

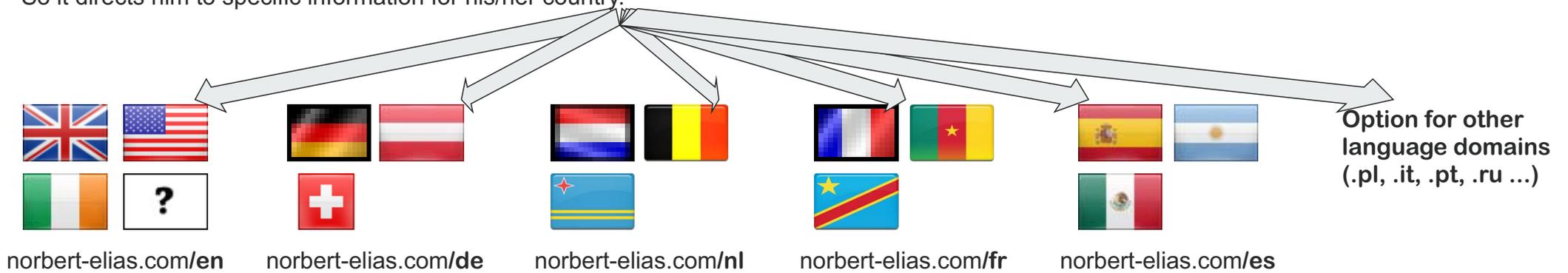
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www.norberteliasfoundation.nl

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norbert-elias.com

The website detects from which country the visitor comes from and which his preferred language is.
So it directs him to specific information for his/her country.



Each side contains basic information - in its language. These are:

- Welcome text
- About Norbert Elias (Biographical introduction)
- Activities and persons active from these countries in the Figurations Network
- Concepts and Principles of Figural research
- Links to recommendable websites with further information on Figural Sociology
- Introductory literature in that language

These elements should be on each website and contain the same level of information.

All websites share the header and the calendar



Presents the Foundation

Shows all editions of Figurations

Conferences, lectures and course programs worldwide

Clicking on the entry opens a side with a detailed description

By activating RSS subscribers will be informed when a new events is being published

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- Grundbegriffe der Figurations-Soziologie
- Empfehlenswerte Webseiten
- Einführende Literatur und Informationen für Referate und Vorträge


Norbert Elias 1976 in Leicester
Foto von Hermann Korte

Willkommen auf der deutschsprachigen Internetseite zu Norbert Elias (1897-1990)!

Hier finden Sie Informationen zu Forschung von und über Norbert Elias. Elias wird heute als einer der größten Soziologen des 20. Jahrhunderts angesehen. Er ist vor allem bekannt für seine Theorie des Zivilisationsprozesses, aber seine Forschung ging weit darüber hinaus. Er entwickelte eine Theorie der menschlichen Gesellschaft von ihren ersten Anfängen bis zur Entstehung der modernen Wissensgesellschaft.

Wenn Sie auf das Menü links gehen, erfahren Sie mehr über seine Theorie, Bücher und Aktivitäten im deutschsprachigen Raum. Wenn Sie mehr über die Elias-Stiftung, den Newsletter Figurations oder Kurse zu Norbert-Elias erfahren wollen, klicken sie bitte auf einen der Einträge oben. Wenn Sie Fragen haben, schicken Sie uns eine E-Mail an info@norbert-elias.com.

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The whole top (red) area will be under full control by the Foundation

The shared international calendar will be displayed on each webpage. Every editor may enter new dates, so all of us will always have an overview what is happening worldwide in the figurational community.

The menu in a language follows a global standard and can only be altered with permission of the Foundation

The middle contents of the respective webpages can be altered freely by the editors of the language. They will have a what-you-see-is-what-you-get function, so they don't need special web technics. They can insert pictures and videos from a shared database.
The bottom of the page always displays the currentness and who is responsible for changes.

Security and Division of Labour

The website is based on a Context Management System with different rights of access. Basically there are two groups: A small group of administrators (3-4 people) and a big group of national editors (20+).

The administrators are allowed to change all areas of the website. They supervise all activities.

The national editors are able to change three areas of the site:

1. The context of their respective country.
2. The calendar. So everybody may add new dates to the global calendar, which will keep it current and well informed.
3. The digital asset management, which includes pictures, videos and pdf-files. So all people can share pictures of events and Norbert Elias.

This follows a scheme, which is used by news websites, wikipedia and most University homepages.

Worst case scenarios. What happens if:

- a) Someone loses his password? -> The account of the respective person could be resetted.
- b) The website is being ,hacked'?-> This could happen as well right now. Just in case a montly backup is made and contents could be restored.
- c) Someone of the editors changes contents in a way the Foundation dislikes? -> It is noted on every webpage who altered it and when. So the admins would immediatly know who made the alteration and could order him to change it back. In case of conflict the editor could be tossed out.
- d) Someone of the editors uploads pictures, videos or texts, which are copyright protectet? -> Who ever commits copyright infringement is entirely responsible on his own. It is documented with every file who had put it on the website. So this person would be held responsible, not the Foundation.

Division of labour between **admins** , **editors**  and shared responsibility



The advantages

- More people will be embedded. People interested in Elias worldwide could participate even if they have no or bad skills in English language.
- The respective language website would address more a non-academic and student audience. These groups (which were important to Elias himself) would receive more awareness by our community and could interact with scholars in their countries.
- We would all benefit from the shared calendar.