



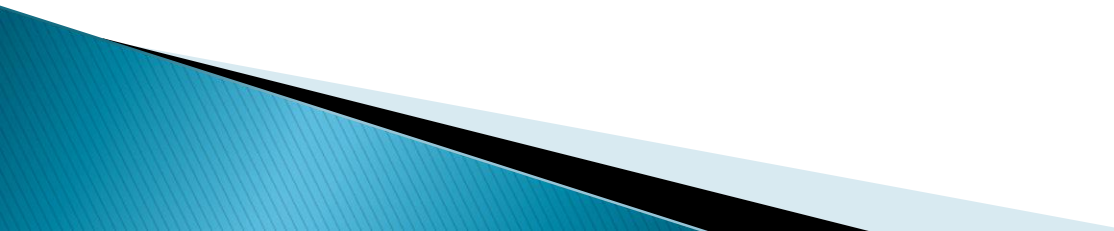
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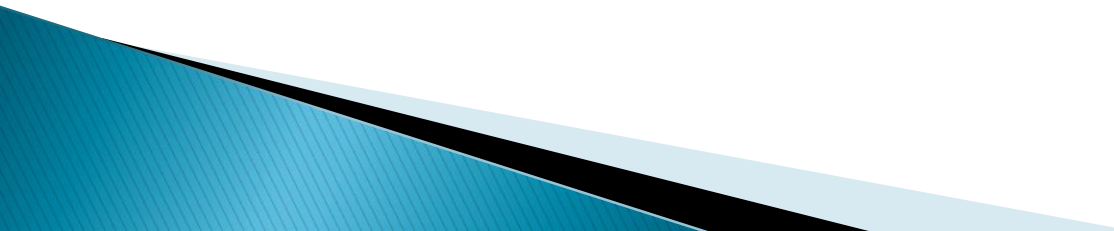
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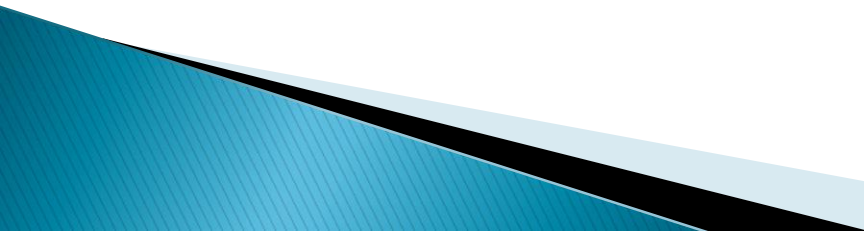
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 - ▶ There is little advice or practical support available to potential RUG organisers, in comparison to the number of active RUGs
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 - ▶ There will also be repositories of
 - Template documents, websites & policies which can be translated & locally adapted
 - Examples of good & not-so-good practice
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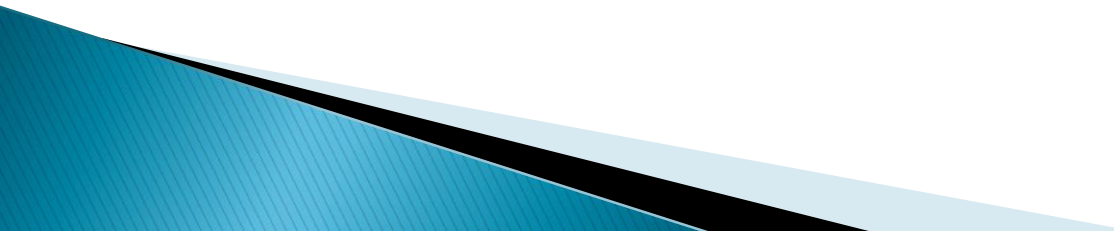
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 - ▶ What should a RUG do? And how? Let me know, and I'll share.
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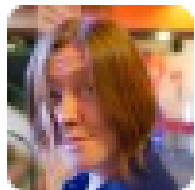
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All suggestions gratefully received.



Don't advertise
Don't advertise the location
Advertise in only irrelevant places
Make your own site
Don't show past events
Throw events at awkward times of the day
Use jargon EVERYWHERE
Use judgemental language
Hostile event environments
Don't talk to other UG leaders in your area



Steph Locke @SteffLocke · Jul 4

Suggestions welcome on bad ways to run your user group!



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- ▶ **User Groups: the counter argument? Thanks Steph!**

Welcome to Scotland



Thank you!

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