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## Free Software in Balkans 2010 (A free software conference on the Balkanies is approaching)

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Today when I was reviewing my daily visited websites I come across an interesting news. This kind of meeting is quite a news because it is the first in line where Free software users and developmers fromall around the balkanies will meet to discuss,test,share and continue the free software code and ideals.

The first Free Software conference in the Balkanies is about to be hosted in Vlora University Albania.

The <u>conference Free Software in Balkans (FreeSB2010)</u> is an annual meeting of the free software users, developpers and supporters in the Balkan countries. It will travel from country to country, year to year to different locations. The Conference will gather professionals, academics and enthusiasts who share the vision that software should be free and open for the community to develop and customize to its needs, and that knowledge is a communal property and free and open to everyone.

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This kind of event will build up the social network between free software fans and developers and will further help in the general spread of free software on the balkanies.

This kind of meeting are already for a long time a tradition in many states in America, so having it in the balkanies is quite a development.

You can read a bit more about the exact focus of Free Software in Balkans 2010 conference here

Pitily right now there is no published scheduled list of presentations which are about to be given in the conference, but I guess the conference schedule would be out in a few days time.

I'm not yet sure if I'll have the time and opportunity to attend the conference, however I do hope that somebody of my balkan readers will got interested into the "fabulous" Free Software event and will support the event's initiative by visiting it:)

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