### **Stichting Ranking Digital Rights Network**

#### **Activity Report (2019)**

Stichting Ranking Digital Rights Network (SRDRN) is a non-profit organization registered in The Netherlands as of July 28, 2017.

The purpose of SRDRN is to support the work of a global network of research and advocacy partners who share RDR's mission: to create standards and incentives for tech companies to respect and protect the human rights of internet users.

During 2019, the main focus of SRDRN shifted from setting up its governance, administrative, and financial infrastructure to raising funds that would enable the hiring of staff and commencement of programmatic activities. Specifically, we:

- Met with representatives of Dutch organizations engaged in human rights benchmarking and digital rights issues;
- Secured funding for a scoping study to identify opportunities for SRDRN to leverage
  the research and methodology produced by our U.S.-based partners at New
  America's Ranking Digital Rights program, to make a useful and effective
  contribution to European debates on how policymakers can best foster and protect
  digital rights;
- Commissioned a consultant to commence the scoping study (completed in early 2020), which identified opportunities for SRDRN to commence activities that would make a unique contribution to the European digital rights field.

SRDRN's top priority for 2020 is to obtain funding to engage consultants to support programmatic activities consistent with the long-term organizational objectives described on <u>our website</u>. In 2020-2021 our focus will be on supporting European research and advocacy networks dedicated to fostering corporate respect for digital rights along with the government regulations and policies that are consistent with international human rights standards.

The start-up team will then build out the organization and its activities as further funding is secured.

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# Balance sheet As of December 31, 2019

		€
Assets		_
ABN AMRO	16.556	
Total Assets		16.556
Equity		
Other reserve		16.556
Total liabilities and equity	_	16.556

## Profit and loss 1 January 2019 - December 31, 2019

		€
Income		
Gifts	14.988	
Total income		14.988
Expenses		
Bank Charges	332	
Domiciliation	4.253	
Insurance	605	
Advisory cost	1.375	
Intrest	1	
Consultancy	6.155	
		12.721
Net Income		2.267