



Beyond the Horizon – New use of TLDs

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Governmentally used or influenced TLDs



China's Internet Address



100% governmental TLD .gov

The screenshot shows the USA.gov homepage with a navigation bar at the top containing links for Home, Site Index, E-mail Us, Phone Us, Chat with Us, and Our Blog. On the right, there are links for Español and Other Languages, and a phone number: 1 (800) FED INFO, 1 (800) 333-4636. The main header features the USA.gov logo with the tagline "Government Made Easy" and a search bar. Below the header is a navigation bar with tabs for "For Citizens", "For Businesses and Nonprofits", "For Government Employees", and "For Visitors to the U.S.". Under "For Citizens", there are sub-links for Kids, Parents, Seniors, Military and Veterans, Americans Abroad, and More Audiences >>. A "Get It Done Online!" section lists services like finding gas prices and renewing licenses. A "Government Information by Topic" section lists categories such as Benefits and Grants, Consumer Guides, Defense and International, Environment, Energy, and Agriculture, Jobs and Education, Money and Taxes, Public Safety and Law, and Reference and General Government. On the right, there are links to change text size, email/print this page, receive updates, and RSS feeds. A "Gov Gab" logo is also present, along with a "News and Features" section featuring a "Wanted" poster for criminals.

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Photos and rewards for criminals sought by the FBI, U.S. Marshals, Postal Inspection Service

Governmentally influenced .eu

The screenshot shows the website 'Europa - Das Portal der Europäischen Union'. It features a navigation menu on the left with sections: 'DIE EU ENTDECKEN', 'LEBEN IN DER EU', and 'IM DIALOG MIT EUROPA'. The main content area is divided into 'IM BRENNPUNKT' (highlighting 'Energische Europa' with a video thumbnail and links to 'Energie für Europa', 'Viertes Europäisches Kohäsionsforum', and 'Europäische Jobtage'), 'SCHLAGZEILEN' (dated 02/10/2007, listing news items like 'Andris Piebalgs besucht großes Solarkraftwerk in Portugal' and 'Europäische Kommission verurteilt Angriff auf Friedenstruppe der Afrikanischen Union in Darfur'), and a section titled 'WIE FUNKTIONIERT DIE EUROPÄISCHE UNION? EIN WEGWEISER FÜR DIE BÜRGER ZU DEN ORGANEN UND EINRICHTUNGEN DER EU'. This section is further divided into 'Institutionen', 'Interinstitutionelle Einrichtungen', and 'Autonome Einrichtungen der Europäischen Union (Agenturen)'. A 'GEMEINSAM SEIT 1957 50. Jahrestag' badge is also visible in the top right corner of the website interface.

www.esa.eu
www.eurocities.eu
www.europol.eu
www.curia.eu
www.ecb.eu

Governmentally used .cat

 **Generalitat de Catalunya**
www.gencat.cat [Webs A:](#)

Temes Serveis Generalitat Catalunya

 **Entra al nou web infantil de gencat.**

Serveis
Ciutadans Empreses Administracions

- Tramitar en línia (cat365)
- Ajuts a les famílies amb infants
- Demandar hora al metge
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- President
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Actualitat Dimecres 3.10.2007

Butlletins Mòbil RSS Multimèdia Premsa

Acords de govern del 2 d'octubre de 2007
Els metges podran tenir una segona feina al sector públic, tant a centres sanitaris com de serveis socials (2.10.2007)

Festa de la cooperació catalana
Proposta festiva per conèixer les activitats de cooperació al desenvolupament que es duen a terme des de Catalunya (2.10.2007)

Revisió dels menús escolars
Oferta de revisió gratuïta de les programacions de menús dels centres docents de Catalunya (2.10.2007)

www.parlament.cat
www.universitat.cat
www.justicia.cat
www.cultura.cat

Less Gov influenced initiatives (so far)

- **Community TLDs for Cities**
e.g. .berlin, .hamburg, .koeln, .frankfurt, .stuttgart ...
- **Community TLDs for Federal States**
e.g. .bayern, .hessen, .sachsen, ...
- **Other TLDs for geo-related terms**
e.g. .ruhr, .rhein, ...

More Gov influenced initiatives

- **City/Regional TLD projects**
e.g. .paris, .bcn, .nrw, .saarland, ...
- **Other TLDs for geo-related terms**
e.g. .med, .baltic, ...
- **Other potential TLDs**
e.g. .gouv, .bund, .africa, ...