

# WORKING TOGETHER FOR FREE SOFTWARE

**you deserve to use software that is:-**

free from restriction  
 free to share and copy  
 free to learn and adapt  
 free to work with others

**you deserve free software.**

**new to free software?**

**get started!**

meet the free software gang



**FREE SOFTWARE GIVES YOU BACK CONTROL OVER YOUR COMPUTER**

**WE DEMAND SOFTWARE FREEDOM NOW**

FREE SOFTWARE FOR FREE SYSTEMS

**support freedom**  
 with a \$10 monthly donation



Sign up for the *Free Software Supporter* — a monthly update on GNU and free software

*A strong free software movement focused on the principled issues of software freedom — and a strong FSF in particular — will determine what freedoms the next generation of computer users enjoy. At stake is no less than the next generation's autonomy.*

— Benjamin Mako Hill, writer, technologist and FSF board member

## Personal tools

- Log in
- Register
- Reset password
- Problems logging in?

## WHAT WE DO

The FSF advocates for free software ideals as outlined in the Free Software Definition, works for adoption of free software and free media formats, and organizes activist campaigns against threats to user freedom like Windows 7, Apple's iPhone and OS X, DRM on ebooks and movies, and software patents.

We promote completely free software distributions of GNU/Linux, and advocate that users of the GNU/Linux operating system switch to a distribution which respects their freedom.

We drive development of the GNU operating system and maintain a list of high-priority free software projects to promote replacements for common proprietary applications.

We build and update resources useful for the free software community like the Free Software and Hardware Directories, and the free software jobs board. We also provide licenses for free software developers to share their code, including the GNU General Public License.

## NEWS

Women in free software: Recommendations from the Women's Caucus July 15, 2010

FSF says: Take a stand with us for freedom, against ACTA June 16, 2010

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## LATEST BLOGS

Defective by Design and upcoming work

Defending against laws which threaten user freedom

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## UPCOMING EVENTS

The Danger of Software Patents  
 Beijing, China,  
 August 04, 2010

Thank a developer day  
 Worldwide,  
 March 25, 2011

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Upcoming events...

**HIGH-  
PRIORITY  
TASKS**

Modify NoScript so it can detect  
and block nontrivial nonfree  
JavaScript code

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