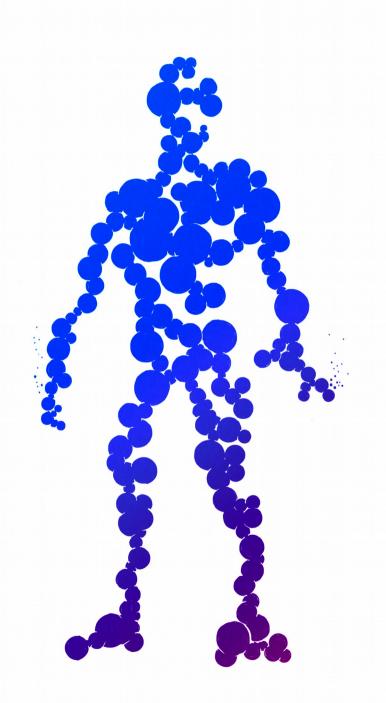
The booklet was first published in October 2016

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- intended for young people between 10-14 years old, but it's open for all
- Downloaded more than 22.000 times in only 6 weeks
- Available in **8 languages** so far
- In EDRi we didn't do it alone







- Digital defenders were created by comic artist Gregor Sedlag.
- · International project with contributions by EDRi's network...

Bits of Freedom, Open Rights Group, Chaos Computer Club, Digitale Gesellschaft, ApTI Romania...

...Gloria Gonzalez Fuster, VUB, Hans Martens, Better Internet for Kids, EUN Partnership AISBL The booklet is now available in other languages...

Serbian, German,
 Greek, Italian, Turkish,
 Spanish (Europe),
 Spanish (Latin
 America), French

and many more under way...

Polish, Dutch, Romanian, Portuguese Czech, among others!

Thanks to many NGOs
 & volunteers







Chapters on...



- what the internet is
- what privacy actually is,
- how to protect yourself online including:
 - safer internet surfing & safer messaging systems
 - smartphone security
 - password security
 - Safer sharing
- tips, tools & examples that can help you



DIGITAL DEFENDERS v DATA INTRUDERS (I)

MS. ANONYMITY



TEAM:



POWERS:

Government tests have augmented her immune system. She also has the ability to use social networks anonymously, so nobody knows who she really is.

WEAPONS:

She is a skilled hand-to-hand fighter.

I.D. THIEF



TEAM:



POWERS

She can see what you do online and then steal your personal information. She pretends to be you and tries to use your name, social media and e-mail accounts for criminal activities.

WEAPONS:

The Alpha Virus – which she uses to infiltrate computers and phones.

Digital Defenders v Data Intruders

In the parallel universe of the booklet, a team of superheroes (the Digital Defenders) fights a group of villains (the Intruders).

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