From 0 to 5 Cities - Open Data in Taiwan

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Overview of Open Government Data in Taiwan

- PSI law enacted in 2005, no FOIA
- Open Data community events since 2008, key to progression, vibrant and diverse interests engaged, transparency groups rising
- "Open Data Regulation" in draft (as of Jan 2013), cabinet-level support and public consultation (online)
- Public support from all 5 biggest cities
- Industrial-level "Open Data Alliance" in 2013
Data Portals: Ministries

- Ministry of Culture launched 1st open data portal in 2012
- data.gov.tw scheduled on 04.2012, directory-based

http://cloud.culture.tw/opendata/
Data Portals: City Govs

- Contradicting terms
- Confusing policies
- OGDI based
- High-value datasets elsewhere
City Apps: Government

- hundreds of them
- priority of local government
- low update frequency
- developers unfriendly
Multi-stakeholders Approach

- leveraging group dynamics
- data users involved
- innovate inside government
- media support is crucial

... and many enthusiasts

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