

CARTONG

SUPPORT TO MOBILE DATA COLLECTION AND MAPPING

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NOMAD – Workshop 2013

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15-17 May 2013, Paris

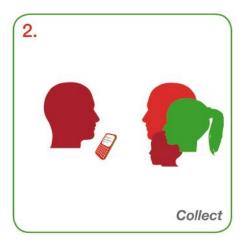




HumanitariaN Operations Mobile Acquisition Of Data

Mobile technology is a major evolution in IM

In almost real time, you can now:





Why NOMAD Project?

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Mobile technology is a major evolution in IM

- But what about the design bit?
- Many providers, what to choose?
- Where to start?
- How do I proceed?
- What about my database?
- Do I need an internet access?
- Tools Are evolving too fast!!
- Am I supposed to be an IT or what???



Why NOMAD Project?

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> "The project's main aim is to improve information management for humanitarian organizations by linking them with the latest mobile data collection technology to improve collection, analysis and management of information. "

Consortium main players:



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Mapping Services for Humanitarian Organizations

How NOMAD helps

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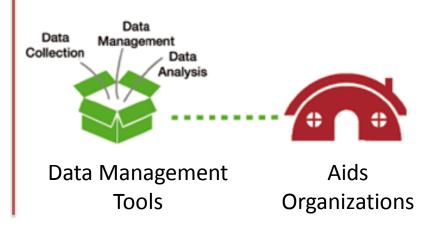
NOMAD assists in choosing the best tool for you!

- Apacheta -- <u>http://www.apacheta.com</u>
- Canvas Solutions -- <u>http://www.gocanvas.com</u>
- Dexterra -- <u>http://www.dexterra.com</u>
- Fivespark -- <u>http://www.fivespark.com</u>
- Geoage -- <u>http://www.geoage.com</u>
- Global Bay -- <u>http://www.globalbay.com</u>
- Global Relief Technologies -- <u>http://www.grt.com</u>
- inForm <u>www.skysoftsystems.com</u>
- Mobile Active -- <u>http://mobileactive.org</u>
- Mobile Data Technologies -- <u>http://www.doforms.com</u>
- Mobile Forms <u>www.devicemagic.com</u>
- MobileFrame -- <u>http://www.mobileframe.com</u>
- Open Data Kit -- <u>http://opendatakit.org</u>
- OASIS - <u>www.immap.org</u>
- OpenROSA -- <u>http://openrosa.org</u>
- Open X Data -- <u>http://www.openxdata.org</u>
- Paper2Mobile -- <u>http://www.paper2mobile.com</u>
- ProntoForms <u>www.prontoforms.com</u>
- Zerion -- <u>http://www.iformbuilder.com</u>
- Imogene http://code.google.com/p/Imogene



Tool for the selection of the appropriate Service

Assessment of Organization's needs





NOMAD Workshop Linking Humanitarian Organizations with Mobile Data Collection Tool Providers, 15th -17th May, Paris!

Some of the solution providers that will be there:



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• Whom is it for?

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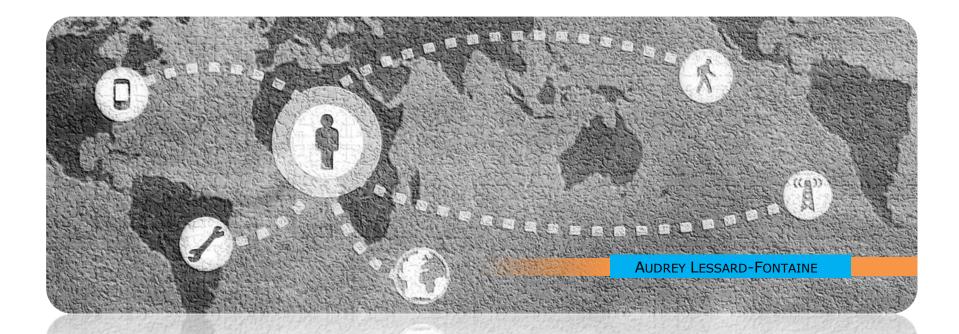
Anyone dealing with survey and assessments

• Do I need experience in MDC?

 No, the idea is as much to discover MDC as to pinpoint your needs, seek for specific advices etc.

• Will it be theoretical?

 Very little, the goal is for the humanitarian community to get hands on experience with various tools



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SHELTER MEETING 13A 25 AVRIL 2013

How is CartONG contributing to Shelter and Settlement ?

Starting point: Haiti, 2010 : leading Information Management and producing all maps for Shelter Cluster

Countries: Haiti, Uganda, Lebanon

Partners: with UNHCR, Danish Refugee Council (DRC) and Norwegian Refugee Council (NRC)

- Actions: Information management for Outreach
 - Global Shelter Advisor on Media and Communication
 - Situational Assessments (Settlements)
 - Damage Assessment (Shelter)

Our objective :

Improving assessments efficiency by supporting mobile data collection and mapping Maximize direct management by local staff



COLLECTING DATA USING OSM TRACKER IN UGANDA (2011-2012)

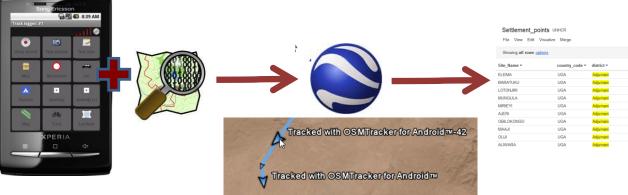




Refugee Settlement Mapping, UNHCR Adjumani Disctrict

Creating a spatial database on refugees settlements

- Tools: OSM Tracker (for Android phone)
 - Google Earth
 - Google Fusion tables





COLLECTING DATA USING OSM TRACKER IN UGANDA (2011-2012)





Advantages:

- ✓ Able to collect points, lines and polygon
- ✓ Technically easy to handle (entirely supported by <u>local staff</u>)
- ✓ Still ongoing in 2013

Challenges:

- Collection on attribute data directly in OSM tracker is limited
 - *(it has been necessary to use manual collection for detailed attribute data)*



COLLECTING DATA USING OPENDATAKIT IN LEBANON (2012)



SHELTER ASSESSMENT, UNHCR

Conducting assessments on living conditions and potential shelters.

- Tools: OpenDataKit (for Android phone)
 - Google Fusion tables



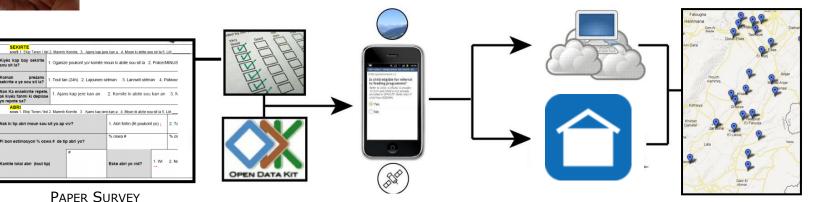




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COLLECTING DATA USING OPENDATAKIT IN LEBANON (2012)



Automatized XML forms (customized), media and GPS points collection



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COLLECTING DATA USING ODK







Advantages:

- ✓ Fully customizable forms for attribute data collection
- ✓ Can include many types of data : GPS, attributes, media (pictures)
- Secure data storage on virtual server (no third-party storage support required)

Challenges:

- Technically harder to handle and needing more equipment to be used : international staff intervention required
- Ability to collect GPS points only (polygons and lines are not possible)







MOBILE DATA COLLECTION FOR SHELTER : PERSPECTIVES

✓ in 2013 : ODK Mobile Data Collection project with UNHCR

POSSIBILITIES

- ✓ Shelter Assessment for Evacuation and Community Shelters
- ✓ Damage Assessment after Impact (Natural or man-made disaster)
- ✓ Tracking of Deliveries of Shelter items, particularly NFI (tarpaulin, cooking sets, mats, etc.)
- Programme monitoring by tracking the progress of building/setting up new permanent or temporary shelters
- ✓ Shelter/household surveys to assess the living conditions of beneficiaries/ the general population



✓ Programme Monitoring and Evaluation

... AND SO MUCH MORE !

The End... Questions?

- Some links:
 - Online assistant: <u>http://humanitarian-nomad.org/online-selection-tool/</u>
 - Registration NOMAD Workshop: <u>http://humanitarian-nomad.org/workshop-2013/</u>
 - CartONG Website: <u>www.cartong.org</u>
 - Immap Website<u>www.immap.org</u>

