

Open Salaries from employees to managing partners

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What is ScrumTrek?

- —Established in 2007
- Largest Agile consulting company in Russia
- —40+ employees













Our clients





























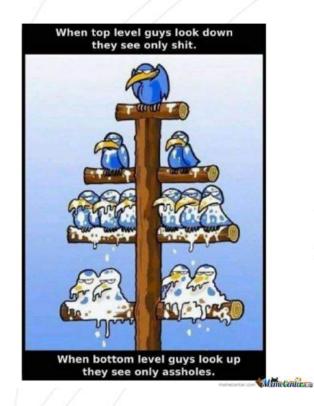


But three years ago...

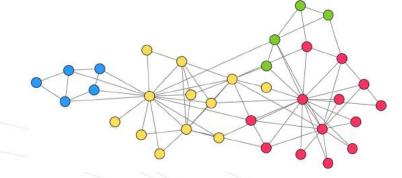
- —We were a small company of 6 people
- —We started to grow rapidly 12 people over 3 month



What could a solution be?



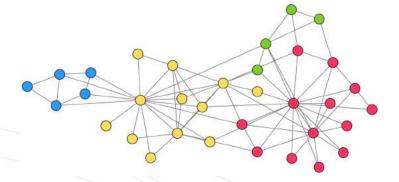
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We decided to...

- —Decentralize management function
- —Empower employees





We thought that ...

- To manage you need an information about what you want to manage
- Therefore, if we want to empower our people to manage our company we will need...
- To open all information (including financial) to all employees in our company
- But the most dangerous is to open ... salaries to all ;)



Suppose you opened salaries. What will the result be?





How we could prevent this?



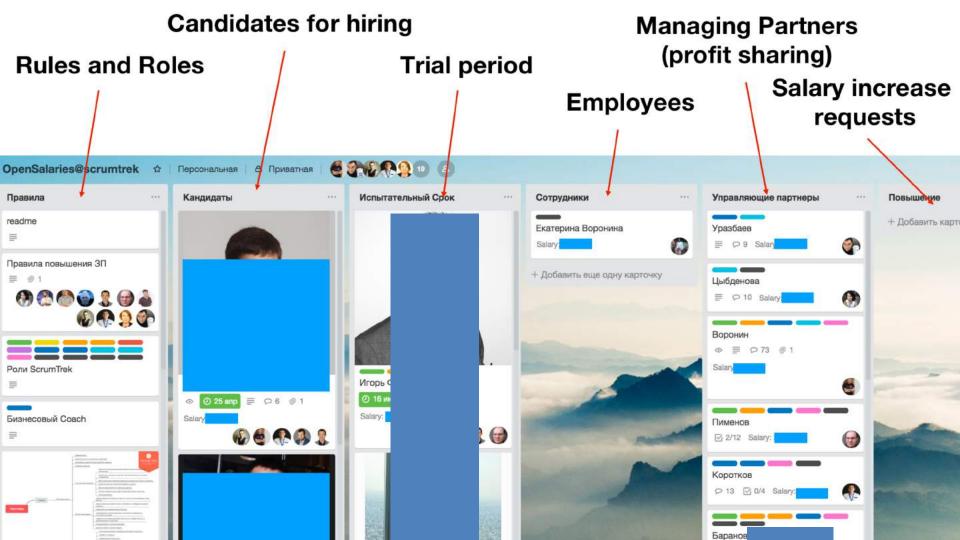
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- —Align salary expectations
- —Remove unfairness in salaries



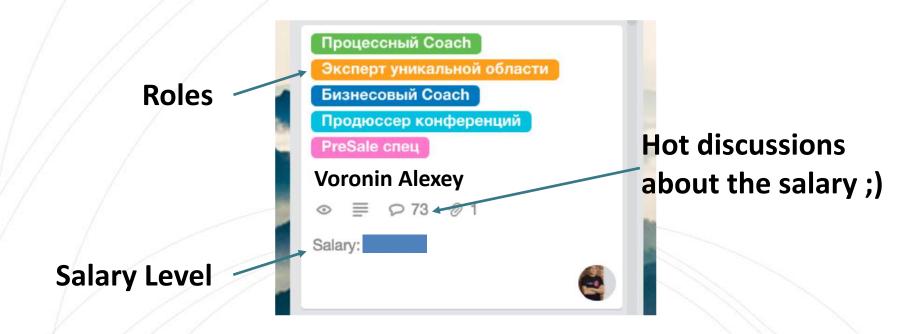
Preparation Stage

ID	Surname	Name	that amount of money	that amount of money	Comme
1		Сергей			
2		Марина			
3		Алексей			
4		Алексей			
5		Иван			
6		Алексей			
7		Анна			
8		Анатолий			
9		Сергей			
10		Анастасия			
11		Анна			
12		Алексей			
13		Сергей			
14		Дарья			
15		Василий			





Employee Card





Salary increase process

- Everyone can request a salary increase for anybody
- Requester must provide a salary increase explanation
- —Everyone can give a feedback about the salary increase
- —The increase will be done if more than 50% of people voted for and nobody voted against



What we did next?



Opened financial information





And next?



Advice Process

- Everyone can create and implement any initiative in the company (hire somebody, attend a conference, spend their time developing a new product ...)
- Nobody (except CFO) can block your decision
- But!!!! You need to ask for a feedback from several people in the company and do it transparently on special board







Automated financial informing





What do we have in results?

- —We have 40+ employees and no managers that's very cheap by the way ;)
- —Only 1 man left ScrumTrek during 3 years
- —We have developed more 40 new customer products (trainings, digital-services, conferences etc) over 2 years
- —And some of them are conceptually new products for our market (<u>okademy.ru</u>, <u>scrumtrek.online</u>, pimpmy.team, ...)
- —Now we see ScrumTrek as a platform for creative people to create something amazing



https://blog.lunarlogic.io/2015/open-salaries-how/





