

## Jochum de Graaf



Jochum de Graaf works for the Dutch non-governmental organisation “ProDemos - House for Democracy and the Rule of Law”. He manages ‘VoteMatch’ - the most commonly used internet application for elections.

The ‘VoteMatch’ model is successfully applied in Germany, France, Switzerland, and Great Britain. Based on it, a similar application was built ‘Glasovoditel’- which measures the level of infirmity of the citizens before elections. Jochum de Graaf is also actively engaged with other instruments for e-participation, an example is the budget indicator - [www.begrotingswijzer.nl](http://www.begrotingswijzer.nl). He holds a Masters in Sociology and Organizational Economics and is a freelance journalist.