Awareness WatchTM Newsletter

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Welcome to the V6N7 July 2008 issue of the **Awareness Watch™ Newsletter**. This newsletter is available as a complimentary subscription and will be issued monthly. Each newsletter will feature the following:

Awareness WatchTM Featured Report Awareness WatchTM Spotters Awareness WatchTM Book/Paper/Article Review Subject TracerTM Information Blogs

I am always open to feedback from readers so please feel free to email with all suggestions, reviews and new resources that you feel would be appropriate for inclusion in an upcoming issue of Awareness WatchTM. This is an ongoing work of creativity and you will be observing constant changes, constant updates knowing that "change" is the only thing that will remain constant!!

Awareness WatchTM Featured Report

This month's featured report will be highlighting **Internet Demographics and Statistics Resources**. These resources are part of the Internet Demographics Subject TracerTM Information Blog and Statistics Resources Subject TracerTM Information Blog available at the following URLs:

http://www.InternetDemographics.info/ http://www.StatisticsResources.info/

These resources and sites bring you the latest information and happenings in the area of Internet demographics and statistics resources that are currently available on the Internet. Having the ability to access the latest demographics as well as statistics resources will keep you at the leading edge for your business, profession and personal needs!



Internet Demographics:

Indices:

BUBL Link: 5:15 Internet Resources: Internet Usage Data

http://www.bubl.ac.uk/link/i/internetusagedata.htm

Yahoo! Internet Statistics and Demographics

http://dir.yahoo.com/Computers and Internet/Internet/Statistics and Demographics/

Specific Internet Demographic Resources:

Catosphere - Online Demographic Resources for Target Marketers

http://www.catosphere.com/

ClickZ Stats

http://cyberatlas.internet.com/0,1323,,00.html

CommerceNet

http://www.commerce.net/

Cooperative Association for Internet Data Analysis (CAIDA)

http://www.caida.org/

Cyber Geography Research

http://www.cybergeography.org/

DataPlace - Community Housing and Demograpic Data

http://www.dataplace.org/

Demographic and Health Surveys

http://www.measuredhs.com/

Demographics Prediction

http://adlab.microsoft.com/DPUI/DPUI.aspx

eStats from eMarketer

http://www.emarketer.com/

Forrester Research

http://www.forrester.com/



GCensus - Census Data Over Google Map

http://www.gcensus.com/index.php

Global Market Share Statistics by Net Applications

http://marketshare.hitslink.com/

Guide To World Population by Richard Jensen

http://tigger.uic.edu/~rjensen/populate.htm

How Much Information? (HMI)

http://hmi.ucsd.edu/howmuchinfo.php

How Much Information? 2003

http://www.sims.berkelev.edu/research/projects/how-much-info-2003/

Information Growth And Internet Research (TIGAIR)

http://www.informationgrowth.info/

International Data Base (IDB) - DFemographic and Socioeconomic Statistics for 228 Countries

http://www.census.gov/ipc/www/idbnew.html

Internet Current Trends

http://www.ngi.org/trends.htm

Internet Demographics Directory

http://internet-demographics.netfirms.com/

Internet Domain Survey

http://www.isc.org/ds/

Internet Health Report

http://www.internetpulse.net/

Internet MiniGuidesTM Advertising, Marketing & Public Relations Resources 2005 http://www.InternetMiniGuides.com/

Internet Research Reports

http://www.securityspace.com/s survey/data/index.html

Internet Statistics & Online Survey Information

http://www.internetstats.com/



Internet Statistics and Usage

http://www.refdesk.com/netsnap.html

Internet Traffic Report

http://www.internettrafficreport.com/

Internet World States - Usage and Population Statistics

http://www.internetworldstats.com/

Media Metrix

http://www.comscore.com/

Netcraft Web Server Survey Archives

http://news.netcraft.com/archives/web_server_survey.html

Nielsen NetRatings

http://www.nielsen-netratings.com/

Nua Internet Surveys

http://www.nua.ie/surveys/

Pew Hispanic Center

http://www.pewhispanic.org/

Pew Internet and American Life Project

http://www.pewinternet.org/index.asp

Rates of Computer and Internet Use by Children in Nursery School and Students in Kindergarten Through Twelfth Grade: 2003

http://nces.ed.gov/pubsearch/pubsinfo.asp?pubid=2005111

References Related to the Internet & Mental Health

http://construct.haifa.ac.il/~azy/refindx.htm

SIQSS Report: Ten Years After the Birth of the Internet, How Do Americans Use the Internet in Their Daily Lives?

http://www.stanford.edu/group/sigss/

Statistical Resources

http://www.lib.umich.edu/govdocs/stats.html

Statistics: Buried Treasure on the Web

http://www.virtualchase.com/articles/statistics.html



Statistics Resources

http://www.StatisticsResources.info/

TheDataWeb

http://www.thedataweb.org/

Web Characterization Project

http://wcp.oclc.org/

WebHosting.info

http://www.WebHosting.info/

Web Statistics

http://wcp.oclc.org/

Zooknic Internet Geography Project

http://www.zooknic.com/

ZipWho - The Most Fun You Can Legally Have With ZIP Codes

http://zipwho.com/

ZIPskinny - Demographic Information on ZIPs and Neighboring Zips

http://www.zipskinny.com/

STATISTICS RESOURCES:

Adherents.com: Religion Statistics Geography, Church Statistics

http://www.adherents.com/

American Customer Satisfaction Index

http://www.theacsi.org/overview.htm

American Demographics

http://www.demographics.com/

Annals of Applied Statistics (AOAS)

http://projecteuclid.org/DPubS?service=UI&version=1.0&verb=Display&handle=euclid.aoas

Applied Analytics and Statistics for Academia and Industry

http://www.secondmoment.org/



Australian Bureau of Statistics

http://www.abs.gov.au/

Austrian Journal of Statistics

http://www.statistik.tuwien.ac.at/oezstat/

BizStats

http://www.bizstats.com/

Bureau of Justice Statistics (BJS)

http://www.ojp.usdoj.gov/bjs/

Bureau of Labor Statistics (BLT)

http://stats.bls.gov/

Bureau of Transportation Statistics (BTS)

http://www.bts.gov/

Business Statistics on the Web - Links

http://www.berinsteinresearch.com/stats.htm

Census Online

http://www.census-online.com/links/

CHANCE Magazine

http://www.amstat.org/publications/chance/

ChildStats.gov

http://www.ChildStats.gov/

CIA Publications

http://www.odci.gov/cia/publications/

Communications in Biometry and Crop Science (CBCS)

http://agrobiol.sggw.waw.pl/cbcs/

The Council on East Asian Library (CEAL) Statistics

http://www.lib.ku.edu/ceal/default.asp

DataFerrett - Data Mining Tool

http://dataferrett.census.gov/

Development and Globalization: Facts and Figures

http://globstat.unctad.org/html/index.html



Directory of Online Statistics Resources

http://www.berinsteinresearch.com/stats.htm

eCommerce Metrics and Statistics

http://www.montague.com/review/ecommerce.html

Economagic.com - Economic Time Series

http://www.economagic.com/

Economic Census

http://www.census.gov/econ/census02/

EconomicIndicators.gov

http://www.economicindicators.gov/

Economic Statistics Briefing Room

http://www.whitehouse.gov/fsbr/esbr.html

EconoPundit

http://www.EconoPundit.com/

eLibrary

http://ask.elibrary.com/

E-Stats - Measuring the Electronic Economy

http://www.census.gov/eos/www/ebusiness614.htm

Eurostats - European Statistics

http://epp.eurostat.ec.europa.eu/

FactFinder

http://factfinder.census.gov/

Federal Reserve Economic Data (FRED)

http://research.stlouisfed.org/fred/

FedStats

http://www.fedstats.gov/

FX Links - Statistical Resources

http://www.fxlinks.com/SS.html

Google Directory - Science & Math - Statistics

http://directory.google.com/Top/Science/Math/Statistics/?tc=1



Guide To World Population by Richard Jensen

http://tigger.uic.edu/~rjensen/populate.htm

How Much Information? 2003

http://www.sims.berkeley.edu/research/projects/how-much-info-2003/

Human Development Reports Statistics Data

http://hdr.undp.org/statistics/data

HyperStat Online: An Introduction to Statistics

http://davidmlane.com/hyperstat/index.html

InfoChimps.org - Free Redistributable Rich Data Sets

http://infochimps.org/

International Data Base (IDB) - DFemographic and Socioeconomic Statistics for 228 Countries

http://www.census.gov/ipc/www/idbnew.html

International Trade Statistics

http://www.census.gov/foreign-trade/www/

Internet Demographics

http://www.InternetDemographics.info/

Internet World States - Usage and Population Statistics

http://www.internetworldstats.com/

Inter-university Consortium for Political and Social Research (ICPSR)

http://www.icpsr.umich.edu/

IT Facts

http://www.itfacts.biz/

Journal of Official Statistics

http://www.jos.nu/

LocalCensus.com - Census and Business Information

http://www.localcensus.com/

Measuring America: The Decennial Censuses From 1790 to 2000

http://www.census.gov/prod/2002pubs/pol02marv-pt1.pdf



Name Statistics

http://www.namestatistics.com/

National Agricultural Statistics Service

http://www.nass.usda.gov/

National Center for Education Statistics (NCES)

http://nces.ed.gov/

National Center for Health Statistics

http://www.cdc.gov/nchs/

National Statistics Online (UK)

http://www.statistics.gov.uk/

NationMaster - World Statistics and Country Comparisons

http://www.nationmaster.com/

OFFSTATS - Official Statistics on the Web

http://www.library.auckland.ac.nz/subjects/stats/offstats/

Principles of Forecasting

http://hops.wharton.upenn.edu/forecast/

Project Euclid: Mathematics and Statistics Journals Online

http://projecteuclid.org/Dienst/UI/1.0/Home

Quality and Comparative International Statistics

http://www.freepint.com/issues/080104.htm#feature

Random.org - True Random Number Service

http://random.org/

SISA - Simple Interactive Statistical Analysis

http://home.clara.net/sisa/

SITrends.org

http://www.SITrends.org/

Statistics.com - Research Statistics and Statistical Analysis Directory

http://www.statistics.com/

Statistical Abstract of the United States 2001-2006

http://www.census.gov/prod/www/statistical-abstract.html



Statistics Canada

http://www.statcan.ca/

Statistics Every Writer Should Know

http://nilesonline.com/stats/

Statistics Online Compute Resources (SOCR)

http://socr.stat.ucla.edu/

Statistics on the Web

http://my.execpc.com/~helberg/statistics.html

Statistical Data Mining Tutorials - Tutorial Slides by Andrew Moore

http://www-2.cs.cmu.edu/~awm/tutorials/index.html

Statistical Education Through Problem Solving

http://www.stats.gla.ac.uk/steps/

Statistical Resources Online

http://jolis.worldbankimflib.org/Estats/stat245.htm

Statistical Resources on the Web

http://www.lib.umich.edu/govdocs/stats.html

Statistical Sites on the World Wide Web

http://snurl.com/2mn6

Statistics Sources

http://www.rba.co.uk/sources/stats.htm

Statisphere

http://www.statisphere.govt.nz/

Stats for Schools

http://www.stats4schools.gov.uk./

STAT-USA/Internet

http://www.stat-usa.gov/

Swivel - Explore All Types of Data

http://www.swivel.com/

The Internet Glossary of Statistical Terms

http://www.animatedsoftware.com/statglos/statglos.htm



The R Project for Statistical Computing

http://www.r-project.org/

The Statistics Home Page

http://www.statsoftinc.com/textbook/stathome.html

TRAMSS

http://tramss.data-archive.ac.uk/index.asp

UK 2005 - The Official Yearbook of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland

http://www.statistics.gov.uk/StatBase/Product.asp?vlnk=5703

UK National Statistics Online

http://www.statistics.gov.uk/

UNESCO Institute for Statistics

http://www.uis.unesco.org/ev.php?URL_ID=2867&URL_DO=DO_TOPIC&URL_SECT ION=201

United Nations Data Access System (UNdata)

http://data.un.org/

United Nations Statistics Division

http://unstats.un.org/unsd/

United States Census Bureau

http://www.census.gov/

U.S. and World Population Clocks

http://www.census.gov/main/www/popclock.html

U.S. Business Statistics

http://www.census.gov/ftp/pub/econ/www/widemenu.html

USDA Economics, Statistics, and Market Information System

http://usda.mannlib.cornell.edu/usda/

USITC Interactive Tariff and Trade DataWeb

http://dataweb.usitc.gov/

U.S. Statistical Abstract

http://www.census.gov/statab/www/



Vital Statistics of the United States (VSUS)

http://www.cdc.gov/nchs/products/pubs/pubd/vsus/vsus.htm

WebCASPAR

http://caspar.nsf.gov/cgi-bin/WebIC.exe?template=nsf/srs/webcasp/start.wi

Web Interface for Statistics Education (WISE)

http://wise.cgu.edu/

WebStat - Statistics on the Web

http://webstat.stat.fi/etusivu en.html

WisStat

http://www.wisstat.wisc.edu/

Worldometers - World Statistics Updated In Real Time

http://www.worldometers.info/

WWW Virtual Library: Statistics

http://www.stat.ufl.edu/vlib/statistics.html

Awareness WatchTM Spotters

UpTake - Travel Information Search Engine

http://www.uptake.com/

UpTake is a travel information search engine - we help you decide where to go, where to stay or what to do. We're here to help you make informed decisions about what best fits your travel preferences. We have scoured the web to collect 400,000 U.S. hotels and attractions. Then we analyzed and organized millions of travelers' opinions to enable you to search based on your exact travel requirements and preferences. This has been added to Reference Resources Subject TracerTM Information Blog.

Tranche Project - Secure P2P for the Scientific Community

http://tranche.proteomecommons.org/

The Tranche Project is a free and open source file sharing tool that enables collections of computers to easily share and cite scientific data sets. Designed and built with scientists and researchers in mind, Tranche essentially solves the data sharing problem in a secure and scalable fashion. Scientific tools and data sets are helpful for validating published work, designing software algorithms, aiding current research, and much more. However, sharing large amounts of scientific data is not currently an easy task. Sometimes data is too large to share via e-mail or on a web server. Sometimes data disappears due to an individual leaving a group, or a server crashing. Sometimes data is too hard to find. And



sometimes, data isn't shared because some level of confidentiality or restricted access must be guaranteed. The Tranche tool solves these issues and removes the obstacles commonly inherent in scientific data sharing. This has been added to the tools section of Research Resources Subject TracerTM Information Blog. This has been added to the P2P section of Deep Web Research Subject TracerTM Information Blog. This has been added to Biological Informatics Subject TracerTM Information Blog.

Perspectives on Administration and Supervision

http://div11perspectives.asha.org

In continuous publication since 1991, Perspectives on Administration and Supervision (formerly Division 11, Administration and Supervision Newsletter) is published three times annually (March, June, and October) by the American Speech-Language-Hearing Association (ASHA). The mission of this division is to promote best practices in administration and supervision by serving as the primary resource for leaders, administrators, and supervisors at all levels of professional development, working in a variety of settings.

Suggestica - Best Suggestions for Books, Audios and Videos from Trusted Authorities and Experts

http://www.suggestica.com/

They bring the best suggestions (books, audio, video) from Trusted Authorities in various disciplines. Explore and enhance your life with these suggestions! Trusted Authorities on Suggestica are experts and thought leaders in various domains. They are continuously expanding this list. They have identified a set of categories based on their market research. These include but not limited to Marketing, Sales, Entrepreneurship, Self-Help, Strategy etc. They will, of course, expand these categories in the future. If you don't see a category of your interest, it is likely that it will come up soon. This has been added to Internet Experts Subject TracerTM Information Blog.

OldVersion.com - Older Versions of Various Software Programs http://www.OldVersion.com/

Sometimes upgrading to a newer version can be a good thing. Other times, your computer may not be compatible with the new version, the new version is bloated, or all the options you liked are no longer available. OldVersion.com has been supplying the online community with old versions of various programs since 2001. The service is utilized by thousands of users every day and has been featured in newspapers and magazines as well as on radio and television. OldVersion.com has several objectives. One is to discourage the use of spyware by software companies. Also known as adware, these hidden programs come bundled with certain applications and secretly transmit user information via the Internet to advertisers. It is sometimes possible to avoid spyware by downloading an older version of a program. Use OldVersion.com and show the industry your dissatisfaction with these types of business practices. OldVersion.com assists computer users who are unable to continually upgrade their computer. Those who find that their machine is not able to run the latest version of a certain application have no choice but to



use an old version of the program. Unfortunately, the vast majority of software companies do not offer this opportunity. They are doing their small part to help bridge the digital divide by allowing everyone to enjoy the same software titles regardless of their hardware. This has been added to <u>World Wide Web Reference</u> Sucject TracerTM Information Blog. This has been added to the tools section of <u>Research Resources</u> Subject TracerTM Information Blog.

Wolfram Demonstrations Project

http://demonstrations.wolfram.com/

Conceived by Mathematica creator and scientist Stephen Wolfram as a way to bring computational exploration to the widest possible audience, The Wolfram Demonstrations Project is an open-code resource that uses dynamic computation to illuminate concepts in science, technology, mathematics, art, finance, and a remarkable range of other fields. Its daily-growing collection of interactive illustrations is created by Mathematica users from around the world, who participate by contributing innovative Demonstrations. Interactive computational resources have typically been scattered across the web--requiring specialized programming knowledge that's made them difficult and expensive to develop. As a result, their coverage has long been limited, and progress has been slow. In many ways, The Wolfram Demonstrations Project introduces a new paradigm for exploring ideas. The power to easily create interactive visualizations, once in the domain of computing experts alone, is now in the hands of every Mathematica user. This has been added to the tools section of Research Resources Subject TracerTM Information Blog. This has been added to Student Research Resources Subject TracerTM Information Blog.

Biosemiotics

http://www.springerlink.com/content/120965/

Biosemiotics is dedicated to building a bridge between biology, philosophy, linguistics and the communication sciences. If it is true that biosemiotics is "the study of signs, of communication and of information in living organisms" (Oxford Dictionary of Biochemistry and Molecular Biology, 1997, p.72), it is also true that, in time, it has acquired a more general scope. Today, its main challenge is the attempt to naturalize not only biological information but also biological meaning, in the belief that signs and codes are fundamental components of the living world. This implies that the history of life has largely been shaped by the appearance of new codes, from the genetic code that marked its origin to the codes of language that made us human. Biosemiotics has become in this way the leading edge of the research on the fundamentals of life, and is a young exciting field on the move. By providing both a place for and access to exceptional peer-reviewed papers on the emerging discipline of biosemiotics, the journal will offer an instrument of its development by publishing papers in all relevant areas of the sciences and the humanities.



Katsuey's Legal Gateway

http://www.katsuey.com/

Katsuey's Legal Gateway is a free legal directory for legal professionals researching law related topics on the Internet and lay-people who want to know more about the law, understand their legal rights and obligations and search for an attorney to assist them. Katsuey's Legal Gateway is a directory of legal links, it is not a link farm. We link only to sites with substantive, free legal content; we review every site before deciding whether to include a link. This has been added to Reference Resources Subject TracerTM Information Blog. This will be added to Legal Resources Internet Guide.

Closing Prices - Closing Market Price Indices From Your Mobile Cell Phone http://www.ClosingPrices.mobi/

I am pleased to announce the **Alpha** site for ClosingPrices.mobi. This site will have the closing prices for all the major business indices as well as selected high volume stock volumes for the closing day at 4:00pm Monday - Friday. The site will be designed specifically for the mobile cell phone and for the person on the go looking for a quick review of closing prices each day from any location in the world.

Digital Document Quarterly

http://home.pacbell.net/hgladney/ddq.htm

Henry Gladney has an established background in the field of digital document management, and he also holds a number of patents. Gladney started publishing the Digital Document Quarterly (DDQ) in 2002 as an online publication that covers everything from the information revolution to providing information about digital preservation solutions. Visitors to the site can read the introduction to the DDQ, and then make their way through all of the previous issues. It's easy to see why different information science professionals and librarians would find the archive useful, as the topics covered here include basic topics in digital preservation, preserving office records, information retrieval, and even the epistemology of digital preservation. The site is rounded out by a nice glossary of terms, which covers everything from "abstract" to "value". This has been added to Research Resources Subject TracerTM Information Blog. [From The Scout Report, Copyright Internet Scout 1994-2008. http://scout.wisc.edu/]

AppAppeal - Reviews of Web Based Applications

http://www.appappeal.com/

The 'Software as a Service' (SaaS) principle is rapidly gaining popularity. The uprise of innovative online applications makes traditional and expensive software unnecessary. Examples of successful web applications are video service YouTube and free music service Last.fm. To bring some structure and insight into the endless possibilities, the website www.AppAppeal.com has been launched. The goal of this website is to inform consumers as comprehensively as possible about all the possibilities SaaS web applications have to offer. Because of the many advantages offered by web applications in comparison to traditional desktop software, the use of there applications are undergoing a global and explosive growth. In contrast to traditional software, web



applications are often free to use and users to not have to deal with hassle such as installations, updates or workstations which freeze. Moreover, there are many services around, which allow users to share documents with other users, for example Flickr for photo's, YouTube for videos and Google Docs for text documents. Because all documents are stored on external servers, users do not run the risk of losing important documents when a workstation crashes. Co-founder of the website Jelle de Bruin: "web application users are no longer bound to the workstations at home or at work, instead they can access their documents whenever and where-ever they want." He adds: "through AppAppeal.com users can base their choice for a particular web application on the reviews published on this website." Despite the advantages of online services as opposed to traditional software, many users are not fully aware of the possibilities offered by various applications. Moreover, new applications are launched every day. In order to make the choice for the application which suits the needs of a user and to stay up-to-date with the latest news, the website www.appappeal.com has been launched. This has been added to World Wide Web Reference Subject TracerTM Information Blog. This has been added to the tools section of Research Resources Subject Tracer™ Information Blog.

Internet Journal of Medical Update

http://www.geocities.com/agnihotrimed/ijmu.htm

Internet Journal of Medical Update is an international journal which provides a multidisciplinary forum for the exchange of current ideas in form of original research work, review articles, interesting case reports, brief communication, letter to editor etc. among medical professionals. It is also intended to provide a platform for young medical professionals to participate in research activities, with the aim to enhance their outlook towards recent developments in the field of medicine.

YellowBrix - Real Time News and Web Content Solutions http://www.vellowbrix.com/

YellowBrix is a pioneer in real-time information delivery and leading provider of targeted news and business intelligence services. The YellowBrix solution offers up to 130,000 breaking news stories a day culled from thousands of the most reliable sources and dynamically links incoming news to valuable company, financial, and industry data. YellowBrix' innovative technology solution then organizes this data intelligently - based on clients' requirements - and seamlessly presents the most important information to their users, enabling them to make informed business decisions and stay a step ahead of the competition. This has been added to <u>Business Intelligence Resources</u> Subject TracerTM Information Blog. This has been added to the tools section of <u>Research Resources</u> Subject TracerTM Information Blog. This has been added to <u>World Wide Web Reference</u> Subject TracerTM Information Blog.



RefAware - Web Based Current Awareness Service

http://www.refaware.com/

RefAware - a web based current awareness service designed to provide researchers and other members of the academic community with immediate access to new research and publications in their field - all within hours of being posted online. Providing one source for a variety of research data, RefAware constantly scours the internet for the latest information and automatically delivers new information directly to the user. Covering over 8,000 peer-reviewed sources and other non-refereed sources of information, RefAware provides a comprehensive, up-to-the minute picture of today's global research. This has been added to the tools section of Research Resources Subject TracerTM Information Blog. This will be added to Current Awareness Monitors, Alerts and Information Traps for 2008.

Scramble Assistant for Word

http://payneconsulting.com/products/scramword free/

Scramble Assistant for Word allows you to scramble the characters in a document in a way that the formatting of the document remains intact, but the content of the document is scrambled to make it illegible. They also offer a retail version of this product that provides both redaction and scrambling options. The redaction tool is excellent for hiding selected text within a document. This has been added to Privacy Resources Subject TracerTM Information Blog.

Journal of Educators Online (JEO)

http://www.thejeo.com/

Journal of Educators Online (JEO) is an online, double-blind reviewed journal by and for instructors, administrators, policy-makers, staff, students, and those interested in the development, delivery, and management of online courses in the Arts, Business, Education, Engineering, Medicine, and Sciences. The areas of pedagogy, content, technical and organizational issues are within the scope of the journal.

Glance - Desktop Sharing, Web Demos, and Presentations with One Click http://www.glance.net/

Glance is an easy-to-use screen sharing tool that lets you host live web demos, sales presentations, webinars, and more. To make Glance as effortless as possible, they have stripped away all the confusing complexity found in other services. Their lean, no-frills design makes Glance a convenient tool that you'll actually enjoy using. Whatever you see, your guests see. It's that simple. This has been added to the tools section of Research Resources Subject TracerTM Information Blog.

JasperForge - Open Source Business Intelligence

http://www.JasperForge.org/

JasperForge.org is the open source development portal for the JasperSoft Business Intelligence Suite, the JasperSoft Business Intelligence solution that delivers comprehensive tools for data access, data integration, analysis, and reporting. With over



two-million downloads, JasperSoft is the leader in open source Business Intelligence. This has been added to <u>Business Intelligence Resources</u> Subject TracerTM Information Blog.

GreenFoot - Live Object World Framwork

http://www.greenfoot.org/

Greenfoot is a live object world framework that supports many different kinds of scenarios. Consider greenfoot as a combination between a framework for creating two-dimensional grid assignments in Java and an integrated development environment (class browser, editor, compiler, execution, etc.) suitable for novice programmers. While greenfoot supports the full Java language, it is especially useful for programming exercises that has a visual element. In greenfoot object visualisation and object interaction are the key elements. If you know BlueJ and a microworld framework (like Karel the Robot or the AP Marine Biology Case Study) consider greenfoot as the best from both: object interaction (BlueJ) and object visualisation (microworlds). This has been added to World Wide Web Reference Subject TracerTM Information Blog.

International Journal of Embedded Systems (IJES)

http://www.inderscience.com/ijes

With the advent of VLSI system level integration and system-on-chip, the centre of gravity of the computer industry is now moving from personal computing into embedded computing. Embedded systems are increasingly becoming a key technological component of all kinds of complex technical systems, ranging from vehicles, telephones, audiovideo-equipment, aircraft, toys, security systems, medical diagnostics, to weapons, pacemakers, climate control systems, manufacturing systems, intelligent power systems etc. International Journal of Embedded Systems (IJES) addresses the state of the art of all aspects of embedded computing systems with emphasis on algorithms, systems, models, compilers, architectures, tools, design methodologies, test and applications. The objective of IJES is to provide a vehicle for academics, industrial professionals, educators and policy makers working in the field to contribute and disseminate innovative and important new work on embedded systems. IJES is a refereed international journal, initially published in 6 issues per year, providing an international forum to report, discuss and exchange experimental or theoretical results, novel designs, work-in-progress, experience, case studies, and trend-setting ideas. Papers should be of a quality that represents the latest advances in embedded systems in time-to-market, cost, code size, weight, testability, power, real-time behavior, and stimulating future trends.

Powerset - Search Wikipedia Articles

http://www.powerset.com/

Powerset's goal is to change the way people interact with technology by enabling computers to understand our language. While this is a difficult challenge, they believe that now is the right time to begin the journey. Powerset is first applying its natural language processing to search, aiming to improve the way we find information by unlocking the meaning encoded in ordinary human language. Powerset's first product is a



search and discovery experience for Wikipedia, launched in May 2008. Powerset's technology improves the entire search process. In the search box, you can express yourself in keywords, phrases, or simple questions. On the search results page, Powerset gives more accurate results, often answering questions directly, and aggregates information from across multiple articles. Finally, Powerset's technology follows you into enhanced Wikipedia articles, giving you a better way to quickly digest and navigate content. This has been added to the tools section of Research Resources Subject TracerTM Information Blog.

OpenNMS - Enterprise Grade Open Source Network Management http://www.opennms.org/

OpenNMS is the world's first enterprise grade network management platform developed under the open source model. It consists of a community supported open-source project as well as a commercial services, training, and support organization. You should have read access to all content on this wiki, but you will need to register to add or edit pages, or upload files or images. OpenNMS is community supported, so you are welcome and encouraged to add content to this website. This has been added to World Wide Web Reference Subject TracerTM Information Blog.

GLPI - Free IT and Asset management Software

http://www.glpi-project.org/

GLPI is the Information Resource-Manager with an additional Administration-Interface. You can use it to build up a database with an inventory for your company (computer, software, printers...). It has enhanced functions to make the daily life for the administrators easier, like a job-tracking-system with mail-notification and methods to build a database with basic information about your network-topology. The principal functionalities of the application are: 1) the precise inventory of all the technical resources. All their characteristics will be stored in a database, and 2) management and the history of the maintenance actions and the bound procedures. This application is dynamic and is directly connected to the users who can post requests to the technicians. An interface thus authorizes the latter with if required preventing the service of maintenance and indexing a problem encountered with one of the technical resources to which they have access. This has been added to World Wide Web Reference Subject TracerTM Information Blog.

Public Health Ethics (PHE)

http://phe.oxfordiournals.org/

Public Health Ethics (PHE) is the first peer-reviewed international journal to focus on a systematic analysis of the moral problems in public health and preventive medicine. It contains original articles, reviews, and case studies about the nature of public health and related concepts (e.g. population, public, community, prevention); discussions of values in public health; and ethical issues in relation to all aspects of public health policy and practice. This includes normative issues in epidemiological research, health promotion, infectious diseases control, screening, population genetics, resource allocation, health



care system reform, vaccinations, environmental and lifestyle factors relevant to health, equity, justice and global health. PHE combines theoretical and practical work from different fields, notably philosophy, law, and politics, but also epidemiology and the medical sciences. Contributors are particularly encouraged to discuss the practical impact of their work on public health policies. PHE is therefore an important resource for scholars and students in bioethics and public health, but also for professionals and policy makers

Chemical Education Digital Library (ChemED DL)

http://www.chemeddl.org/

ChemEd DL aims to provide exemplary digital resources, tools, and online services to aid in teaching and learning chemistry. A collaborative, community-driven effort, we provide a destination for all those interested in chemistry to share what they know so that others may learn. This has been added to <u>Reference Resources</u> Subject TracerTM Information Blog.

Updated> Online Research Tools White Paper Link Compilation

http://www.OnlineResearchTools.info/

The white paper link compilation *Online Research Tools* by Marcus P. Zillman, M.S., A.M.H.A. has been updated! It is a comprehensive listing of online research tools that offer various downloadable as well as web applications to allow you to do your research and searching on the Internet far more effective and productive. It is now a freely available 80 page .pdf document (1.80MB) that can be downloaded from the above URL. Other white papers and resources on information retrieval, information extraction and deep web research by Marcus P. Zillman, M.S., A.M.H.A. are available by clicking here. The Online Research Tools White Paper Link Compilation was updated **6-04-08**.

Financial Calculators

http://www.mortgageloan.com/calculator/

This is a nice resource for various type of financial calculators including college savings calculators for prospective students. This has been added to <u>Financial Sources</u> Subject TracerTM Information Blog. This has been added to <u>Student Research Resources</u> Subject TracerTM Information Blog.

Bizmazing.com - Amazing Insight for Business Today

http://www.bizmazing.com/

Bizmazing.com is the premier event-driven online resource for small businesses. At Bizmazing.com their goal is to provide today's busy business professional with a single destination for advice, thought-leadership, best practices and resources. All timely and relevant. All focused on helping you succeed and all of it for free. This has been added to Entrepreneurial Resources Subject TracerTM Information Blog. This has been added to Business Intelligence Resources Subject TracerTM Information Blog.



Neuropsychological Trends

http://www.ledonline.it/NeuropsychologicalTrends/index.html

The Neuropsychological Trends publishes original contributions to scientific knowledge in neuropsychology and neuroscience, and it provides an interdisciplinary forum on new trends on neuropsychology and psychophysiology. There is a growing dissatisfaction with fragmentation in theoretical perspectives on neuropsychology and without doubt there is a felt need for a journal containing articles which aim to integrate these fragmented ideas, theories and methods. We place particular emphasis on the fact that informed discussion of neuropsychology needs to be interdisciplinary. The journal aims to introduce new ideas on the field of biological bases of behaviour and of the neurological perspectives applied to psychological processes. Specifically it intends to offer an ample space for innovative research methodologies and new theoretical views on the neuropsychological discipline. Methodological discussion will constitute a main topic of the journal. Specific attention will be given to the development of new theories and/or research methodologies applicable to group and single-case studies. The journal is interested in basic and applied research and aims at opening up new avenues for the understanding, explaining, and treatment of neuropsychological issues. Specifically, Neuropsychological Trends will consider articles from any area of neuropsychological and neuroscience research, including, but not limited to: cognitive neuropsychology, clinical neuropsychology, neurophysiology, psychophysiology, and research techniques (fMRI; ERPs, PET). The main topics proposed are:

- * sensation and perception consciousness
- * learning and memory
- * communication and language
- * motivation and emotion
- * methodology of research (electroencephalography; brain imaging; behavioural measures)

Neuropsychological Trends is available free of charge as an Open Access journal on the Internet. Articles available in PDF format.

ScratchPads - Research Community Working On the Web

http://www.editwebrevisions.info/scratchpads

Scratchpads provide you and your community of researchers a space to work on the web. They are easy to use, adaptable to reflect your needs, and provide you with powerful tools for managing your data. An intuitive web-application, enabling communities of taxonomists to collaboratively build, share, manage and publish their data on the web. Scratchpads are easy to use, adaptable to taxonomists needs, and provide powerful tools for managing biological information. Major features include: a) Unlimited content (pages, images, maps, bibliographies, phylogenies, DNA sequences, specimen lists, classifications, forums) or define your own content type; b) Workflows for data import (includes MS Excel support) and editing; c) User controlled hierarchies to classify content; d) Unlimited and controllable sites membership; e) Public, private and user



defined access groups; f) Context sensitive user profiles; g) Rich text (WYSIWYG) editing & intuitive administration; and h) User defined web addresses. Scratchpads are independent and unconnected, allowing communities to create distinct customized sites tailored to their needs. They are built on the content management system Drupal (http://drupal.org/), and managed on servers at the Natural History Museum, London. Content is archived such that it can be cited like a traditional publication. This has been added to the tools section of Research Resources Subject TracerTM Information Blog. This has been added to Biological Informatics Subject TracerTM Information Blog.

Finding Experts By Using The Internet

http://www.FindingExperts.info/

This reference link compilation is designed to bring together the latest URLs for you to use the Internet to find that expert you need in your profession, business, project or special interest. This miniguide is a freely available 18 page (795KB) that was updated on June 2, 2008; including a new direct domain name. The ultimate tool for finding that expert by using the Internet!!

Koha - Open Source Integrated Library System

http://www.koha.org/

Koha is the world's first Free/Libre Open Source Integrated Library System. Originally made in New Zealand by the Horowhenua Library Trust and Katipo Communications Ltd, the Koha system is a full catalogue, opac, circulation, member management, serials, and acquisitions package. This has been added to the tools section of Research Resources Subject TracerTM Information Blog.

Untangle Gateway Platform - The Open Source Network Gateway http://www.untangle.com/

Untangle was founded with the vision of untangling the complexities of technology, initially targeting network security and control for SMBs. The company follows Open Source development practices to create better code and make it widely available. The Untangle Gateway Platform, the world's first commercial-grade open source solution for blocking spam, spyware, viruses, adware and unwanted content on the network, provides a free and better alternative to costly, inflexible proprietary appliances. Untangle's applications are currently being used in hundreds of businesses in a variety of industries, including financial services, real estate, education, bio-science, and professional services. This has been added to World Wide Web Reference Subject TracerTM Information Blog.

Spaces for Difference: An Interdisciplinary Journal

http://repositories.cdlib.org/ucsb_ed/spaces/

Spaces for Difference: An Interdisciplinary Journal is a peer-reviewed, open access, journal that seeks to publish research that expands our understanding of issues relating to race and racism, gender and sexuality, social activism and intersectionalities. Consequently, Spaces for Difference represents a conduit for scholars to bridge the traditional disciplines including, but not limited to: Anthropology, Art, Education,



English, Ethnic Studies, Film Studies, History, Linguistics, Literature, Music, Political Science, Psychology, Religious Studies, and Sociology. As such, we welcome alternative forms of presenting research including, but not limited to, photography and digital media. Spaces for Difference is a graduate student edited publication that maintains a Faculty Advisory Board of scholars across various disciplines. Space for Difference seeks to: 1) Highlight work that challenges the traditional canons and established perspectives; 2) Bridge disciplinary work around issues of race and racism, gender and sexuality, social activism, and intersectionalities.

SoNIA - Social Network Image Animator

http://www.stanford.edu/group/sonia/index.html

SoNIA is a Java-based package for visualizing dynamic or longitudinal "network" data. By dynamic, they mean that in addition to information about the relations (ties) between various entities (actors, nodes) there is also information about when these relations occur, or at least the relative order in which they occur. Their intention for SoNIA is to read-in dynamic network information from various formats, aid the user in constructing "meaningful" layouts, and export the resulting images or "movies" of the network, along with information about the techniques and parameter settings used to construct the layouts, and some form of statistic indicating the "accuracy" or degree of distortion present in the layout. This is all somewhat ambitious, but not impossible. In addition, they hope that SoNIA will have other uses. One of the most important is for it to work as a platform for the development, testing, and comparison of various static and dynamic layout techniques. Because of this, they have attempted to code SoNIA as an OpenSource project in a modular fashion so that the various layout techniques and tools are fairly interchangeable, and they can all draw on a common set of utility functions for common network and layout operations. Another mode of use that SoNIA supports is that of a "browser" for time-based network data, ztheir intention is to make it as easy as possible for users (us) to visually inspect sets of relations in large datasets at varying temporal resolutions and degrees of aggregation. This has been added to Social Informatics Subject TracerTM Information Blog.

Control C - Store, Save, and Share Data From Your Clipboard At Your Discretion http://www.controlc.com/index.php

How many times a day do you copy and paste something? How often do you later wish you had saved what you copied to your clipboard for later use, or find yourself going back to look for that same content? Control C is an automated solution that will monitor your clipboard and store the data for you so you can later share or retrieve for yourself contents copied to your clipboard that otherwise would have been lost forever. All content uploaded from your clipboard is encrypted to protect your data completely. You can optionally, however, unencrypt and permanantly store the data in your account, and share it with the world. This has been added to the tools section of Research Resources Subject TracerTM Information Blog.



Roxer - Easiest Way To Craete a Web Page

http://www.roxer.com/

Roxer is an easy-to-use, free online tool that lets anyone create stunning web pages without programming. It was created by Lex Arquette and Jeremiah Grossman. Roxer takes a new approach to making web pages, based on the idea that you should never have to bother with code. With Roxer anyone can make visually stunning and fully functional web pages online using only a web browser. Editing is even easier. To rearrange your content, just click and drag items where you want them. To change your text, just click and type. To move content from one page to another, just copy and paste. Best of all, you will be doing these things to your web page from your web page. Roxer's key features include: a) Edit in place - To edit a web page you go directly to it in your web browser and make changes on the spot; b) Click & Drag - Everything on your web page can be dragged into place with your mouse; c) "WebClipboard" - Copy & Paste any content from one web page to another; d) Rich Text Editing - Adjust font face, style, color, size, and alignment; e) Layering - Stack content to get unique visual effects; f) Live image resizing - Images can be shrunken or enlarged; and g) Browser-based - No special software, nothing to download. All works in your web browser. This has been added to World Wide Web Reference Subject TracerTM Information Blog.

Sports Law eJournal

http://epublications.bond.edu.au/slej/

Established in 2005 by the Centre for Commercial Law, the Sports Law eJournal (Bond) is an electronic journal on sports law. The eJournal has an international and comparative law focus and contributors will discuss and analyse all aspects of sports law and regulation. The eJournal is published online as each article or note is refereed, accepted for publication, edited and becomes available on the web. From time to time, selected collections of contributions will also be published as monographs. The eJournal will be of interest to sports lawyers and administrators, sports managers and leaders, sports participants and sports law and management students. Articles are written by leading researchers, practitioners and students in all aspects of sports law.

SplashUp - Powerful Editing Tool and Photo Manager http://splashup.com/

Splashup, formerly Fauxto, is a powerful editing tool and photo manager. With all the features professionals use and novices want, it's easy to use, works in real-time and allows you to edit many images at once. Splashup runs in all browsers, integrates seamlessly with top photosharing sites, and even has its own file format so you can save your work in progress. This has been added to the tools section of Research Resources Subject TracerTM Information Blog.



Web Data Extractors

http://www.WebDataExtractors.com/

I have updated my research white paper link compilation titled "Web Data Extractors" a 14 page research paper listing many resources both new and existing that will help anyone who is attempting to find information and knowledge research about web data extraction on the Internet. It is freely available as a .pdf file (570KB) at the above URL from the Virtual Private LibraryTM and authored by Marcus P. Zillman, M.S., A.M.H.A. It was updated **6-09-08**. Please note that this is a new direct domain name to this research white paper link compilation. Other white papers are available by clicking here.

gwap.com - Training Computers by Playing Games http://www.gwap.com/gwap/

When you play a game at Gwap, you aren't just having fun. You're helping the world become a better place. By playing our games, you're training computers to solve problems for humans all over the world. Let's take the ESP Game for example. You and a partner see the same image and are asked to type in a tag for it. When you agree on a tag, you move on and are awarded points. After just a minute of play, you've agreed on six or seven tags. We record those six or seven tags and associate them with the images. Now a search engine will have a better idea of what's in those images. This has been added to Artificial Intelligence Resources Subject TracerTM Information Blog. This has been added to Games Resources Subject TracerTM Information Blog.

Eraser - Open Source Removal of Sensitive Data From Hard Drives http://www.heidi.ie/node/6

Eraser is an advanced security tool (for Windows), which allows you to completely remove sensitive data from your hard drive by overwriting it several times with carefully selected patterns. Works with Windows 95, 98, ME, NT, 2000, XP, Windows 2003 Server and DOS. Eraser is Free software and its source code is released under GNU General Public License. The patterns used for overwriting are based on Peter Gutmann's paper "Secure Deletion of Data from Magnetic and Solid-State Memory" and they are selected to effectively remove magnetic remnants from the hard drive. Other methods include the one defined in the National Industrial Security Program Operating Manual of the US Department of Defence and overwriting with pseudorandom data. You can also define your own overwriting methods. This has been added to Privacy Resources Subject TracerTM Information Blog.

Journal of Experimental & Clinical Cancer Research

http://www.jeccr.com/

Journal of Experimental & Clinical Cancer Research (JECCR), the official journal of the "Regina Elena" National Cancer Institute, is an open access publication providing a high-quality forum for basic, clinical and translational work in oncology. The journal publishes scientific studies on the immunological, epidemiological, pathological, biological and clinical aspects of oncology. Topics considered range from molecular genetics via infectious agents to surgery and therapeutic approaches and outcomes. Systematic



reviews of clinical and basic research, as well as clinical practice guidelines, are especially welcome.

PolicyMap - Innovative Geographic Information System To Easily Create Custom Maps, Tables and Charts

http://www.policymap.com/

PolicyMap is an innovative geographic information system which allows you to easily create custom maps, tables, and charts. Provides over 4,000 indicators plus the ability to plot your own data with their mapping services. Available from any Web browser on any operating system. Backed by the resources, expertise and integrity of The Reinvestment Fund. This has been added to the tools section of Research Resources Subject TracerTM Information Blog. This has been added to Grant Resources Subject TracerTM Information Blog.

DotNetNuke (DNN) Open Source Web Application Framework http://www.dotnetnuke.com/

This is the official community and development site for the DotNetNuke Open Source Web Application Framework. From downloads to documentation, DotNetNuke.com offers a comprehensive base of information, resources, and support to the DotNetNuke community. DotNetNuke is an open source web application framework ideal for creating, deploying and managing interactive web, intranet and extranet sites. DotNetNuke is designed to make it easy for administrators, content editors, developers, and designers to manage all aspects of their web assets. Wizards, content-sensitive help, and a well-researched user interface provide a superior user experience. DotNetNuke can support multiple websites from a single application installation. In dividing administrative options between host level and individual site level, DotNetNuke allows administrators to manage an unlimited number of websites – each with its own unique appearance and content. DotNetNuke comes loaded with a set of built-in features that provide exceptional functionality. Site hosting, web design, content management, security, and membership options are all easily managed and customized through simple, browser-based tools. This has been added to World Wide Web Reference Subject TracerTM Information Blog.

VOIP Wiki - Reference Guide to All Things VOIP

http://www.voip-info.org/wiki/

This Wiki covers everything related to VOIP, software, hardware, service providers, reviews, configurations, standards, tips & tricks and everything else related to voice over IP networks, IP telephony and Internet Telephony. However, the Wiki is primarily for information, not for advertising. This has been added to World Wide Web Reference Subject TracerTM Information Blog.



Journal of Organizational and End User Computing (JOEUC)

http://www.igi-global.com/journals/details.asp?id=130

The primary purpose of the Journal of Organizational and End User Computing (JOEUC) is to provide a forum to information technology educators, researchers, and practitioners to advance the practice and understanding of organizational and end user computing. Prospective authors are invited to submit manuscripts for possible publication in JOEUC. The journal publishes empirical and theoretical research concerned with all aspects of organizational and end user computing. The journal is especially interested in those research studies that show a significant contribution to the area by relating organizational and end user computing to organizational and end user performance and productivity, strategic and competitive advantage, and electronic commerce. It publishes full-length research manuscripts, insightful research and practice notes, and case studies from all areas of organizational and end user computing. Topics should be drawn from, but not limited to, the following areas with major emphasis on how to increase organizational and end user productivity and performance, and how to achieve organizational strategic and competitive advantage:

- * Organizational and end user computing (OEUC) productivity and performance
- * OEUC and how it affects organizational strategic and competitive advantage
- * OEUC and how it relates to information resources management
- * Using and managing emerging OEUC technologies including electronic commerce
- * OEUC satisfaction
- * OEUC in various management functions; OEUC usage
- * OEUC privacy, security, and copyright issues
- * OEUC success factors; OEUC controls for security and privacy
- * OEUC risk factors; OEUC management
- * OEUC hardware and software
- * OEUC supports and training.

Predictify - Free Prediction Platform

http://www.predictify.com/

Predictify is a prediction platform where users can predict the future and build a reputation based on their accuracy, and marketers can post questions to collect actionable, forward-looking data from the crowd. Predictify provides a simple, fun way to predict the future. You can research, discuss and predict what will happen, build a reputation based on your accuracy, and even get paid real money when you're right (tell me more). Best of all, it's free – no points or bets required. Predictify is an effective way to create interactive advertisements by posting a question related to your product or service. Users' incentive to be accurate leads to a high level of engagement in your marketing message. The resulting data set, which includes demographic information, provides insight into the preferences of existing and potential customer segments. Predictify uses advanced statistical methods to identify experts among their users based on past predictive accuracy, and combines this with demographic information to provide unique, crowd-based insight. You can tap into this user base to collect a large sample of predictions



about future events, trends, and market data. Predictify's unique system captures the full distribution of beliefs, not just the average, and provides easy-to-use graphical tools to analyze the results. This has been added to Prediction Markets Subject TracerTM Information Blog.

Grism - Open Source Stock Market Observation Tool http://www.grism.org/

Grism is an open source stock market observation tool. It allows you to easily track the evolution of stock prices through watchlists, portfolios and charts. Grism uses Yahoo! Finance for its quote data. This means that with Grism, you can observe stocks, ETFs, indices and mutual funds from every major stock market in the world. All you need is the stock's symbol that interests you. Short Feature List includes: a) Watchlists - Monitor the evolution of a stock's price from a starting price through the last trade, b) Portfolios - See the current gain/loss calculation for a set of stocks, and c) Charts - View dynamic, historical price charts for monitored stocks. This has been added to Financial Sources Subject TracerTM Information Blog. This has been added to the tools section of Research Resources Subject TracerTM Information Blog.

Orange - Component-Based Data Mining Software http://www.ailab.si/orange/

Orange is a component-based data mining software. It includes a range of preprocessing, modelling and data exploration techniques. It is based on C++ components, that are accessed either directly (not very common), through Python scripts (easier and better), or through GUI objects called Orange Widgets. Orange is distributed free under GPL and can be downloaded from the download page. Orange is a component-based framework, which means you can use existing components and build your own ones. You can even prototype your own components in Python, and use it in place of some standard C-based Orange component. For instance, you may craft your own function for attribute quality estimation, and use it within Orange's classification tree induction algorithm. Orange provides for some elementary components and more complex components build from elementary ones, and uses Python as a glue language. Some of the readily-available features of Orange include: a) Data input/ouput: Orange can read from and write to tabdelimited files and C4.5 files, and supports also some more exotic formats; b) Preprocessing: feature subset selection, discretization, feature utility estimation for predictive tasks; c) Predictive modelling: classification trees, naive bayesian classifer, k-NN, majority classifier, support vector machines, logistic regression, rule-based classifiers (e.g., CN2); d) Ensemble methods, including boosting, bagging, and forest trees. Data description methods: various visulizations (in widgets), self-organizing maps, hierarchical clustering, k-means clustering, multi-dimensional scaling, and other; f) Model validation techniques, that include different data sampling and validation techniques (like cross-validation, random sampling, etc.); and g) various statistics for model validation (classification accuracy, AUC, sensitivity, specificity, ...). Orange's visual programming interface is based on GUI components they call Orange Widgets, and a signalling framework that uses communication channels to connect widgets and



tokens to pass the data from one widget to another. Although this sounds very scientific, working with widgets in the Orange Canvas is simple as point-and-click. Currently, more then forty widgets are available, with more coming out every week. This has been added to <u>Data Mining Resources</u> Subject TracerTM Information Blog.

Bioscience Hypotheses

http://www.biosciencehypotheses.co.uk/ http://www.sciencedirect.com/science/journal/17562392

Bioscience Hypotheses' aim is to stimulate innovation. To that end, we chose work that we believe is interesting and challenging, and provides a clear and coherent argument with a testable conclusion. Bioscience Hypotheses is a general journal and articles need to be intelligible to a wide audience in the life sciences, including those who may not be specialists in the field. Clear and concise presentation are very important. Our four requirements are that papers provide new insight into the understanding or application of biology that could be of interest to a wide life science readership that the paper is clear, coherent, and that the argument it lays out is easy to follow that it is not incompatible with known fact (although it may contest the interpretation of those facts that the authors provide an interpretation, hypothesis or solution that is testable. Papers that do not provide a means of testing their conclusion, or differentiating their conclusion from other explanations, will be rejected. Papers that provide some preliminary data (itself perhaps not sufficiently robust to be published as an independent paper, but nevertheless rigorously collected) will be welcomed, but preliminary data is not a requirement for publication, and Bioscience Hypotheses is not a forum the publication of new experimental results unless they are supporting a broader theoretical structure. The journal explicitly does not publish papers addressing medical issues. Their sister journal Medical Hypotheses is the appropriate forum for these.

Serious Games - A Place for People With Interest in Serious Games http://seriousgames.ning.com/

This site is intended as a web portal to serious games news, resources and companies. Its secondary goal is to enable networking between anyone with an interest in serious games. A serious game may be a simulation which has the look and feel of a game, but corresponds to non-game events or processes, including business operations and military operations. The games are intended to provide an engaging, self-reinforcing context in which to motivate and educate the players. Other purposes for such games include marketing and advertisement. The largest users of SGs are the US government and medical professionals. Other commercial sectors are actively pursuing development of these types of tools as well. This has been added to Games Resources Subject TracerTM Information Blog.

BioPreferred - Resources for the Producers of Biobased Products http://www.biopreferred.gov/

This site was designed as a resource for producers of biobased products, federal agencies required to purchase them, and others interested in renewable products. It includes information on submitting products for designation, instructions on meeting requirements to purchase biobased materials, and many other useful topics. The Farm Security and Rural Investment Act (FSRIA) was signed into law in 2002. A goal of that legislation is to increase the government's purchase and use of biobased products. In addition to lessening our national dependence on foreign oil, use of biobased materials promotes economic development by creating new jobs in rural communities and providing new markets for farm commodities. As part of the FSRIA mandate, the U.S. Department of Agriculture was directed to develop and implement a comprehensive program for designating biobased products. The USDA has already designated several items as "preferred,"; and will be adding significantly to that list in the coming months. Many government agencies are now using these products, and have found them to have comparable or superior performance to their petroleum counterparts. This has been added to BioTechnology Resources Subject TracerTM Information Blog.

Thinkature - Real Time Collaboration Using the Web http://thinkature.com/

Thinkature brings the richness of in-person, visual communication to the web by placing instant messaging inside a visual workspace. Use it as a collaboration environment, a meeting room, a personal web-based whiteboard, or something entirely new. With Thinkature, you can create a collaborative workspace and invite coworkers, friends, and colleagues to join you in just seconds. Once inside your workspace, you can communicate by chatting, drawing, creating cards, and adding content from around the Internet. It's all synchronous, too - no need to hit reload or get an editing lock. Like paper and a pencil, the possible uses for Thinkature are limitless. You can use it to plan your next major product or your next great party. Or you could lay out a new organization chart or the floor plan for your next apartment. You might also gather information about your competitors or your next vacation destination. Because Thinkature runs inside your web browser, you can get at your data from anywhere. Whether you're in your office, at home, or on the road, your data is easy to get at and use. There's no special software, so you (and all of your guests) can join a workspace instantly and without worrying about versions, operating systems, or firewalls. This has been added to the tools section of Research Resources Subject TracerTM Information Blog.

International Journal of Electronic Business Management (IJEBM) http://ijebm-ojs.ie.nthu.edu.tw/index.php/IJEBM

This journal promotes high-quality e-business, e-industry, e-government and e-society research. The goal of the journal is to improve the information infrastructure and broadband network construction, establish interconnected networks, improve the legal environment, build better internet security, expand information network education, enhance research and development and build international cooperation. Papers, covering



(but not limited to) the following topics, are invited to submit:

- * Advanced technologies in e-business development
- * Development of e-business and information infrastructures
- * E-marketing, e-retailing and consumer issues related to e-business and e-commerce
- * Mobile commerce
- * E-learning
- * B2B integration and enterprise application integration
- * Knowledge management for e-business development
- * Global logistics and distribution management
- * Supply and demand chain management and product life-cycle management
- * International cooperation, global collaboration and data networking
- * Product data management and standards
- * Appropriate policies to enhance the usage of e-business and information technology
- * Public and private strategies for implementing e-business technologies
- * Information security and ethics
- * Internet economy and its societal impact
- * Applications and case studies of e-business, e-industry, e-government and e-society

BrandDoozie - Web Tool for Do It Yourself Marketing

http://www.branddoozie.com/

BrandDoozie is the web application that creates marketing materials in minutes. Get your logo, business cards, brochures, direct mail, flyers and more! Create your own marketing materials without having to buy software or learn any graphic skills. BrandDoozie's design-safe technologies produce top-notch results every time! It's the easy to use, fast and affordable web tool that creates marketing materials in minutes. Created for small businesses and start-up companies, it's the most effective and professional way to jump-start your marketing efforts. Manage every component of your company's marketing from one central location. Build your logo, create and edit marketing documents and use our photo gallery all for FREE! This will be added to Advertising, Marketing and Public Relations Resources Internet MiniGuide. This has been added to the tools section of Research Resources Subject TracerTM Information Blog. This has been added to Entrepreneurial Resources Subject TracerTM Information Blog.

ThoughtMesh - Publishing and Discovering Scholarly Papers Online http://thoughtmesh.net/

ThoughtMesh is an unusual model for publishing and discovering scholarly papers online. It gives readers a tag-based navigation system that uses keywords to connect excerpts of essays published on different Web sites. Add your essay to the mesh, and ThoughtMesh gives you a traditional navigation menu plus a tag cloud that enables nonlinear access to text excerpts. You can navigate across excerpts both within the original essay and from related essays distributed across the mesh. So let's say you are reading an essay on Modern art. You can pick a single word out of that essay's tag cloud-



-say Picasso- -and view a list of all the sections from that essay that relate to Picasso. Or you can view a list of sections of other articles tagged with Picasso, and jump right to one of those sections. You can also combine tags to narrow your search, such as Picasso + Cubism + 1900. As an author, you can choose to post your essay in a central repository hosted by the Vectors program at USC, the sponsor of this project. Or you can self-archive your essay on your own Web site. (That's the "distributed publication" part.) This has been added to the tools section of Research Resources Subject TracerTM Information Blog. This has been added to Knowledge Discovery Subject TracerTM Information Blog. This will be added to Academic and Scholar Search Engines and Sources White Paper.

IEI's Graphical Programming Toolbox

http://www.imagination-engines.com/gpt.htm

National Instrument's LabVIEW distinguishes itself from traditional programming languages as an easy-to-use graphical or "G-programming" environment that includes all the functionality required for data acquisition, data analysis, presentation of results, and control of external devices. During project development, the user drags icons representing various native functionalities into a so-called "block diagram" and then interconnects them into a circuit that is effectively the G-program's source code. Once such a graphical algorithm, what National Instruments calls a "virtual instrument" (VI), has been debugged, it may be compiled into a free-standing executable. With support from the U.S. Air Force Research Laboratory, IEI has spent the last four years wrapping its patented neural network paradigms, such as STANNOs, Creativity Machines, Group Membership Filters, and SuperNets into LabVIEW VIs. As a result, the company now possesses a phenomenal capacity to rapidly prototype highly adaptive and creative control systems for robots. Extensive sensor integration may be achieved via the STANNO VIs, which may accept many millions of inputs from myriad sensors to interpret the system's environment and challenges. Creativity Machines, formed from their constituent STANNOs, can then process such fused sensor data, enabling them to spontaneously invent the necessary robotic responses. These behavioral decision patterns may then be fed through a variety of electrical interfaces and abstraction layers VIs to a wide variety of robotic actuators. Using IEI's patented toolbox for LabVIEW, these robotic systems are capable of knitting together vast swarms of STANNOs into SuperNets that may learn through successive self-experimentation to master both themselves and their environments. In fact, such a self-connected tabula rasa system, built over a period of just three days, was able to achieve autonomous docking and rendezvous of space vehicles within NASA simulators using a combination of IEI advanced machine vision and tabula rasa VIs. Even more recently, IEI has pioneered tabula rasa learning techniques in LabVIEW for NASA's off-world robotics program. This has been added to Bot Research Subject Tracer™ Information Blog.

Medical Computing Review (MCR)

http://www.medicalcomputing.org/mcr/

Medical Computing Review publishes medical computing articles and software reviews for practicing physicians at all levels of computer competency. Founded in 1991 as Medical Software Reviews, it is commonly regarded as the leading resource for objective evaluations of medical software. The publication was renamed Medical Computing Review in 2005 as its content expanded to include articles reflecting the increasing role of computer technology in medical practice:

- * MCReports: reports describing an aspect of computer technology and its effect or use in clinical practice
- * Computing Rounds: case presentations describing a particular computing situation or product, followed by a discussion of the case by the author.
- * NetViews: articles describing the strengths and limitations of a particular Web site, or how a topic of interest to physicians is covered on the Web.
- * Byteside Consults: advice to the computer lorn, where selected questions are answered by experts and/or MCR staff.

Our medical software reviews are a continually developing database of MCReviews, our flagship full single product reviews; ComparaViews, comparative reviews of two or more products; NanoReviews, mini-reviews that follow the same template as MCReviews but in a few paragraphs rather than a few pages; and DejaViews, revisits of previous reviewed software. Products reviewed include software and online electronic medical records, clinical references, continuing medical education products, and practice management software for desktops, laptops, and handheld devices.

iRadeo - Free Online Radio Platform

http://www.iradeo.com/

iRadeo is a free online radio platform that allows anyone to stream their MP3 / WAV files. Once installed, iRadeo will automatically detect and stream any supported file format that has been uploaded to the specified directory. Benefits of iRadeo include: a) It's 100% FREE, b) Use to stream both music and podcasts, and c) Share your favorite music with others. This has been added to the tools section of Research Resources Subject TracerTM Information Blog. This has been added to World Wide Web Reference Subject TracerTM Information Blog.

Knowledge Discovery Resources 2008 - An Internet MiniGuide Annotated Link Compilation

http://www.KDResources.info/

http://www.KnowledgeDiscovery.info/

Marcus P. Zillman's extensive guide to knowledge discovery technologies, programs, resources and sites includes links to groups, organizations and applications specific to knowledge discovery, harvesting and management, data and text mining, has been



updated as of June 14, 2008. This 34 page .pdf is freely available from the above URL. It is also available from my <u>Knowledge Discovery</u> Subject TracerTM Information Blog.

Retroshare - Comunicate Secure with Friends

http://www.retroshare.org/

Retroshare is a private and secure decentralised commmunication platform. It lets you share securely your friends, using a web-of-trust to authenticate peers and OpenSSL to encrypt all communication. RetroShare provides filesharing, chat, messages and channels. This is achieved through direct encrypted connections between peers (friend-2-friend). All personal information is stored on YOUR computer, and only shared with your friends. There is no need to trust a central corporate entity. Authentication is provided using a decentralised web-of-trust (like PGP). Again, this removes the need for a central server to 'authenticate your friends. Features include: a) Graphical User Interface written with Qt4.2, b) UPnP / NAT-PMP port forwarding support, c) OpenSSL Encryption, d) Encrypted Chat & Filetransfer, e) Multiple simultaneous downloads / uploads, f) Search Friends, g) DHT support, and h) Instant Chat Messaging. This has been added to Privacy Resources Subject TracerTM Information Blog. This has been added to Social Informatics Subject TracerTM Information Blog. This has been added to the tools section of Research Resources Subject TracerTM Information Blog.

Muradora - Web Based GUI for Fedora Repository

http://www.muradora.org/

Muradora is a web-based GUI for the popular Fedora repository, built using enterprise Java Spring and Struts 2 frameworks. Amongst the common features found in a typical repository such as search, browse, self-submission, and versioning supports, Muradora enables flexible access control for end users (based on the XACML standard), interdomain authentication and federated identity (using Shibboleth implementation of the SAML standard), and multiple metadata schema management (via W3C XForms standard). This has been added to the tools section of Research Resources Subject TracerTM Information Blog. This will be added to Academic and Scholar Search Engines and Sources White Paper.

Australian Journal of Crop Science

http://www.cropsciencejournal.org/

AJCS is an international peer-reviewed publication that gathers and disseminates fundamental and applied knowledge in almost all area of plant sciences. AJCS encourages researchers to submit their valuable manuscripts for rapid publication and also invites editors and reviewers to join editorial team all around the world. Coverage extends to every corner of the plant field, including such topics as molecular biology, taxonomy, genetics, plant breeding, morphology, physiology, developmental biology, cell biology, plant biochemistry, biophysics, bioinformatics, and new technologies like biofuels and plant vaccines. The journal presents full-length research articles that describe original and fundamental findings of significance that contribute to understanding of plants, as well as shorter communications reporting significant new



findings, technical notes on new methodology. This has been added to <u>Agriculture</u> <u>Resources</u> Subject TracerTM Information Blog.

HubSpot's Press Release Analysis and Grader

http://www.pressreleasegrader.com/

HubSpot's Press Release Analysis and Grader evaluates your press release and provides a marketing effectiveness score. This score is based upon basic factors from public relations experts including the language and content of the release, plus advanced factors from Internet marketing experts such as links and search engine optimization characteristics. This has been added to the tools section of Research Resources Subject TracerTM Information Blog. This has been added to Entrepreneurial Resources Subject TracerTM Information Blog.

StorYBook - Open Source Story Writing Software

http://storybook.intertec.ch/

StorYBook is a free, open source story writing software for creative writers, novelists and authors that helps to keep the overview over the strands when writing a book, a novel or a story. StorYBook assists you in structuring your book. Have all your data in one place. With StorYBook you can manage summaries, characters and locations and assign them to the related chapters. This has been added to the tools section of Research Resources Subject TracerTM Information Blog.

Open Archives Initiative Object Reuse and Exchange (OAI-ORE)

http://www.openarchives.org/ore/

Open Archives Initiative Object Reuse and Exchange (OAI-ORE) defines standards for the description and exchange of aggregations of Web resources. These aggregations, sometimes called compound digital objects, may combine distributed resources with multiple media types including text, images, data, and video. The goal of these standards is to expose the rich content in these aggregations to applications that support authoring, deposit, exchange, visualization, reuse, and preservation. Although a motivating use case for the work is the changing nature of scholarship and scholarly communication, and the need for cyberinfrastructure to support that scholarship, the intent of the effort is to develop standards that generalize across all web-based information including the increasing popular social networks of "web 2.0". This has been added to tools section of Research Resources Subject TracerTM Information Blog.

Journal of Traditional Chinese Medicine (JTCM)

http://www.jtcm.com/

The English Edition of Journal of Traditional Chinese Medicine (JTCM) appeared in 1981, being the earliest and the most authoritative TCM magazine with the largest circulation in China. It is an international quarterly devoted to clinical and theoretical research in this branch of medicine. The main columns include Experts' Forum, Clinical Observation, Basic Investigation, Reviews, Lectures, Teaching Round, and Questions and Answers, involving acupuncture, massotherapy and Chinese materia medica. Papers by



outstanding clinicians, acupuncturists and researchers provide the latest information on the development of this discipline. JTCM is an indispensable reading for clinical practitioners and others interested in basic medicine research. Manuscripts should be written in English and/or Chinese.

VoxForge - Open Source Speech Recognition Engines Transcribed Speech Collector http://www.voxforge.org/home

VoxForge was set up to collect transcribed speech for use in Open Source Speech Recognition Engines ("SRE"s) such as such as ISIP, HTK, Julius and Sphinx. We will categorize and make available all submitted audio files (also called a 'Speech Corpus'') and Acoustic Models in GPL format. In order to recognize speech, Speech Recognition Engines require two types of files: the first, called an Acoustic Model, is created by taking a very large number of transcribed speech recordings (called a Speech Corpus) and 'compiling' them into statistical representations of the sounds that make up each word. The second is a Grammar or Language Model. A Grammar is a relatively small file containing sets of predefined combinations of words. A Language Model is a much larger file containing the probabilities of certain sequences of words. Currently, you can easily create a single user Acoustic Model trained to recognize your own voice using open source speech recognition software - it just takes time and patience. VoxForge's main objective is to create multi-user Acoustic Models that can be used without training for: a) telephony IVR (8kHz Acoustic Models); b) desktop command and control (16-48kHz Acoustic Models); and c) dictation (in the future). To achieve this, VoxForge will serve as a repository for transcribed speech audio files that will be used to create continuouslyimproving Acoustic Models (as user contributions are merged into the VoxForge Multi-User Acoustic Model). As more and more transcribed speech data is collected, the creation of single user Acoustic Models will be made easier. This is because users will be able to adapt the VoxForge Multi-User Acoustic Model to recognize their voice, rather than to try to create one from scratch. As even more speech data is obtained, then the VoxForge Multi-User Acoustic Model will be able to recognize speech without needing to be adapted to a particular user's voice. This has been added to World Wide Web Reference Subject TracerTM Information Blog. This has been added to the tools section of Research Resources Subject TracerTM Information Blog.

Microsoft Task Market

http://www.taskmarket.com/

Post a task on Microsoft Task Market and reach skilled freelancers looking to help you with your work. It's quick and easy to post a task. Plus, it's free! Find the help you need to get your design, writing, presentation, spreadsheet and other tasks done for you so you can have more time to run your business. Or connect with businesses across the country and get paid to use your great skills in design, writing, editing, translation, and more. Finding and working on tasks is quick and easy! You can create your own profile and subscribe to e-mail alerts to be notified when tasks that interest you are posted. This has been added to Internet Experts Subject TracerTM Information Blog. This has been added to Entrepreneurial Resources Subject TracerTM Information Blog.



retaggr - Your Profile Card and Tagging People You Know http://www.retaggr.com/

retaggr is about two things: a) displaying your Profile Card so the world can keep up to date with the details you choose, and b) tagging people you know on images anywhere on the web (not just on some social networks). Your profile card is like your business card for the web, except so much more! Aside from your name, bio, and links to your websites, you can add widgets to your card which will be visible to anyone that views your card. What kind of widgets? Recent blog posts, recent tweets from twitter, recent photos, the ability to communicate via MSN/Gtalk/Skype, and more. Explore the widgets on the My Profile Card page for a full list. This has been added to the tools section of Research Resources Subject TracerTM Information Blog.

Cambridge Journal of Regions, Economy and Society

http://cjres.oxfordjournals.org/

Cambridge Journal of Regions, Economy and Society publishes multi-disciplinary international research on the spatial dimensions of contemporary socio-economic-political change. The Journal adopts a focused thematic format. Each issue is devoted to a particular theme selected by the international editorial team. The aim of the Journal is to understand the formative changes and developments associated with the new spatial foundations of todays globalizing world. It also examines how changes in the global economy are playing out across different spatial scales. Authors are encouraged to engage with the public-policy implications of the issues they address. The Journal is keen to encourage articles from a diverse range of theoretical perspectives. The Journal will publish papers that: a) present cutting-edge research; and b) provide incisive critical reviews of the state of the art of the topic or area in question.

oDesk - The On-Demand Global Workforce

http://www.odesk.com/

oDesk enables buyers of services to hire, manage, and pay technology service providers from around the world. Buyers choose oDesk for top global talent, comprehensive management tools, and a flexible hourly payment model. Service Providers choose oDesk for challenging jobs and guaranteed payment. Every day, thousands of buyers and providers work together through oDesk — a unique company at the forefront of reinventing work. The oDesk Mission: a) Build the world's best network of technology service providers through screening, testing, and feedback; and b) Offer the platform that lets buyers successfully hire, manage, and pay service providers from around the world. This has been added to Entrepreneurial Resources Subject TracerTM Information Blog. This has been added to Employment Resources Subject TracerTM Information Blog.



Online Guide to the House and Senate Members of the 110th Congress http://memberguide.gpoaccess.gov/

This online Guide to the House and Senate Members of the 110th Congress is intended to be a single point of access for Member information from several different official sources. Both congressional offices and the public will be able to: a) Access data concerning House and Senate Members from various publications including: the Congressional Pictorial Directory, Congressional Biographical Directory, and the Congressional Directory. These publications can also be found at http://www.gpoaccess.gov/; b) Search for and retrieve individual Members by Name, Hometown, State/Territory, District, Term Count, Bio Data, Birth Date, Place Of Birth, WebSite, Zip Code, Counties/Parishes, Office Building or groups of Members by state, party affiliation, or number of terms; and c) Link to individual Member's corresponding information in the Biographical Directory maintained by the House and Senate and link to individual member web pages. This has been added Reference Resources Subect TracerTM Information Blog.

Clusty Blogs - Meta Blog Search Engine

http://blogs.clusty.com/

Clusty Blogs combines Vivísimo's federated search and clustering capabilities to bring you the best blog search on the web. With one search box you can search and cluster these top blog search engines: a) Blogdigger, b) Blogpulse, c) Feedster, and d) Technorati. You may also search by URL to see which blogs are linking to a particular site and Clusty will automatically send your query to each search engine's link search. This has been added to the tools section of Research Resources Subject TracerTM Information Blog. This has been added to my Bots, Blogs and News Aggregatots presentation resources page. This has been added to eHealthcareBot Meta Search Engine. This has been added to eMarketingBot Meta Search Engine.

BuR - Business Research

http://www.business-research.org/

BuR - Business Research is the Official Open Access Journal of VHB. The VHB is the German Academic Association for Business Research (covering Germany, Austria and Switzerland). The association is dedicated to developing business administration as an academic discipline at universities. Its main objectives are fostering research and education in business administration, as well as providing a platform for networking and interchange among members, related domestic and foreign institutions. The objective of Business Research is to advance business and management studies at all levels worldwide. The journal will publish original papers relating to all aspects of business administration. It is devoted to the improvement and further development of business research. The journal aims at providing high quality and timely feedback and engaging exemplary scholars in the process of identifying and developing innovative and excellent research. The journal's broad scope is designed to cover both traditional fields of business administration and cross-functional, multidisciplinary research that reflects the complex character of business problems. Of particular interest are articles devoted to



developing novel perspectives or exploring new domains of research. Business Research is not tied to any particular subfield, type of analysis, or national context. Content in English.

Emerging Market Economies in Central Asia

http://www.centralasiaproject.de/

This three-year project aims at analyzing the institutional arrangements currently being developed and redefined in Central Asian economies. It expands the Varieties of Capitalism (VoC) research agenda to transition countries in Central Asia; notably Kazakhstan and Uzbekistan, and it is driven by the following goals: a) to contribute in a comparative manner to a better understanding of political-economic developments in Central Asia; b) to further the VoC research agenda by applying the approach to transition economies, notably to Central Asian economies; c) to determine the influence of external actors in the transformation process in Central Asia and to develop relevant policy recommendations; and d) to elaborate the impact of distinct capitalist variations in Central Asia on economic performance – indicated by economic growth, income distribution, and socio-economic indicators. From a theoretical perspective, the research contributes to the wide body of political-economic research examining different capitalist systems. From a policy perspective, the project develops analytical guidelines of institutional development in the countries under investigation, suggests reform proposals, and produces innovative country-specific policy recommendations. The research project is unique in several respects. First, the impact of institutions on economic and social performance in Central Asian countries is analysed in a systemic and comparative way. Secondly, the VoC research has not yet been extended to cover countries from the former Soviet Union. Thirdly, the analysis of Central Asian economies and their institutional settings yields significant contributions to the literature on comparative political economy and the political economy in transition. Finally, the VoC perspective is suitably complemented by approaches of the New Institutional Economics (NIE) and the New Political Economy (NPE) in order to account for institutional change over time in a dynamic context of systemic transition. This has been added to Business Intelligence Resources Subject TracerTM Information Blog.

Kaboodle - Social Shopping Community

http://www.kaboodle.com/

Kaboodle is a social shopping community where people discover, recommend and share products. Kaboodle's powerful shopping tools allow people to organize their shopping through lists, discover new things from people with similar style, get discounts on popular products and find best prices. At the heart of Kaboodle is a fun and engaging community of people who love to shop. Community members create and join groups, share advice, feedback and product suggestions and personalize their profiles with polls and other widgets. Kaboodle was launched in 2006 and has 500,000 registered users and over 6 million monthly visitors. This has been added to ShoppingBots Subject TracerTM Informatin Blog.



TechWeb - Global Leader in Business Technology Media http://www.techweb.com/

TechWeb's mission is also their tagline: The Global Leader in Business Technology Media. TechWeb is an innovative new business that owns the most respected and consumed media brands in the business technology market. Today, more than 13.3 million business technology decision makers – from small to medium business to the largest enterprises, from software developers to global communications and service providers, and from senior IT executives to LOB decision makers across all vertical industries – actively engage with our brands, content, and services. These decision makers spend 202 million minutes a year on their web sites, 6.3 million subscribe to their newsletters, more than 700,000 request their magazines, 400,000 participate in their webcasts, and hundreds of thousands attend their more than 180 global live events. This has been added to World Wide Web Reference Subject TracerTM Information Blog.

Scholarly Research Exchange

http://www.syrexe.com/

Scholarly Research Exchange is a peer-reviewed, open access journal that publishes original research articles in all areas of science, technology, and medicine. In addition to its open access publication model, Scholarly Research Exchange brings a number of important innovations to the traditional scholarly journal publishing system. Most importantly, the journal employs a transparent peer review system in which authors and reviewers interact directly. The names of the reviewers and their assessment of the quality of the manuscript will be published alongside accepted manuscripts. In addition, each of the reviewers can opt for publishing a written commentaryon the manuscript.

Biblia Impex - Indian Tools and Publications

http://www.bibliaimpex.com/

Biblia Impex was started in 1963 to export Indian books and publications to all over the world. Since then their aim has been to provide prompt service in making available all Indian publications worldwide. Shri Sita Ram Goel, a noted writer and scholar, was its founder. Over the years they have established themselves as one of the leading exporters of Indological publications and enjoy a high reputation in both the foreign as well as the domestic markets. They have the proud privilege as being exclusive suppliers to some leading booksellers, scholars as well as Institutional and University Libraries in Japan, Europe and USA. Their newsletters and catalogues include books published from all major Indian publishers as well as Institutions on Hinduism, Buddhism, Jainism, Vedic and Sanskrit literature, Ayurveda, Mathematics, History, Philosophy, Fine Arts, Literature, Linguistics, Life Sciences, Sociology etc. These are mailed on regular intervals to over 1000 addresses. This has been added to Reference Resources Subject TracerTM Information Blog.



How Much Information? (HMI)

http://hmi.ucsd.edu/howmuchinfo.php

What is the rate of new information production each year? Who produces the greatest amounts of information annually? Individuals? Enterprises? Public organizations? And how does growth in North America compare with information growth in other geographies, markets, and people globally? To answer these questions and others, a new How Much Information? (HMI) research program is underway. An updated and expanded study of information growth, conducted by a multi-disciplinary, multi-university team supported by corporate and foundation sponsorship, will complete an update of the 2003 Berkeley report by the end of the year. The 2008 report will be the first in a three-year research program, sponsored by seven companies, AT&T, Cisco, IBM, LSI, Oracle, Seagate and the Palo Alto Research Center (PARC), and spanning three research universities, UC San Diego, MIT and UC Berkeley. The co-principal investigators of the program are Roger Bohn and James Short of UC San Diego. This has been added to Internet Demographics Subject TracerTM Information Blog. This has been added to my Managing Information Overload presentation resource page.

National Center for Complementary and Alternative Medicine (NCCAM) http://nccam.nih.gov/

The National Center for Complementary and Alternative Medicine (NCCAM) is the Federal Government's lead agency for scientific research on complementary and alternative medicine (CAM). They are 1 of the 27 institutes and centers that make up the National Institutes of Health (NIH) within the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services. Their Mission is to: a) Explore complementary and alternative healing practices in the context of rigorous science, b) Train complementary and alternative medicine researchers, and c) Disseminate authoritative information to the public and professionals. NCCAM sponsors and conducts research using scientific methods and advanced technologies to study CAM. CAM is a group of diverse medical and health care systems, practices, and products that are not presently considered to be part of conventional medicine. NCCAM has four primary areas of focus: 1) Advancing scientific research ... They have funded more than 1,200 research projects at scientific institutions across the United States and around the world, b) Training CAM researchers ... They support training for new researchers as well as encourage experienced researchers to study CAM, 3) Sharing news and information ... They provide timely and accurate information about CAM research in many ways, such as through their Web site, their information clearinghouse, fact sheets, Distinguished Lecture Series, continuing medical education programs, and publication databases, and 4) Supporting integration of proven CAM therapies. Their research helps the public and health professionals understand which CAM therapies have been proven to be safe and effective. This has been added to Healthcare Resources Subject TracerTM Information Blog.



WikiBuddy - Wiki Search Engine

http://www.wikibuddv.com/

WikiBuddy - The better way to search Wikipedia, wikiHow, Wiktionary, WikiAnswers, Wikmedia, Wikinews, Wikibooks, Wikiquote, Wikispecies, Wikisource, Wikitravel... This new search engines offer clean pure filtered spam free targeted search results. Tis has been added to the tools section of Research Resources Subject TracerTM Information Blog.

Feedbooks - Free e-Books and More

http://www.feedbooks.com/

Feedbooks is a universal e-paper platform compatible with all e-paper devices where you can download thousands of free e-books, publish and share your own content, and create customized newspapers from RSS feeds and widgets. This has been added to <u>Reference Resources</u> Subject TracerTM Information Blog.

e-journal of Practical Business Research

http://www.e-journal-of-pbr.info/

The e-journal of Practical Business Research publishes selected research papers that have been produced in collaboration with industry partners. Real-life, concrete problems are the main focus in all the papers contained therein. The reader will find that the presented themes and their treatment are very specific. The question of generalisation of results or their transferrability to other similar problems is at the reader's discretion. However, it is precisely this thematic and procedural specification that underlies the special quality of the results. The authors are concerned less with speculations and theorizing, and more with properly extracted facts and concrete solutions. The types of research methods applied comprise a significant aspect of this practical research. Only work that is methodologically lucid fulfills the expected criterion of scientific soundness. This is why every released paper contains a section describing the research methods used and explaining their validity in the problem-solving procedure.

280 Slides - Create and Share Presentations Online

http://280slides.com/

Create beautiful presentations, access them from anywhere, and share them with the world. With 280 Slides, there's no software to download and nothing to pay for – and when you're done building your presentation you can share it any way you like. This has been added to the tools section of <u>Research Resources</u> Subject TracerTM Information Blog.

BioEnergy Research

http://www.springer.com/life+sci/plant+sciences/journal/12155

BioEnergy Research fills a void in the rapidly growing area of feedstock biology research related to biomass, biofuels, and bioenergy. It brings together a unique and broad combination of disciplines that all share a common focus on feedstock biology and science, related, in some way, to biomass, biofeedstock, and bioenergy production. The



journal publishes a wide range of articles, including peer-reviewed scientific research, reviews, perspectives and commentary, industry news, and government policy updates.

CorporateViews (CV) - Entrepreneurship and Relevant Business Tools http://www.corporateviews.com/

CorporateViews (CV) is a free business resource website dedicated to providing information on Entrepreneurship and relevant Business Tools. By providing a simple step-by-step guide on entreprenuership from identifying a strong value proposition to writing a formal business plan, CorporateViews aims to help amateur entrepreneurs improve on their business models and enhance their business operations. Besides Entrepreneurship, CorporateViews also provides relevant information on useful business tools which aid business development, marketing efforts, etc. This information is intended to help individuals kickstart their business ventures. To ensure relevancy of their content, visitors are welcome to give feedback on CorporateViews articles. This has been added to Entrepreneurial Resources Subject TracerTM Information Blog.

July 2008 Zillman Column - World Wide Web Reference Resources

http://columns.virtualprivatelibrary.net/WWWReference_July08_Column.pdf http://www.zillmancolumns.com/ http://www.WWWReference.info/

The July 2008 Zillman Column is now available and is titled **World Wide Web Reference Resources**. This July 2008 column is a comprehensive list of reference sources and sites about the World Wide Web including associated and related online resources that are available over the Internet. These resources and sources will help you to discover the many pathways available to you through the Internet for obtaining and locating the reference resources and sources for the World Wide Web. Download this excellent 47 page free .pdf (1.03MB) column today and start your cyber journey into the latest and greatest World Wide Web references!

VideoHound's Golden Movie Retriever (VGMR)

http://www.movieretriever.com/

Since the early 1990s, Gale and now Gale Cengage Learning - a world leader in e-research and educational publishing - has published VideoHound's Golden Movie Retriever (VGMR), a massive, groundbreaking guide to movies on VHS and DVD. Featuring over 28,000 movie reviews, on films ranging from the popular to the downright obscure, VGMR offers an informed, irreverent take on the movie industry and stands as THE definitive guide for both hardcore film freaks and those who consider themselves merely film-curious. The Hound rates movies from 4 Bones (pick of the litter, think The Godfather) to "WOOF!" (baddest of the bad, think Weekend at Bernie's 2) and brings together a collection of ridiculously comprehensive indexes, which (aside from growing exponentially each year like the Blob) allow readers to delve deeper into the movie-verse from a multitude of angles. VGMR is most famous for our Category and Series indexes, an astounding collection of cross-references that enable readers to look up movies based on thousands of categories, including specific themes, subjects, locations, settings, or



even more esoteric insanity, like movies that feature "Nuns with Guns," "Exploding Fish Tanks," "Alien Cops," or "Flatulence," to name a few. And, as a bonus, with so much knowledge captured within its hallowed pages, VideoHound's Golden Movie Retriever is perfect for use as a booster seat, bullet-proof vest, step-stool, car-pool buddy, fertility idol booby-trap weight-substitute (Indiana Jones only), surrogate father-figure, bludgeon, and 2000% of your recommended daily fiber. This has been added to the tools section of Research Resources Subject TracerTM Information Blog.

BuddyFetch - Find New Friends On the Internet

http://www.buddyfetch.com/

BuddyFetch is a search engine that allows people to search for fellow IM, social networking, and Internet dating users. BuddyFetch searches multiple providers: 43 Things, AIM, BEBO, BlackPlanet, BlogTalkRadio, Blurty, Book Glutton, BookOfMatches, BuzzNet, Cafe Mom, CamFrog, CEO World, Change Everything, Classroom 2.0, Couch Surfing, Daily Motion, del.icio.us, Deviant Art, Digg, Espin, Facebook, Flickr, Flixster, Fotki, Fotolog, FriendFeed, Friendster, Good Reads, Google Talk, Greatest Journal, HI5, Hot or Not, ICQ Messenger, Idealist, IMEEM, IMVU, Jabber Messenger, Jaiku, LastFM, LavaPlace, LiveJournal, LoudFusion, Mashable, Massify, Meetup, MocoSpace, MSN Messenger, Myspace, NetLog, Nextcat, Nexus Radio, OkCupid, Paltalk, PlentyofFish, Pownce, Should Do This, Skype, Slide, Snockles, Social Splash, Stickam, StumbleUpon, Tagged, TagWorld, Take Part, Tickle, Travel Buddy, Tribe, Tumblr, Twitter, Urban Chat, Veoh, VOX, WAYN, Webdate, WebShots, Xanga, Yahoo Personals, YahooIM, Yelp, YouTube, Yuku, Zooped, Zwinky. This has been added to Finding People Subject TracerTM Inforkation Blog.

Particuology

http://www.elsevier.com/locate/partic

Particuology, an international bimonthly journal, is jointly sponsored by Chinese Society of Particuology and Institute of Process Engineering, Chinese Academy of Sciences, and published by Elsevier B. V. and Science Press. The word Particuology was coined to parallel the technical terminology for the science and technology of particles by combining the Latin prefix particula for particles and the Greek suffix logia denoting subject of study, which covers all related branches of the physical sciences including mathematics and spans a wide range of industries to include chemical, petrochemical, agricultural, food, pharmaceutical, mineral processing,

advanced materials, energy, and the environment. This journal purports to present the best papers in research, engineering and application in the overall field of particuology, including particle characterization, particle preparation, aerosol, fluidization and ultrafine particles, and ranging from the molecular level to the systems level. The Editors particularly welcome contributions on newly emerging topics that fall within the broad scope of particuology. Core topics are: aerosol science and technology, colloids and colloid interface, nanotechnology, crystallization and precipitation, multiphase flow, granular flow, CFD, discrete element simulation, fluidization technology, bulk solids technology, material science and engineering, pharmaceutical and bio- and medical



technology, soft matter, food, healthcare and personal-care products, food, coatings, ceramics, emulsions, filled and functional polymers, minerals, pigments, printable pastes, sensors and catalysts, modeling and simulation of particle systems, non-intrusive measurement, in-situ particle measurement, environmental system, multi-scale analysis, visualization.

National Guideline ClearinghouseTM (NGC)

http://www.guideline.gov/

The National Guideline ClearinghouseTM (NGC) is a comprehensive database of evidence-based clinical practice guidelines and related documents. NGC is an initiative of the Agency for Healthcare Research and Quality (AHRQ), U.S. Department of Health and Human Services. NGC was originally created by AHRQ in partnership with the American Medical Association and the American Association of Health Plans (now America's Health Insurance Plans [AHIP]). The NGC mission is to provide physicians, nurses, and other health professionals, health care providers, health plans, integrated delivery systems, purchasers and others an accessible mechanism for obtaining objective, detailed information on clinical practice guidelines and to further their dissemination, implementation and use. Key components of NGC include: a) Structured abstracts (summaries) about the guideline and its development; 2) Links to full-text guidelines, where available, and/or ordering information for print copies; 3) Palm-based PDA Downloads of the Complete NGC Summary for all guidelines represented in the database; 4) A Guideline Comparison utility that gives users the ability to generate sideby-side comparisons for any combination of two or more guidelines; 5) Unique guideline comparisons called Guideline Syntheses prepared by NGC staff, compare guidelines covering similar topics, highlighting areas of similarity and difference. NGC Guideline Syntheses often provide a comparison of guidelines developed in different countries, providing insight into commonalities and differences in international health practices; 6) An electronic forum, NGC-L for exchanging information on clinical practice guidelines, their development, implementation and use; 7) An Annotated Bibliography database where users can search for citations for publications and resources about guidelines, including guideline development and methodology, structure, evaluation, and implementation; and 8) An Expert Commentary feature written/reviewed by the NGC/NQMC Editorial Board. This has been added to Healthcare Resources Subject TracerTM Information Blog.

WordHustler - One Click to Your Publishing Destiny

http://www.wordhustler.com/

WordHustler is a service for writers that takes the pain out of the process of publishing. They offer a database of over 3,000 writing opportunities including publishers, agents, contests and more. But they don't stop there. After you've found the perfect market you can submit your manuscript in a single click. WordHustler will print, ship, and track your manuscript so you can get back to what you are supposed to be doing: writing. This has been added to the tools section of Research Resources Subject TracerTM Information Blog.



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Browse through the most popular titles, recommendations, or recent reviews from their visitors. Perhaps you'll find something interesting in the special collections. There are 20,835 eBooks available here and they're all free! This has been added to Reference Resources Subject TracerTM Information Blog.

SZTAKI Desktop Grid

http://desktopgrid.hu/

Desktopgrid.hu has been set up by the Computer and Automation Research Institute (SZTAKI) of the Hungarian Academy of Sciences (MTA). It is intended to introduce you the SZTAKI Desktop Grid. With SZTAKI Desktop Grid you can easily gain significant processing power for all of your computing intensive applications. Desktop grids allow vast number of single PCs to be connected in a grid-like system, adding up their processing power. Desktop grid systems are currently serving several cutting edge research areas, like cancer- research or searching for extraterrestrial intelligence. On the pages of desktopgrid.hu you will get yourself familiar with the two distinguished use of the Berkeley Open Infrastructure for Network Computing (BOINC) software platform, described herein: a) SZTAKI Desktop Grid is basically a BOINC server packed in a Debian® package, to make server deployment as easy as possible. The SZTAKI Desktop Grid package is the main software component of a public, worldwide accessible desktop grid system. To effectively aid massive number of participants an extensive website component is part of this package; and b) Local SZTAKI Desktop Grid is also a BOINC server packed in a Debian® package, that focuses on local applications - like companies or university departments - providing them the flexibility of a desktop grid in a safe environment. In a local environment a system administrator supervises the server as well as the clients. The Local SZTAKI Desktop Grid package is a BOINC server without the public web interface, to be deployed in a local environment. Multiple Local SZTAKI Desktop Grids can be connected to cooperate in a hierarchy of desktop grids. This has been added to Grid Resources Subject TracerTM Information Blog.

Biomedical and Environmental Sciences (BES)

http://www.besjournal.com/

http://www.sciencedirect.com/science/journal/08953988

Biomedical and Environmental Sciences (BES) is an international English scientific periodical jointly established by Chinese Center for Disease Control and Prevention (China CDC) and the Coulston International Corporation (CIC), USA in 1988, which is published bimonthly and distributed both in China and abroad. The editorial office is based in the headquarters of China CDC. BES publishes research papers submitted from China and other countries in the areas of biomedical and environmental sciences, which cover public health virology, microbiology, epidemiology, parasitology, nutrition, toxicology, pharmacology, environmental health, chemistry, biological and toxicological effects of hazardous substances including environmental pollutants, food additives, pesticides and industrial chemicals as well as methodological



research, including chemical, biochemical, pathological and immunological methods. Experimental studies on natural and synthetic pollutants of the distribution, metabolic characteristics, and their impact on human health are also included. Research on preventive medicine and public health are also welcomed.

Confusing Words Database

http://www.confusingwords.com/

Confusing Words is a collection of 3210 words that are troublesome to readers and writers. Words are grouped according to the way they are most often confused or misused. Some of these words are homonyms (words that sound alike but are spelled differently) and some are just commonly confused. This has been added to Reference Resources Subject TracerTM Information Blog.

Research Information Network (RIN)

http://www.rin.ac.uk/

The Research Information Network (RIN) was set up in 2005 for an initial period of three years by a consortium of UK sponsors: the four Higher Education funding bodies, the three National Libraries, and the seven Research Councils. This support has now been extended by a further three years, until the middle of 2011. The RIN's fundamental role is to undertake evidence-based research into information and data issues that relate to professional researchers – and particularly academic researchers – and to develop policy, guidance and advocacy on that basis. The RIN's work and remit covers all disciplines and subjects, and similarly a wide range of information sources, providers and types. It includes published books and serials; manuscripts; museum collections; grey literature; sounds and images; and datasets produced and held in a wide range of formats. The framework for the RIN's activities is set out in its Business Plan. This has been added to Research Resources Subject TracerTM Information Blog.

SHERPA - Open Access Institutional Repositories

http://www.sherpa.ac.uk/

The original SHERPA partnership was formed for the SHERPA project (2002-2006) and drew from research-led universities with an active interest in establishing an example of a then-new concept - an open access institutional repository. After a year, the original 7 development partners were joined by 6 more partners to form a partnership of 21 individual institutions. They now have 26 institutions overall, consisting of 24 HE institutions, the British Library and the AHDS. SHERPA achieved its original goals ahead of schedule and within budget and has been an active presence on the developing field of institutional repository use. The partnership has now gone on to collaborate in a number of other open access projects. The partnership is a large and varied consortium and has within its membership a range of examples of repository environments and institutional structures. The partners are all research-led institutions, all with practical experience of building and populating eprint repositories. As such they are well placed to take full advantage of the facilities that eprint repositories and extended-data repositories can offer. This strong and varied consortial background offers the ideal environment for



exploring and testing ideas for repository development, which can be evaluated and disseminated to the wider community. SHERPA is investigating issues in the future of scholarly communication. It is developing open-access institutional repositories in universities to facilitate the rapid and efficient worldwide dissemination of research. SHERPA Services include: a) RoMEO - Publisher's copyright & archiving policies, b) JULIET - Research funders archiving mandates and guidelines, c) OpenDOAR worldwide Directory of Open Access Repositories, and d) SHERPA Search - simple full-text search of UK repositories. This has been added to Research Resources Subject TracerTM Information Blog.

International Journal of Knowledge Management (IJKM) http://www.igi-global.com/journals/details.asp?id=4288

The primary objective of the International Journal of Knowledge Management (IJKM) is to provide a comprehensive cross discipline forum for advancing the understanding of the organizational, technical, human, and cognitive issues associated with the creation, capture, transfer and use of knowledge in organizations. The secondary objective of this Journal is to share knowledge among researchers and practitioners with respect to the design, development, implementation and maintenance of effective knowledge management systems. The journal publishes high quality empirical and theoretical research covering all aspects of knowledge management. In addition to full-length research manuscripts, the journal publishes insightful research and practice notes as well as case studies from all areas of knowledge management. The International Journal of Knowledge Management (IJKM) strives to cover all aspects of the knowledge management discipline, from organizational issues to technology support to knowledge representation. High quality submissions are encouraged using any qualitative or quantitative research methodology. Submissions are especially encouraged covering the following topics:

- * Cognitive theories of knowledge management and organizational memory
- * Basic theories associated with knowledge creation, knowledge management, and organizational memory
- * Use of semantic networks, topic maps, the Internet, digital documents, XML, taxonomies, ontologies, and other technologies to implement knowledge management systems
- * Organizational culture impacts on knowledge management
- * Design of information and communication systems that facilitate knowledge transfer and sharing
- * Enablers and inhibitors of knowledge sharing and knowledge transfer behaviors
- * Knowledge transfer and sharing behaviors within emergent organizational forms such as virtual communities
- * Knowledge reuse in organizations
- * Organizational and economic incentive structures for knowledge sharing and use
- * Knowledge acquisition and transfer processes
- * Case studies of knowledge management and organizational memory systems



- * Metrics and effectiveness of knowledge management and organizational memory systems
- * Knowledge management in small and medium enterprises
- * Methodologies and processes for developing Knowledge Management Systems
- * Global issues in knowledge management and organizational memory
- * Knowledge management strategy
- * Issues related to the capture, storage, search, retrieval, and use of knowledge and organizational memory
- * Knowledge management training issues
- * Organizational learning

This has been added to Knowledge Discovery Subject TracerTM Information Blog.

Open J-Gate - World's Largest Open Access English Language Journals Portal http://www.openj-gate.com/

Open J-Gate is an electronic gateway to global journal literature in open access domain. Launched in 2006, Open J-Gate is the contribution of Informatics (India) Ltd to promote OAI. Open J-Gate provides seamless access to millions of journal articles available online. Open J-Gate is also a database of journal literature, indexed from 4386 open access journals, with links to full text at Publisher sites. Open J-Gate Features and Benefits: a) Portal with the largest number of e-journals ... Open J-Gate indexes articles from 4386 academic, research and industry journals. In that 2366 of them are peerreviewed scholarly journals; b) Links to one million+ open access articles ... This number is growing with 300000+ new articles added every year. Full-text links are regularly validated; c) Constant updating ... The Open J-Gate site is updated every day, d) Well designed journal classification ... All journals are classified in a three-level hierarchical system to provide for better relevancy in search results; e) Table of Content (TOC) Browsing ... Users can browse the TOC of latest issue and the back issues; and f) Easyto-Use search functionalities ... Database allows various search options for the user's convenience. The subscriber can search by Title, Author, Abstract, Author's Address/Institution, Keywords, etc. This has been added to the tools section of Research Resources Subject TracerTM Information Blog. This has been added to Academic and Scholar Search Engines and Sources white paper.

Bio Economy - Envisioning the Future Economy

http://www.economyweb.com/bio economy.htm

The Bioeconomy is an economy that is based on ecological sensitive products and services produced by the use of biotechnology and renewable energy sources. An economy where the basic building blocks for industry and the raw materials for energy are derived from plant/crop-based (i.e. renewable) sources. The evolution of the biotechnology industry and its application to agriculture, health, chemical or energy industries is the best example of bioeconomic activity. This has been added to Biotechnology Resources Subject TracerTM Information Blog.



Citation Statistics Report from the International Mathematical Union http://www.mathunion.org/Publications/Report/CitationStatistics

The International Mathematical Union released the Citation Statistics report. Citation-based statistics, such as the impact factor, are often used to assess scientific research, but are they the best measures of research quality? Three international mathematics organizations have today released a report, Citation Statistics, on the use of citations in assessing research quality – a topic that is of increasing interest throughout the world's scientific community. The report is written from a mathematical perspective and strongly cautions against the over-reliance on citation statistics such as the impact factor and hindex. These are often promoted because of the belief in their accuracy, objectivity, and simplicity, but these beliefs are unfounded. Among the report's key findings:

- *Statistics are not more accurate when they are improperly used; statistics can mislead when they are misused or misunderstood.
- * The objectivity of citations is illusory because the meaning of citations is not well-understood. A citation's meaning can be very far from "impact".
- * While having a single number to judge quality is indeed simple, it can lead to a shallow under-standing of something as complicated as research. Numbers are not inherently superior to sound judgments.

The report promotes the sensible use of citation statistics in evaluating research and points out several common misuses. It is written by mathematical scientists about a widespread application of mathematics. While the authors of the report recognize that assessment must be practical and that easily-derived citation statistics will be part of the process, they caution that citations provide only a limited and incomplete view of research quality. Research is too important, they say, to measure its value with only a single coarse tool. The report was commissioned by the International Mathematical Union (IMU) in cooperation with the International Council on Industrial and Applied Mathematics (ICIAM), and the Institute of Mathematical Statistics (IMS). It draws upon a broad literature on the use of citation data to evaluate research, including articles on the impact factor (the most common citation-based statistic) and the h-index along with its many variants. The work was also based on practices as reported from mathematicians and other scientists from around the world. This has been added to Research Resources Subject TracerTM Information Blog.

Cognitive Processing: International Quarterly of Cognitive Science http://www.springer.com/biomed/neuroscience/journal/10339

Cognitive Processing -- International Quarterly of Cognitive Science is a peer-reviewed international journal that publishes innovative contributions in the multidisciplinary field of cognitive science. Its first aim is to present the latest results obtained in the manifold disciplines concerned with the different aspects of cognitive processing in natural and artificial systems: artificial intelligence, computer science and knowledge engineering,



linguistics, mathematics, neuroscience, philosophy and cognitive anthropology, psychology, robotics. Its main purpose is to stimulate research and scientific interaction through communication between specialists in different fields on topics of common interest and to promote an interdisciplinary understanding of the diverse topics in contemporary cognitive science. Cognitive Processing considers diverse subject matter concerning cognitive processing, accepting various approaches to investigation: theoretical, experimental, methodological, computational and modeling, applicative. A tentative list of topics includes: action; attention; cognitive change and optimization; computation in cognitive science; connectionist approaches; expertise; knowledge acquisition; knowledge representation; language (grammar and semantics, discourse analysis, development, disturbances); mental architectures and models; memory; mind design; multimedia databases; perception and pattern recognition. Cognitive Processing publishes papers under the following rubrics:

- * Reviews are invited papers broadly discussing the same problem from the point of view of neuroscience and computer science;
- * Research Reports are communications about the latest scientific results;
- * communications about technological applications of scientific research as well as important upcoming results from research in progress that require immediate publication are published as Letters to the Editor;
- * Laboratory Notes are brief, general presentations of the activities in scientific laboratories.

SouthEast Asian Images & Texts

http://digicoll.library.wisc.edu/SEAiT/

SouthEast Asian images & Texts brings together, in digital form, two categories of primary and secondary resources: research and teaching materials collected by University of Wisconsin faculty and staff; and unique or valuable items related to these fields held by the University of Wisconsin Libraries. This collection contains digitized images, including photographs and slides, that librarians, scholars, and other subject specialists have deemed important. Images relevant to these fields of study will be added to the collection on an ongoing basis. It is hoped that the search features of the collection will be a convenient aid to scholarship, study, and teaching of these disciplines. This has been added to Reference Resources Subject TracerTM Information Blog.

Glassdoor.com - See What Employees Are Saying

http://www.glassdoor.com/index.htm

Glassdoor.com is a career and workplace community where anyone can find and anonymously share real-time reviews, ratings and salary details about specific jobs for specific employers — all for free. What sets them apart is that all our information comes from the people who know these companies best — employees. In the spirit of



community, they ask their users to share with each other. That is, before you can access all of the information shared by others in the Glassdoor community, they first ask that you post an anonymous review or salary of your own. By working together to offer an inside look at companies, they can open access and bring greater transparency to information in one of the most important parts of our lives — our work. This has been added to Employment Resources Subject TracerTM Information Blog. This has been added to Business Intelligence Resources Subject TracerTM Information Blog.

Postgenomic - Aggregator of Science Blogs

http://www.postgenomic.com/

Postgenomic collects posts from hundreds of science blogs and then does useful and interesting things with that data. For Readers: Keep up to date with hot papers. Find new science blogs. Track stories as they break. For Bloggers: Reach a bigger audience. Enable trackbacks, most popular post widgets and more. Post reviews, research and conference reports. For Publishers: See which books and papers bloggers are talking about. Find experts. This has been added to the tools section of Research Resources Subject TracerTM Information Blog. This has been added to Internet Experts Subject TracerTM Information Blog.

Tropical Conservation Science (TCS)

http://www.tropicalconservationscience.org/

The main objective of Tropical Conservation Science (TCS) is to bring to light, via publication of short papers results of research relating to conservation of tropical forests and of other tropical ecosystems. The e-journal is a peer-reviewed open access journal that publishes original research papers and state-of-the-art reviews of broad interest to the field of conservation of tropical forests and of other tropical ecosystems. Short turnaround time from submission to publication is an important feature of the journal. The ejournal intends to stimulate publications directed to conservation problems as they relate to the impact of social, economic, sociopolitical, industrial and other drivers of tropical forest loss on the distribution and conservation of other tropical ecosystems. Equally important to the e-journal is to stimulate publication of research aimed at mapping. tracking and assessing drivers of tropical /ecosystem conservation. The e-journal aims at becoming a forum for setting forth perspectives and analysis of contrasting concepts and data regarding approaches to tropical ecosystem conservation. The e-journal attempts to provide a channel of communication between scientists and practitioners and between these and the public at large on tropical conservation. Tropical Conservation Science will publish three types of papers: Research Articles, Conservation Letters and Short Communications. Articles will be regular technical papers and/or synopsis/reviews of particular topics. Letters would be non-traditional papers and could have as a central theme something like "critical thinking," whether it is a taxonomic, conservation policy, ecological, physiological or historical article. Letters would aim to be a bit edgy and promote thinking by moving into the next paradigm even when traditional journals refuse to move there. Such approach could promote discussions, disagreements and advances in



thinking. TCS will consider manuscripts in English, Spanish, Portuguese, French, German and Chinese.

Cogmap - Wikipedia of Organization Charts

http://www.cogmap.com/

Cogmap is the Wikipedia of organization charts. We are an organization chart wiki! This means that it is a collection of organization charts online that anyone can edit, add to, and help maintain. Cogmap is a tool for sales people, entrepreneurs, and recruiters to understand organizations and keep information up to date. This has been added to Entrepreneurial Resources Subject TracerTM Information Blog. This has been added to Business Intelligence Resources Subject TracerTM Information Blog.

EPSRC Digital Repositories e-Science Network

http://www.dresnet.net/

The proposed Network is motivated by the potential for synergy between two fields of technology and technique, e-Science and Digital Repositories, and the benefits that will be obtained by increasing interaction and cooperation between researchers and practitioners in these fields. This was recognised by the keynote speech of Tony Hey at the Open Repositories 2007 conference. Tony Hey, currently VP of External Research at Microsoft Research, and former Director of the UK e-Science Core Programme, called for an integration of repositories into the new scholarly life cycle envisioned in e-Research. The digital material generated from and used by academic and other research is to an increasing extent being held in formally managed digital repositories. In many cases, these systems are used currently to hold relatively simple objects, for example an institution's pre-prints and publications, or e-theses. However, some institutions are beginning to use them to manage research data in a variety of disciplines, including physical sciences, social sciences, and the arts and humanities, in part as a result of various programmes funded by the JISC. Repositories are changing not only in the type of content that they hold, but also in the ways they are used. A major motivation in setting up and populating digital repositories has been (and is) to make the results of research available to a wider audience, by encouraging or in some cases mandating deposit and open access principles. Repository software is, however, becoming more sophisticated, allowing complex digital content to be stored in such a way that its internal structure and external context can be explicitly represented, managed and exposed. A particular feature of the proposed Network is that it will operate across disciplines, including the arts, humanities and social sciences as well as the sciences in the narrower sense, as the technologies addressed are trans-disciplinary. They will strive to encourage inter-disciplinary contacts and collaborations, and to facilitate the transfer of knowledge and expertise gained within one discipline to other fields. Moreover, given the range of potential applications of the technologies, they do not expect interest in the Network to be restricted to the academic world, but also to include non-academic institutions. Consequently, they will encourage industrial participants, including commercial companies, cultural heritage organisations (e.g. museums, art galleries, and historic



libraries), the media, and public/government bodies. This has been added to Research Resources Subject TracerTM In formation Blog.

PipelineDeals - Simple CRM Sales Tools

http://www.pipelinedeals.com/

PipelineDeals is a CRM solution built on top of Amazon EC2 and S3's state-of-the-art, 7/24 reliable infrastructure. PipelineDeals is about delivering on the promise of providing the minimum necessary software to make a company's sales process as efficient as possible. They are about Simple CRM for Big Business. Whether you are a big business or aspire to be one. They can help you manage and track your sales pipeline resulting in more closed deals. Their solution is 100% web-based which means you have nothing to download and nothing to update. They take care of storing your data, backing up your data and keeping your data secure. PipelineDeals is designed by a sales agent for a sales agent. PipelineDeals offers the simplest and most intuitive solution to help businesses get organized around their business's lifeline of future revenue. Part customer relationship management (CRM) software, part sales tracking, part lead tracking all wrapped into a super simple interface, PipelineDeals provides a real choice in the hosted CRM software market. Sales people are wired to work with other people, not drive software. At PipelineDeals, they understand that businesses today need to spend less time using software and more time on growing their business. This has been added to Entrepreneurial Resources Subject TracerTM Information Blog.

International Journal of Technology and Human Interaction (IJTHI) http://www.igi-global.com/journals/details.asp?id=4290

The International Journal of Technology and Human Interaction (IJTHI) provides a platform for leading research that addresses issues of human and technology interaction. The research that the journal intends to publish should therefore be interdisciplinary and include aspects from a wide variety of disciplines. These disciplines range from more technical ones such as computer science, engineering, or information systems to nontechnical descriptions of technology and human interaction from the point of view of sociology or philosophy. Apart from aiming to be interdisciplinary the journal will also aspire to provide a publication outlet for research questions and approaches that are novel and may find it difficult to be published in established journals following a rigid and exclusive structure. It is open to all research paradigms, be they empirical or conceptual, but requires that they be accessible and reflected. We also encourage the submission of high quality syntheses across research in different specialties that are interesting and comprehensible to all members of the IS community and related disciplines. Possible topics include (but are not limited to):

- * Experiential learning though the use of technology in organizations
- * Shaping of e-commerce through law and culture
- * HCI design for trust development
- * The influence of gender on the adoption and use of technology
- * The phenomenology of e-government



- * The value of intellectual capital in knowledge management
- * Questions of computer or information ethics
- * The relationship of theory and practice with regards to technology
- * Ethical aspects of particular technologies, e.g. e-teaching, ERP, etc.
- * Technological risks and their human basis
- * Perceptions and conceptualizations of technology
- * The intersection of humanities and sciences and its impact on technology use
- * The social impact of specific technologies (e.g. biometrics, SCM, PGP,?)
- * Normative questions of the development and use of technology
- * Philosophy of technology
- * Responsibility of Artificial Agents
- * Technology assessment of software / hardware development
- * Interaction and conversion between technologies and their impact on society
- * The social shaping of technology and human interaction research
- * Anthropological consequences of technology use

and all other related issues related to the interaction of technology and humans, either individually or socially.

Awareness WatchTM Paper Review

Key differences between Web 1.0 and Web 2.0 by Gaham Cormode, Balachander Krishnamurthy

http://www.uic.edu/htbin/cgiwrap/bin/ojs/index.php/fm/article/view/2125/1972

Abstract

Web 2.0 is a buzzword introduced in 2003–04 which is commonly used to encompass various novel phenomena on the World Wide Web. Although largely a marketing term, some of the key attributes associated with Web 2.0 include the growth of social networks, bi–directional communication, various 'glue' technologies, and significant diversity in content types. We are not aware of a technical comparison between Web 1.0 and 2.0. While most of Web 2.0 runs on the same substrate as 1.0, there are some key differences. We capture those differences and their implications for technical work in this paper. Our goal is to identify the primary differences leading to the properties of interest in 2.0 to be characterized. We identify novel challenges due to the different structures of Web 2.0 sites, richer methods of user interaction, new technologies, and fundamentally different philosophy. Although a significant amount of past work can be reapplied, some critical thinking is needed for the networking community to analyze the challenges of this new and rapidly evolving environment.



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Grant Resources http://www.GrantResources.info/

Grid Resources http://www.GridResources.info/

Healthcare Resources http://www.HealthcareResources.info/

Information Futures Markets http://www.InformationFutureMarkets.com/

Information Quality Resources http://www.InformationQualityResources.info/

Internet Alerts http://www.InternetAlerts.info/



Internet Demographics http://www.InternetDemographics.info/

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Military Resources http://www.MilitaryResources.info/

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Privacy Resources http://www.PrivacyResources.info/

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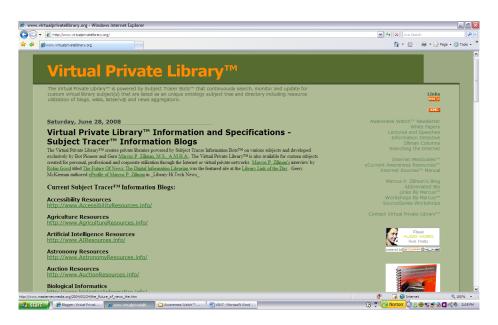


Figure 1: Virtual Private LibraryTM

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