

Digital Glarus

A Co-Working space
and much more

Digital Glarus is...

- ... an idea
- ... a movement
- ... a co-working space
- ... and more (scroll down)

Begin at the beginning

"I shall begin at the beginning," said the D.H.C. and the more zealous students recorded his intention in their notebooks: *Begin at the beginning.*

Brave New World,

Aldous Huxley

ungleich GmbH

- Founded 2013 in Zürich
- Provides Linux infrastructure services to IT companies only
- Uses and produces Open Source Software
 - Giving back to community is an important part
- Heavily influenced by “Remote working” principle

3 working principles

- No work time
- No work place
- Everything else is derived by the former two principles

2014: Move to Glarus

- Found a REALLY NICE house in Luchsingen (accidentally)
- Good enough Internet
- Great view
- Quiet (!) working experience

Sharing is caring

- Share about our experience to friends, customers, partners
- Gave it name, Digital Glarus
- Needed (!) to buy another house (in Schwanden)
- Started Co-Working in 2015, but...



2015: Crowdfunding

- New house needs to be modernised
 - Electricity, Furniture, Painting, ...
- A good way of **testing** your ideas!

The screenshot shows a crowdfunding page for 'START DIGITAL GLARUS!'. The page has a navigation bar with links for 'INTRO', 'PROJECT', 'INITIATOR', 'NEWS', 'BOOSTERS', 'GOODIES', and 'SHARE'. The main heading is 'START DIGITAL GLARUS!' with the subtitle 'THE FIRST CO-WORKING SPACE OF GLARUS!'. Below this is a video player showing a night scene with stars and a house, with the text 'DIGITAL GLARUS ungleich' overlaid. To the right of the video player, there are statistics: '76 BOOSTERS' and '22,229 CHF' raised, which is '111.1% FUNDED!'. There are also buttons for 'CONGRATULATIONS!', 'LATEST NEWS...', 'GOODIES', and 'POSTCARD OF DIGITAL GLARUS'. At the bottom, there are social media sharing options for Facebook, Twitter, X, LinkedIn, Google+, and Email.

INTRO PROJECT INITIATOR NEWS BOOSTERS GOODIES <http://www.100-days.net/en/projekt/> SHARE

START DIGITAL GLARUS!

THE FIRST CO-WORKING SPACE OF GLARUS!

Digital Glarus Crowdfunding (English)

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CONGRATULATIONS!

LATEST NEWS...

GOODIES

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2017: Digitale Bildung ungleich

- Founded a club
- Helping people with basic computer training
- From Office
 - ... to programming
 - ... to web development
 - ... to Linux system administration

2017: Data Center Light

- Business: Virtual Machine (VM) hosting
- Requirements
 - Power
 - High Speed Internet
 - A lot of space
- A sustainable data center
 - Re-use existing space, don't waste resources on building new
 - Don't actively cool, cool with outside air
 - Powered by home made energy: water power plant on site!

16th October 2017: ungleich glarus ag

- Giving out shares to support financial growth
- Give back on success
- Let everyone participate!
 - ≥ 100 CHF: “Partizipationschein” (w/o voting rights)
 - $\geq 5'000$ CHF: “Aktienanteile” (w/ voting rights)
- Supporter: Spinnerei Linthal



Review

- Co-Working: financially **not yet** a business case
 - But: people visit regularly
 - Allowed us to learn a lot
- Club: great to attract people, grow network
 - Great to see kids learning!
- Data Center Light
 - Real Business Case
 - Fits well into Digital Glarus
 - Re-investments into region planned