








Social Media Explosion

Using Social Media & Getting To Know Facebook

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Social Media A to Z

As promised, this section is going to introduce you to social bookmarking which is going to be one of the ways that you truly start increasing traffic to your website.

You'll find a ton of introductory information as well as some intermediate discussion throughout this text. As I mentioned in the introduction, make sure that you read this section so that you can gain the most benefit from this book.

Social bookmarking is based on the concept of sharing information on the web, and has evolved rapidly with the growth of the internet communities and interactive sites. As more people turn to websites to learn, research, and even read the latest news, the ability to track and monitor this behavior is becoming even easier.

Collective intelligence is leading the wave of sharing information based on specific keywords and subjects, and can help marketers and business owners in many ways. Today's social networking sites are incorporating many social bookmarking elements into the platform. This allows users to learn even more about each other, and is engaging people online by building communities, opening up new networking channels, and giving marketers and business owners a chance to track behavior.

The Wikipedia definition for social bookmarking states: "an activity performed over a computer network that allows users to save and categorize a personal collection of bookmarks and share them with others. Users may also take bookmarks saved by others and add them to their own collection, as well as to subscribe to the lists of others. - a personal knowledge management tool."

Each social bookmarking site is designed differently, but ultimately allows users to create a profile, update their preferences, and share this information with friends and family. Since they are creating this growing network of information, a pattern of tastes and preferences is established—and made publicly available.

This profile is the key element of interest to marketers; it's created with basic registration and in most cases, an e-mail address and login name allow complete access to the social bookmarking platform. The visitor can begin publishing their activity to share with fellow social bookmarkers, and this creates a network of categories.

Discovering and sharing information with keywords in specific topic is what allows social bookmarking networks to grow; as more information is provided, the categories of interest also develop to provide key information.

Digg.com is a perfect example of social bookmarking that is growing rapidly. Users can rate and comment on articles, video content, and podcasts on thousands of topics; the more popular items are posted on the Digg.com front page, while others are rated and logged for the community to review.

While Digg.com is primarily a news site, it is just one example of a valuable social bookmarking network that has developed into a proliferating online community. Any articles or information that is posted on Digg.com has the potential of being viewed by millions of visitors. Getting to the Digg.com front page ensures thousands of page views, all at a very low initial cost. Of course, the information that reaches this level must be valuable to Digg.com readers; since the votes are all user-generated, it allows anyone submitting information to learn about their audience from the ground up.

People Love Building Their Own Bookmarking Pages

The fundamental reason why consumers build social bookmarking profiles is to create an identity to share. After doing so, they are able to interact on social networking sites on a regular basis, and marketers can use this behavior to their advantage by:

- Monitoring their favorite brands
- Reading about new products
- Learning about competitor products
- Identifying with other users
- Seeing what friends and family find interesting
- Finding out what the latest trends are
- Identifying new products to purchase

In order to create a profile on many of today's leading social bookmarking sites, a user simply creates a screen name, login information, and possibly uploads a picture. Depending on the theme of the site, the user will then go ahead and 'upload' the relevant information such as links or products to their profile pages. After that, they can become a part of a community.

Community members and leaders rise to the top 'ranks' of the site based on a variety of factors including:

- Level of activity
- User feedback
- Number of products reviewed or discussions created
- Popularity within the community
- Number of fans

In many ways, social bookmarking is considered to be a form of collective intelligence. Collective intelligence based on a few trends in the marketplace, news, or other information can provide very important data to a third party observer. Filtering data has become even more important today as it provides insights and information on direct experiences with many of the goods and services available in the marketplace.

Planning Social Media Into Your Site

Social media offers the latest roundup of online technologies that is based on the concept of community. Sharing opinions, posting comments, participating in discussion boards, and simply exchanging media files are all facets of social media on the web today, and social bookmarking and networking are just a couple of these online activities.

Knowing how to develop your website so that it is conducive to social media applications can help you interact with your customers in a variety of new ways, and ultimately, lead to the traffic levels you desire. Increased traffic is a necessary result of innovation, and attractive websites that encourage user interaction are making the business of marketing much easier.

Social media sites encourage users to set up a profile and interact with other community members. Communities and niche channels develop organically, with limited effort from a company or site owner. By joining some of these networks as a business entity, you can create a valuable presence with a variety of customers and find out what they are most interested in.

Submitting valuable articles and content, and then sharing it in a niche community, is an excellent way to create a positive presence in the world of social media, but there are some specific steps involved when publishing on the web. SEO- friendly content is not the only way to develop a presence, as there is an element of interacting with community members involved as well.

But why is social media so important in your everyday business and marketing efforts? What role does it play in reaching your target market?

These are both questions that many website owners and businesses ask, and determining the effectiveness of social media will be a part of your internet marketing strategy.

Social media is quickly becoming one of the web's fastest growing online activities, a place for customers in a variety of markets and niche communities to learn, educate others, and interact with other buyers. As a result, it is in your best interest to track and gauge different patterns. Consider social media just one channel to accurately gauge your customer's interests, tastes, and preferences.

Each contributor is essentially volunteering testimonials on products, likes, dislikes, and other information that was once only available from direct market surveys or interviews. Social media platforms offer you some insight on what the customer truly wants at any given time.

Developing your website so that it uses at least two to three of today's leading social media technologies can help boost traffic with less and less direct marketing efforts. Consider the value for social media activities such as:

- Wikipedia
- Social networking communities
- Video sharing
- Virtual reality and events
- Online audio episodes
- Livecasting
- Media sharing

Wikipedia Explained

Wikipedia is quickly becoming a valuable way for businesses to attract fresh visitors, simply through educating and informing them on a specific subject. Developing an article with your business link, and then submitting it to a Wikipedia directory, can easily help you reach a variety of targeted visitors who have a specific interest in your subject. The only effort you need to make in this case is to provide a quality article or material, and submit it to the appropriate category on Wikipedia.

Wikipedia receives thousands, even millions of web visitors each day. Simply creating one link to your information can be all it takes to reach a wider audience. In the event that a visitor finds the information especially useful, you have the chance to join a social bookmarking network as well; social bookmarkers are always looking for valuable content to link to and submit, and you have a chance to join a new community with each submission as a result.

Social Networking Sites

Social networking communities offer another opportunity to join the social media channels. Every effort you make to identify your brand and web presence can be increased tenfold when you join a consumer-driven and user-generated community such as Facebook, Instagram, LinkedIn, or other social networking platform. These sites encourage regular interaction in a casual and conversational style; although you won't be submitting specific articles or content, you will be growing your brand presence with your users. In addition, you can use the Search features on any of these sites to narrow down your target market.

This Big Time – Video Sites

Video sharing can work well in conjunction with your article and content submissions, and is becoming especially popular with social bookmarkers. Creating and publishing videos to deliver a message can easily be picked up by many social bookmarkers and shared instantly; the idea is to create something unique and creative so that more people are driven to view it—and ultimately, head back to your website!

Interactive Sites With A Focus On Events

Virtual reality and events are another way to attract new viewers to your website, and can create an instant impact with other marketing efforts. If you submit a press release about your event or the latest innovations on your website to different social bookmarking networks, the chances of increased exposure are much higher.

Making sure all of your submissions are tagged and indexed in the right categories will help you create a strong presence in the community; essentially, you are notifying your community of the upcoming event or news in press release form. If you catch onto a trend or other newsworthy subject, you can gain instant favor on a variety of social bookmarking communities such as Digg, Technorati, or Reddit. This is a great example of buzz marketing at its best, and can benefit your website promotion efforts in multiple ways.

Podcasting

Developing online audio episodes of content is quickly becoming a popular activity for bloggers and website owners, and including this type of media on your website can help you promote your work in a new way. The immediate attraction of audio on your website can also be submitted to social bookmarking sites and other media channels, and once you have a system in place for publishing these files on your site, you can start sharing the link on a regular basis. Sites including Digg and Technorati now have a section for podcasts and audio files; more people are becoming interested in simply listening than reading, and you can begin to reach a much wider market by taking advantage of this trend.

Streaming Media

If you have a business or website that can create news, tips, or advice, then Livecasting may be another opportunity for you. These segments of online video are designed to share an idea, showcase an event, or even stage a seminar. The idea is to generate enough interested users who 'join' the session from anywhere; livecasts are online events that can be used to generate buzz. A press release that highlights the event can easily be submitted to social bookmarking sites and directories for instant exposure.

Distributing Files

Media sharing is one of the precursors to social bookmarking and networking, developing from the concept of photo sharing and music exchanges. As these sites have grown, more people are learning to share and create profiles so that they can fit into different communities naturally. [Flickr](#) this is just ONE example, and you can create a small profile of your own to join. Always remember to include all ink back to your main website, as this will be the ultimate driver of new traffic.

All of these social media platforms offer you an opportunity to establish a presence within a community, and then start to network with other individuals. Always keep in mind that any piece of content that is published on the web has potential for sharing; the link is what will be submitted to social bookmarking directories and networks, and you can work on building a profile of your own, or counting on your customers to do this for you. The goal is to create a valuable and consistent presence in a variety of social media outlets so that the chances of being bookmarked and shared are much higher.

Web 2.0 Explained

Building a network of like-minded users and visitors is the basis of Web 2.0 applications on the web today, and social bookmarking is just one element of this growth. Web 2.0 sites are based on a few key principles that encourage interaction and sharing information with ease. By using tagging and breaking down information into keyword structures, everything is organized in a way that makes it easy to search and find specific information. From blogs to shopping sites, Web 2.0 has allowed new, media-rich applications to serve as platforms for all users. Sites such as Digg.com, StumbleUpon, LinkedIn, ThisNext, and dozens of others are building communities and creating networks.

An Internet Marketers Take

Web 2.0 applications are essentially doing what market research departments have been working on for decades; filtering information on consumers, and segmenting the market. Market segmentation is an essential part of consolidating demographic information, and has often been compiled through surveys, focus groups, and other market research initiatives. Web 2.0 applications allow many marketers to simply skip these steps; if your consumer market is voluntarily sharing information about their tastes, preferences, and other ideas through social bookmarking channels, it becomes much easier to learn and develop new tactics to keep them engaged.

Many industries can gain significant insights and information from experimenting with social bookmarking and networking tools. This concept of creating a knowledge economy is growing rapidly in areas such as:

- Retail banking
- Pharmaceuticals
- Education
- Research and Development
- Communications
- Retail and Shopping

Social bookmarking allows marketers to:

- Segment and augment their market
- Help with branding
- Develop relevant RSS feeds
- Open up a platform for visitor comments
- Monitor and track how specific products perform in the marketplace
- Increase revenues
- Reduce expenses

Social bookmarking is influential, and many sites develop a format where similar products, articles, or items are conveniently located next to the current one for easier navigation. This creates a more enriching experience for the visitor, but also helps track basic preferences for a variety of users. This recommendation concept has been very successful on shopping sites such as Amazon.com, and is gaining speed in multimedia, articles, blogs, and other information hubs as well.

Social Bookmarking And Its Effect On Your Site

In addition to the marketing and branding benefits of participating in a social bookmarking network, there are other benefits involved. The following metrics can be generated as a result of ongoing participation:

- **More Traffic** - articles and submissions posted to social bookmarking sites can be tracked easily
- **More Profits** - customers that are continuously participating in a specific genre or community are more likely to simply buy something through this portal or channel. This gives rise to increased revenue
- **Higher SE Rank** - determining how well a specific product is doing becomes much easier as it reaches the high ranks of a specific community
- **Reduced Costs** - social bookmarking and marketing on the web offer the added benefit of reduced costs. Businesses are more likely to reach a wider audience with minimal effort

Online Promotion

Social bookmarking offers many benefits to bloggers, consumers, and visitors, but there are additional benefits for marketers and businesses owners. Both of these groups can take advantage of a plethora of information readily available. Social bookmarking allows users to share and promote their tastes, preferences, and brand choices. Not only are they doing this without prompting, but there is an element of creating a network with like-minded users involved.

The old ways of conducting market research and finding out more about target markets and customers are long gone; with today's web tools and freely distributed

information, tracking down the target market and identifying new trends has become much easier.

It's interesting to compare and contrast the old and new ways of marketing on the web. When website and internet marketing first became effective, the most common applications included:

- Surveys
- Online newsletters
- Direct e-mail campaigns
- Auto responders
- E-mail collection services
- Visitor feedback through comments

With the surge in Web 2.0 technologies, blogging, and a higher level of interaction on the web, the focus has shifted to interaction and community building. As a result, the most common applications for marketers on the web today include:

- Blogging
- Social networking
- Wiki-style site building
- Online chat
- Vlogging
- Online events
- Social bookmarking networks

By seeing exactly what consumers are looking for online, a business or marketing team can even increase their own exposure in the right channels. Branding by increasing exposure is an excellent way to cut costs on marketing budgets; social bookmarking is an inexpensive way to simply 'insert' and include a brand in a growing consumer activity.

At a very basic level, social bookmarking allows users to create a profile and share information. When building a profile, users are looking for other people with similar interests. Any business or brand can create an identity and join various communities. By doing so, they can reach well beyond their target market and join various networks after a few simple steps.

It's easy to attract and maintain a steady presence by using the following guidelines when developing a submission:

- Make the content easy to read and understand
- Offer useful tools
- Use keywords
- Make the best use of tagging so users can find information with ease

The Basics Of Tagging

A large number of websites are implementing tagging systems in an effort to control and organize the information on their site, and categorize various pieces of data. A tag is a relevant keyword or term associated with a specific piece of information; it can be used to describe or represent a picture, media file, article, or product and is used by social bookmarking sites to organize and categorize the data.

In most cases, each media file or piece of information will have one or more tags associated with it. Tags are essentially a way for categorizing data, and are the critical first steps in developing a niche subject. Even though there may be some contextual issues involved with specific keywords, most tags become a part of a collaborative effort to organize all data available.

After collecting and organizing this data, the following options exist:

- Facilitating networking
- Analyzing source tags and keywords (essential for article marketing)
- Increasing branding
- Improving user communications and interaction
- Developing new products
- Developing new blogs or online channels

How To Find Your Niche

A typical business can not only position themselves within each of their relevant channels on social bookmarking sites, but can also work on presenting themselves professionally after learning about their target market.

Tracking down the target market has commonly been done with parsing technologies and only possible after collecting large amounts of data based on surveys or other input. Many of these research studies are conducted by expensive marketing departments, and can take months and even years to consolidate.

Still, tracking down a target market is worth the effort; finding out exactly where potential customers are, learning about their buying habits, and engaging them in new ways of interaction with a company, can help improve brand presence and create a shift in consumer behavior.

With social bookmarking sites, the information about consumer behavior and preferences is readily available. Social bookmarking sites that create a community based on preferences pave the way for reviewing trends, patterns, and basically learn what the market is interested in at any given time.

Reviewing independent profiles and trends on a regular basis can make trend forecasting much easier. It can help with identifying market leaders, and learning

first hand from the consumer about feedback on specific products. Engaging within a community can help create a brand presence, but also learn about direct customer experiences.

Think Like A Web 2.0 Head

Social bookmarking offers many opportunities for marketers to collect information and learn about the behavior patterns of their customers, as well as firsthand reviews for particular brands and products. Social bookmarking sites are chock full of different perspectives and information, and all of this is stored in an easily searchable database.

Since like-minded individuals are creating tags on every item they post, it becomes easy to find relevant products and related subjects within each area of interest.

Social bookmarkers are primarily interested in learning more about products and ideas that interest them, and will network accordingly. They are more exposed to new information, whether this is pulled from blogs, media sites, or simply a product page from a business. The more involved marketers are with these social networks, the higher the chances of increased brand exposure. As more social bookmarkers participate in their communities, the buzz about a particular product or idea can easily be broadcast across multiple markets with very little effort.

The thinking process of a social bookmarker is relatively simple. First, they find an idea or product of interest. They then upload this information to the social bookmarking platform, whether this is a news site such as Digg.com, or a social shopping sites such as ThisNext.com. Next, they describe the product or idea, usually posting a brief summary that includes keywords and other relevant information. This is noted on the social bookmarking site's search engine, as well as the tags that are added to the item after this. Once complete, a picture or other media clip may be added, followed by the social bookmarker's signature (if it does not automatically get posted as part of the profile). Once submitted, the new item is organized and implemented into the appropriate category on the site.

Any new information posted to the site can now be viewed by the entire audience; subscribers to various channels will see new topics posted immediately, in a very similar format to an RSS feed on a blog. In either case, this fresh information will be on the 'roster' of all the people in that community. If others find it important as well, this increases the chances of sharing as they are more likely to 'note' it and include it on their lists.

But what does all this mean for the marketer?

Essentially, this means that the marketer or business can create unique content and products to *send* to various social bookmarking sites. Once they create a valuable presence, it becomes much easier to influence the decision makers in each and every community. This is the essence of social bookmarking and networking at

its best; community building can create a network of influence that can now also be enjoyed by marketers and entrepreneurs on the web.

Getting Big Time Traffic

Given how simple it can be to get information in front of influential customers, it only makes sense to take the steps to get on the front page. The front page of social bookmarking sites offers an opportunity for increased page views, visitors, and increased exposure across multiple channels. Getting on the front page makes it easy for millions of visitors to get the 'first impression' with very little effort. Still, it's not an easy process. Sites such as StumbleUpon.com, for example, can generate as much as 20,000 page views after just one showcase on the front page. But how is this possible?

The first step in reaching the top ranks is to develop a creative headline. All articles on social bookmarking sites that have some leverage contain a unique and compelling opening; they encourage readers to click on the link, and essentially draw people in. It may be helpful to brush up on article-writing and effective web copy to understand the guidelines for writing compelling headlines.

The next step is to write an appropriate description. Descriptions are essential for ensuring your captive audience stays with the article through completion. The first 10-15 words can make or break the article, and this is the time to keep the information short and concise but informative enough to keep the reader engaged. Some social bookmarking sites don't allow more than 150 characters, so you may need to edit the text down according to site standards.

After reviewing the headlines and description, you will need to make sure the first paragraph is just as compelling. You've grabbed the user's attention, and now it's time to continue on with a unique presentation. Posting irrelevant information may result in banning from the site, so it's important to stay within spamming guidelines.

If you are posting information from a blog, it may be simpler to just add a bookmarking button on the site. Bookmarking buttons can be pasted within a website or blog with some simple HTML code. You will simply copy the code and implement it on the site so that others can link to it easily. Or instead of adding bookmarking buttons one at a time from each social bookmarking site, you can run simple scripts that will add multiple buttons all at one time.

Once you've submitted your piece, it's important to network and 'socialize' with other people in the community. This can help you create an active profile with various communities, but also provide added exposure for relevant posts or links. Cooperation and collaboration on social bookmarking sites are essential for creating a valuable network, and you can gain an even more influential presence as you find the right networks and communities to join. Responding to comments, posting

information on other people's articles or blogs, and just staying connected to various channels will help you build a positive online reputation.

It's Vital That You Integrate Community Into Your Site

Building a brand in the offline world involves maximizing exposure and creating easy access to your business. Online, this takes the form of communities and social interaction. It is even more important to become engaged and get the right level of exposure on the web today, and community building is a part of this process. Joining relevant networks, providing appropriate content, and building an online profile are all effective ways to make this possible, and building a strong foundation requires some skill and knowledge about social networking overall. Ensuring that positive feedback, comments, and relevant information are posted is one way to promote a brand or identity with ease. As more readers begin to learn about your particular topic or niche, it becomes easier for them to associate and grow with you.

Where Your Business Fits Best

Finding the right networks and communities to join will take some time; you will need to set up your profile first, highlighting key areas of interest, tagging your information appropriately, and sharing the information in already-established web communities. After that, you can start communicating with other social bookmarkers to learn about the different groups available.

Many social bookmarking sites are organized by topic and subject, and you'll want to narrow down your fields of interest to about 4-5 different areas. If you are selling beauty products, for example, you may choose to set your sights on Fashion, Lifestyle, Shopping, and Style. If you are promoting a home products-based business, you may choose to focus on Stay at Home Mom groups, Entrepreneurs, and Small Business networks. It's important to think in larger terms when choosing communities and networks to join, as you can narrow down the crowds after entering and introducing yourself.

Introductions are very informal on social bookmarking sites, and are different than joining a discussion forum, group, or portal. On these sites, your ranking and seniority is largely determined by the date you joined, and the level of activity. It may also be calculated by the number of positive ratings or comments you have received, as well as a calculation of page views. Whatever the case may be, it's important to learn about community rules and guidelines, and then begin posting in areas that are relevant to your identity.

More Links For Your Site

Link building is a natural by-product of social bookmarking sites, since you are using your links and blog posts as leverage while you network. It becomes very simple to locate groups of interest, and then to proceed with sharing your links through article submissions and relevant posts. Building a profile with a link to

your website is the first step, since the more prominent your position on the network, the more that other community members will want to learn more about you.

Increasing links to your website can be done in a few different ways, without spamming:

- Commenting on blogs, articles, and posts and providing link back information of relevance
- Including your link as a tag on your profile name
- Making sure people are aware of new information that you have posted, by copying and pasting the link on relevant discussions or comments

These are all effective traffic builders for your website, and can start to spread the message about a particular topic or article of interest.

In the next section we are going to jump right into the huge list of sites that you have been wanting to get your hands on.

Remember, print this out and have a pen in hand so that you can put checks next to the sites that you want to use!

The Networks

This section is going to share a ton of sites that are directly related to professional life and business. These range from online business to career sites and business networking sites.

Make sure that you go through these and pick out sites that will match well with your online business type. If you are in the Internet Marketing or Business To Business market, these are the sites that you are going to want to take a focus on.

[Bebo](#)

The screenshot shows the Bebo website interface. At the top, there is a navigation bar with the Bebo logo, an "EXPLORE" button, a search bar with a "GO" button, and links for "powered by YAHOO! SEARCH", "SIGN UP", and "LOGIN". Below the navigation bar, a introductory text states: "Bebo is a social media network where friends share their lives and explore great entertainment. Get started by [signing up](#)." To the right of this text is a "Login" form with fields for "Email or Username" and "Password", a "Lost Password" link, a checkbox for "Automagically for 2 weeks", and a "LOGIN" button. Below the login form is a "SIGN UP" link. In the center, there is a "What's Hot?" section with a "PREV" button and a "Next" arrow, and a "Explore the new Bebo" section with links for "Video", "Music", "Authors", and "Apps". Below this is a "Video" section featuring a video player with a list of video titles: "Penn Says", "Survivor: Micronesia", "Music Nation", "Black Version", and "Big Bang Theory". The video player shows a woman's face and the text "Leonard and Sheldon are two brainiacs with a lot to learn." To the right of the video section is "The Poll Zone" with a "Bebo pollzone" logo and the text "Got an Opinion? Bebo wants to know what you like. This group is a cool spot for some fun polls. Visit our page now". At the bottom, there is an "Advertisement" section with a "You Have 1 New Crush from Corpus Christi!" message and a "TASTE THE" logo. Below the advertisement is a "Profiles" section with "Sponsored Content" and four profile thumbnails.

[Eons](#)

This is a social networking site create for the senior citizen and elderly crowd to allow them to connect.

The screenshot shows the Eons website homepage. At the top, there is a banner for HUMANA with the tagline "Guidance when you need it most" and a "FREE BOOKLET with Tips for Your Health" offer, with a "Click Here!" button. Below the banner is a navigation bar with "Home" and "Welcome, guest! Log in or Sign up Help". The main navigation menu includes "my eons", "profile", "explore", "groups", "people", and "games". A search bar is labeled "Search Eons" with a "Go" button. Below the navigation is a sub-menu with "explore" selected, and links for "BOOMs", "Photos", "Videos", "LifePath", and "Blogs".

The main content area features a large blue banner with the "eons" logo and the text "We're the online community for BOOMers!". It lists three benefits: "Stay in touch with your friends and make new ones", "Join or start Groups to fuel your passions and interests", and "Play games, build your brain, and have fun!". A "Sign up today - it's free!" button is at the bottom right of the banner.

To the right of the banner is a yellow "Already a member? Log in:" box with input fields for "Email" and "Password", a "Keep me logged in." checkbox, and "Log in" and "Forgot your password?" buttons.

Below the banner is a section titled "Eons News and To-Do's for February 28, 2008" with three news items:

-  The site's just shouting out to you, "Click me!" You won't believe how quickly you'll "get it," when you do! [Read Suzy's blog](#)
-  Does your homepage look jumbled? Refresh your browser. We'd like to show you how. [Learn how to refresh](#)
-  Learn all about our new look, our new feel, our new features and what's new on Eons. [See what's new](#)

[Facebook.com](https://www.facebook.com)

This is the big up and coming social networking site that also allows you to create and test software to the users.

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Email:

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[Forgot Password?](#)



Facebook is a **social utility** that **connects you** with the people around you.

Use Facebook to...

-  Keep up with friends and family
-  Share photos and videos
-  Control privacy online
-  Reconnect with old classmates
-  Discuss interests and hobbies
-  Plan parties and other events

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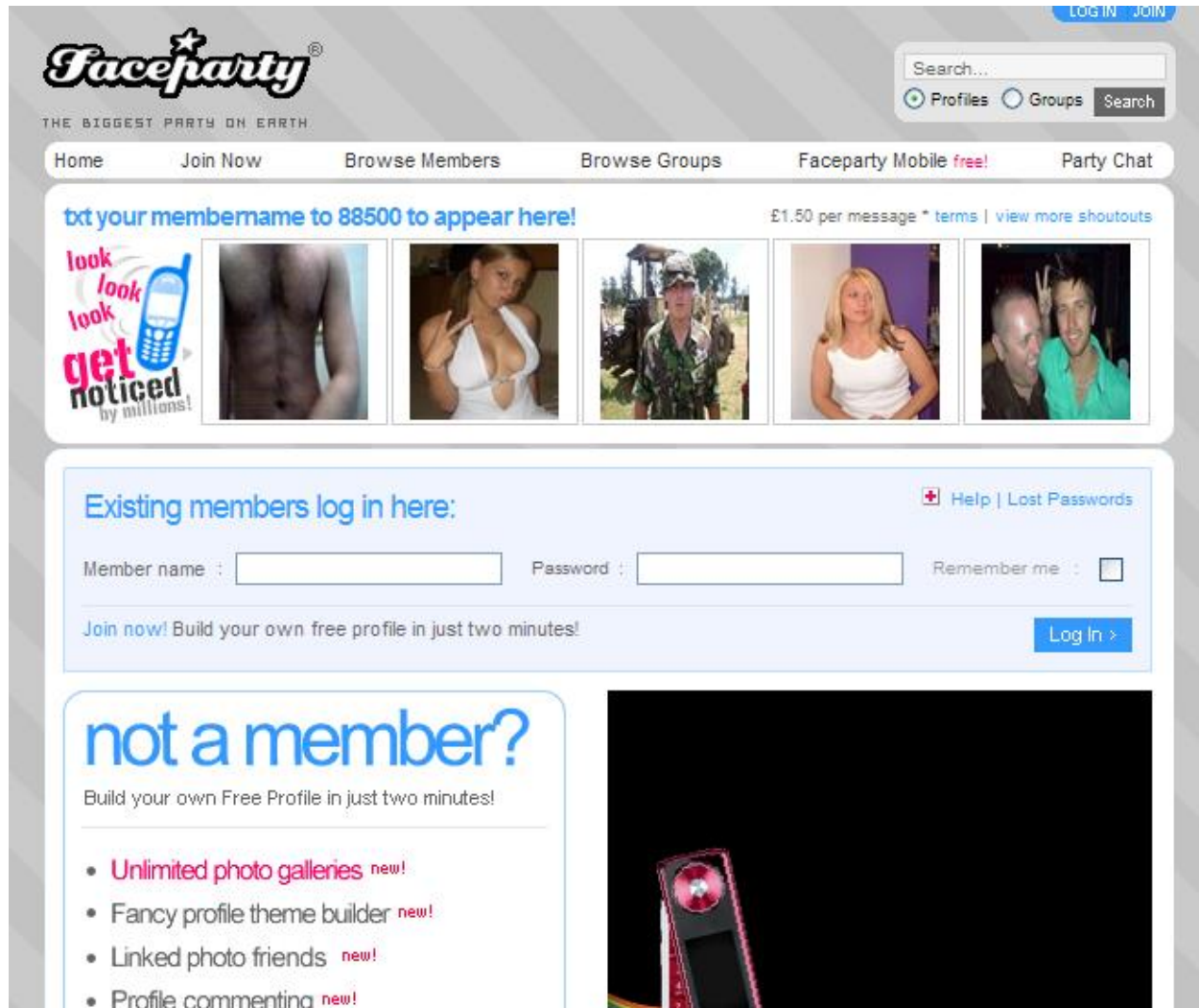
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or **Search** by name:
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[Faceparty](#)

Initially a social site for UK teens, this site has blossomed into a full scale social network for all ages.



The screenshot shows the homepage of Faceparty. At the top left is the Faceparty logo with the tagline "THE BIGGEST PARTY ON EARTH." To the right is a search bar with a "Search" button and radio buttons for "Profiles" and "Groups". Below the logo is a navigation menu with links for "Home", "Join Now", "Browse Members", "Browse Groups", "Faceparty Mobile free!", and "Party Chat".

A promotional banner for a "shoutout" service is featured, with the text "txt your membername to 88500 to appear here!" and "£1.50 per message * terms | view more shoutouts". The banner includes a graphic of a mobile phone and the text "look look look get noticed by millions!". Below this are five small profile pictures of users.

The main content area has a light blue background. It starts with the heading "Existing members log in here:" and a link for "Help | Lost Passwords". Below this are input fields for "Member name" and "Password", and a "Remember me" checkbox. A "Log In" button is positioned to the right. Below the login fields is a link to "Join now! Build your own free profile in just two minutes!".

At the bottom left, there is a section titled "not a member?" with the subtext "Build your own Free Profile in just two minutes!". This section lists four features, each marked as "new!":

- Unlimited photo galleries new!
- Fancy profile theme builder new!
- Linked photo friends new!
- Profile commenting new!

To the right of this list is a large image of a red mobile phone.

[Flingr](#)

This is a work and school social network that allows you to connect with people from school and your career.

Flingr Feeds · Forums · Bulletins · Favorites · Blog · Groups · Invite · Browse · Search
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6 Most Recent Blog Posts	
Name	Subject
Ankit	Hare Ram Hare Krishna
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James	discounts4vets
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NewYorkResident	Big Oil and Big Media V. Hugo Chavez
NewYorkResident	President ENDORSED McCain today..

Message From The Developers

Fast, Friendly, and Secure Social Networking!

Flingr is the latest in social networking. It's been in continual development, and will forever be developing for its users.

The main purpose of this site is to help you stay in touch with friends, colleagues, classmates, and anyone else you've ever met. Simply put, it's a fun place to be.

Using the latest technology, from CSS tableless design to gzip compression, our goal is to engage our users. We're continually innovating to bring new technology to the masses quickly, securely, and easily.

We currently offer the following features: Bulletins, Private Messaging, Friends, Groups, Forums, Profile Features (Video, General Info, Etc), Blogs, and more!

So, want to see what else we have to offer? Simply sign up for free by clicking the button to the right. We are here to protect the privacy of those who use the site, so don't be worried. Enjoy the latest in social revolutions!









Login

Email:

Password:

It's free to register, just click the button above! If you haven't received your confirmation email, visit the [resend confirmation form](#). If you've forgotten your password, it can be reset using [this form](#).

Random Users

 brittany	 KYERA	 enrique	 Sangeetha
 Steve	 *_Caitlin_*	 Soy Latino!!!!	 LimaFoz

Primarily and Indian based social network, this site boasts active users over 40,000,000.

The screenshot shows the hi5 website interface. At the top, there is a navigation bar with language options: English, Español, Português, Français, Italiano, Ελληνικό beta, Русский, 中文 (简体), and 中文 (繁體). The hi5 logo is on the left, and a search bar with a 'GO' button is in the center. To the right of the search bar are links for 'People', 'Browse', 'Log in', 'Help', and 'Join'. Below the navigation bar is a horizontal menu with links for 'Home', 'My Profile', 'Friends', 'Messages', 'Video', 'Groups', and 'Search'.

The main content area is divided into several sections:

- Find your friends on hi5.** A yellow-bordered box containing a photo of a woman and a man, the text "Want to know which of your friends are already on hi5? Click on Sign Up to get started!", and a "Sign Up!" button.
- Just Released** A section with three links: "Change the look of your profile in just one click. Try on a skin >", "Sharing your photos has never been easier. Upload your pics >", and "Have photos of yourself or your friends? Give names to the faces with photo taas >".
- Get connected with hi5.** A section with three bullet points: "Find friends in your hometown or other parts of the world.", "Show off your photos. Listen to music you like. Watch and share cool videos.", and "Build your own page and express what's important to you."
- SIGN IN** A blue-bordered box containing an "Email:" field, a "Password:" field, a checked "KEEP ME LOGGED IN" checkbox, and a "Login" button.

On the right side of the page, there is a promotional graphic for the TV show "Dirt" featuring Courteney Cox. The text on the graphic includes "COURTENEY COX", "dirt", "MAR 2 SUNDAYS 10", and "FX".

[Lovento](#)

This is a social networking that allows you to connect with other people while also staying up to date on the news.

The screenshot displays the Lovento.com website interface. At the top, there is a yellow header with the Lovento.com logo and the tagline "Guide for Venues, Events, Reviews & Friends". A navigation menu includes "My Lovento.com", "Venues", "Events", "Reviews", and "People". Below this, a secondary menu lists categories: "Art & Culture", "Gastronomy", "Leisure Time", "Nightlife", "Sports & Health", and "Tourism". A globe icon is visible in the top right corner.

The main content area is divided into several sections:

- Welcome to Lovento.com**: A yellow banner with the text "What's Lovento.com about? don't ask any more, because here comes the answer..."
- Navigation Icons**: Four icons representing Venues (map and compass), Events (calendar), Reviews (star and pencil), and Friends (group of people).
- Actions for Each Category**:
 - Venues**: Explore venues, Add Venue
 - Events**: Find events, Add event
 - Reviews**: Read reviews, Write review
 - Friends**: Make friends, Be one of us...
- Right Sidebar**:
 - LOG in** and **sign up** buttons.
 - Most recent venues**: A list of venues including "Sidarta Streetfood Bar" (Bars Cologne, Limburger Strasse 23, 50672 Cologne Belgisches Viertel) and "La Paz" (Restaurants Berlin, Poeschlauer Allee 57). Each entry includes a "new" star icon and options for "Map", "Reviews", and "Details".
- Bottom Navigation**: Partially visible buttons for "Your leisure time venue guide" and "Shared experiences & reviews".

NetFriendships.com

This is a great social network for not only creating new online relationships but locating old friends.

The screenshot shows the NetFriendships.com website interface. At the top left, there is a circular image of three smiling people. To the right, there are buttons for "SIGN UP" and "LOG IN" under the heading "ARE YOU A MEMBER?". Below this is a navigation bar with buttons for "HOME", "RATING", "GROUP", "FORUM", "WEBLOG", "MEMBER", and "MY PAGE". The main content area features four circular images: a taxi, a person skydiving, a boat on water, and the Dell logo with the tagline "YOURS IS HERE". A "Close" button is located in the bottom right corner of this section. Below the main content, there is a promotional banner that says "So don't just wait... Click here to sign up for a Free account now!" and "hey you GET CONNECTED!". To the right of this banner is a collage of photos. Below the banner, there is a section titled "Join Our Circle of Friends!" with buttons for "julia", "Tracey", and "Kevin". To the right of this section is the text "It's all about Circle of Friends!".

[Orkut](#)

A simple social network that allows you to create and find groups of like minded people as well as network. While it hasn't really caught on in the mainstream, it is owned by Google so watch out.

 beta

Connect with friends and family using scraps and instant messaging
Discover new people through friends of friends and communities
Share your videos, pictures, and passions all in one place

Sign in to orkut with your
Google Account

Email:

Password:

Remember me on this computer.
Do not use on public computers.
[\[?\]](#)

[I cannot access my account](#)

Not a member yet?
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ProfileHeaven.com

This is a social networking site made for teens located in the UK.

The screenshot shows the ProfileHeaven.com website interface. At the top, there are search and login fields. The main navigation bar includes links for home, search, my account, my profile, mail, forum, shop, ratings, videos, arcade, music, media, and clans. A secondary navigation bar lists Latest News, Contact Us, Terms and Conditions, Respect Quiz, Respect Scoreboard, and Respect Profile. A red LED-style banner displays the current leader: "CURRENT LEADERBOARD: 1. HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO MEEEEEEEEEE". Below this, a row of five user profile cards is shown, each with a photo and the text "> USER IS ONLINE <". The profiles are for leec2007, Dreams Do Come Tr..., theTon, Skull Warrior Cyco, and Happy Birthday To... To the right of these profiles is a "Change site theme" section with five color swatches and a "FEATURED PROFILE" section for Jemmaaa x, who is currently offline. Below the featured profile is a "GET YOUR PIC HERE!" section. A "Welcome to ProfileHeaven!" message follows, stating: "A new breed of Profile Site! You don't just get a profile, you get your own little piece of Heaven. [Signup Now](#) for free, or browse the 1000s of members who already have!". At the bottom, a "Respect Leaderboard" section lists the top four users: 1. Happy Birthday To MEEEEEEEEEE (144,210pts), 2. Skull Warrior Cyco (106,600pts), 3. 1 N only ReEdY (92,755pts), and 4. SugarKiss (85,485pts). A "1st Prize 8gb iPod Touch!" is awarded to the top user.

Find User: GO Google Site: GO Login: GO SIGNUP

profileheaven.com
...FUN IN THE AFTERLIFE!

home search my account my profile mail forum shop ratings videos arcade music media clans

Latest News Contact Us Terms and Conditions Respect Quiz Respect Scoreboard Respect Profile

CURRENT LEADERBOARD: 1. HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO MEEEEEEEEEE

home

Change site theme

FEATURED PROFILE

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Respect Leaderboard

1 CURRENT LEADER: 144,210pts - [Happy Birthday To MEEEEEEEEEE](#)

2. 106,600pts [Skull Warrior Cyco](#)


3. 92,755pts [1 N only ReEdY](#)

4. 85,485pts [SugarKiss](#)

1st Prize
8gb iPod Touch!

reunion.com

Just what it says. A site for creating a reunion of old friends, colleagues or classmates.




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Find Old Friends, Family, and Classmates Today!

Search, find, and keep in touch with the people who matter most.



People Search
Find people and the latest info about them. Get the most complete results possible with access to millions of Members and billions of records.

First Name Last Name Age


[Who's Searching for You?](#)

School Search
Select your high school's state to find classmates or a reunion.

Alabama	Illinois	Montana	Rhode Island
Alaska	Indiana	Nebraska	South Carolina

Xanga

This is primarily a video and photo based social network that makes uploading and letting others view your media easy.



What is Xanga?
Xanga is a community where you can start your own free weblog, share photos and videos, and meet new friends, too!
[Click Here to Get Started »](#)

Username Password

[join now](#) safe mode | remember me

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Drilling Down Specifically

These sites are mostly geared toward specific subject matter.

This section was included because it covers a wide range of niches, some of which probably connect well with your business and what you may be offering.

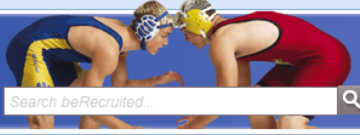



Make sure to go through this section carefully and make sure that you pick out all the ones relevant to your business subject matter.

This is a social networking site created for sports fans and enthusiasts with the ability to post and look for sports-related jobs as well.

The screenshot shows the Action Profiles website interface. At the top, there is a navigation bar with links for AP, LOGIN, SIGN UP, and HELP. A language selection menu is visible on the right, and a search bar with the text "Google Search" is present. Below the navigation bar, a horizontal menu lists various sections: HOME, MY PROFILE, COMMUNITY, INDUSTRY, VIDEOS *new*, JOBS, BLOG, and JOIN AP!. The main content area features a large banner for "seshn" with the tagline "your info. your lifestyle." Below this banner, a section titled "Select an Action Sports Community:" offers buttons for Surf, Skate, Snow, Wake, MTB, BMX, MX, and Ski. To the left of the main content is a vertical sidebar with categories like COMMUNITY (Surfing, Skateboarding, Snowboarding, Wake, MTB, BMX, Motocross, Skiing) and INFORMATION (What We Do, FAQ, Contact Us, Advertising). A "STUMBLEUPON" logo is also visible in the sidebar. Below the community selection, there is a "Featured Riders" section with a row of small images. On the right side of the page, there is a "MEMBERLOGIN" section with input fields for EMAIL and PASSWORD, a "Remember my Email" checkbox, and buttons for LOGIN and SIGN UP. A link for "Forgot your Password?" is located below the login buttons. At the bottom of the page, a large banner states "Action Profiles is completely FREE!" with a link to join the site.


beRecruited

This is a website for athletes and coaches in various sports to connect and make arrangements for joining a sports program.



The Largest College Recruiting Service on the Web

Register with beRecruited.com for **FREE** and join the Internet's largest college recruiting service and athletic scholarship network.



Simply put: it works! We have been the choice for more than 150,000 users from all 50 states and 30 different countries. You can connect with over 25,000 NCAA coaches from divisions I, II, and III of which more than 9,000 are registered users of our service.

Each year, beRecruited.com is visited millions of times; and each day beRecruited.com makes over 5,000 college recruiting connections.

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- ▶ **Search** among all the colleges in the US by location, size, major, etc.
- ▶ **Connect** instantly with NCAA coaches using our exclusive recruiting tools.
- ▶ **Get recruited**, play at the NCAA level & earn your athletic scholarship.

Connections
24 Hours: 5,672
All-Time: 2,350,674

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I want to register as:

First Name
Last Name

Email

Password Confirm Password

State Country

Sex Sport (except fans)

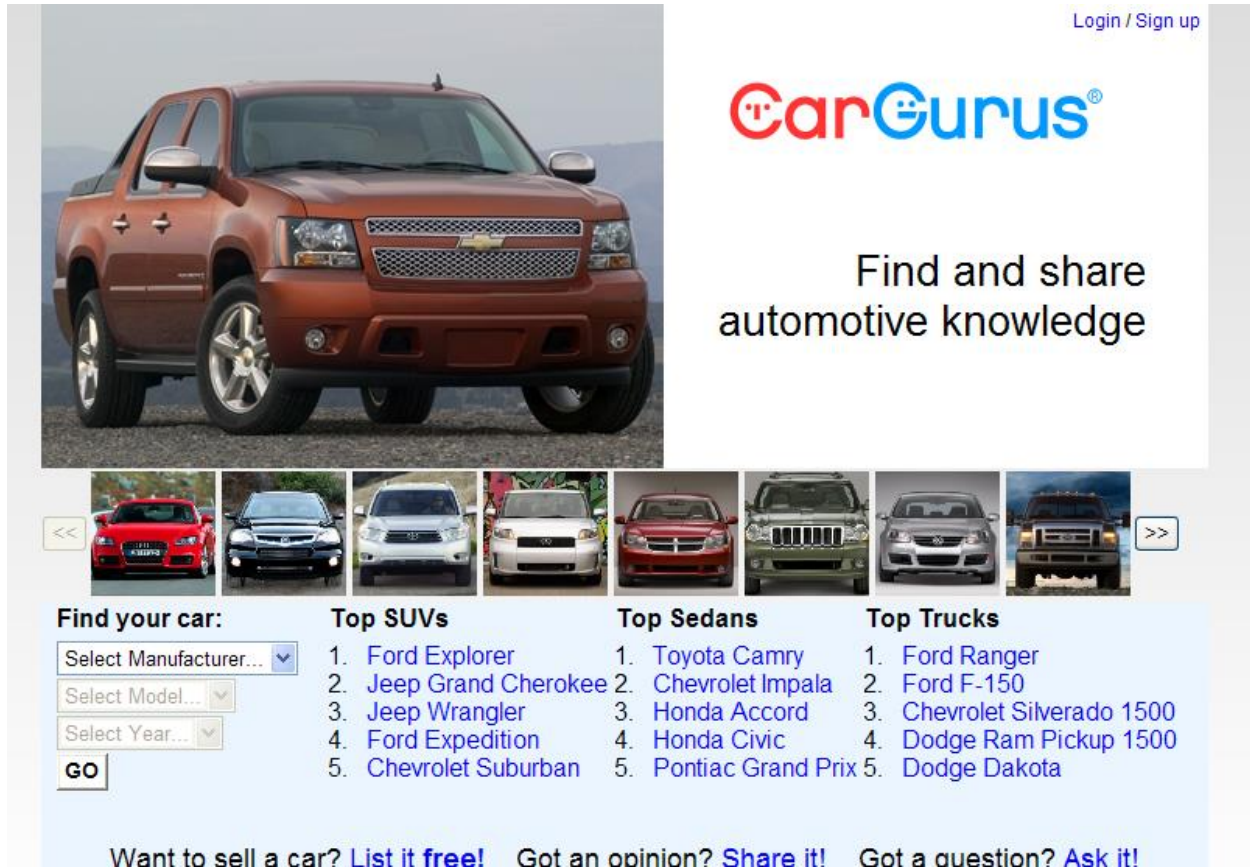
How Did You Hear About Us?

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[CarGurus](#)

This is a car website that allows users to post reviews and photos and share opinions on their cars.



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Top SUVs	Top Sedans	Top Trucks
1. Ford Explorer	1. Toyota Camry	1. Ford Ranger
2. Jeep Grand Cherokee	2. Chevrolet Impala	2. Ford F-150
3. Jeep Wrangler	3. Honda Accord	3. Chevrolet Silverado 1500
4. Ford Expedition	4. Honda Civic	4. Dodge Ram Pickup 1500
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[ChangingThePresent](#)

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Gifts from ChangingThePresent



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One rainwater jar \$100 
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Your gift will allow a mason to construct a 4,300 cubic liter rainwater jar that can provide water storage for 20 people. [more ▶](#)



Support Organizing
Tools for a nonprofit \$50 

DailyStrength

A health based social network that allows users to share many kinds of medical information freely.


The screenshot shows the homepage of DailyStrength.org. At the top left is a logo featuring a woman's image and the text "DailyStrength". To the right is a search bar with the text "Search DailyStrength" and a "Search" button. Below the logo is a navigation menu with links for "Home", "Support Groups", "Treatments", "Stories", and "People", along with "Join - Help" on the far right. The main content area is divided into several sections:

- Member Sign In:** Includes fields for "Email" and "Password", a "Remember me" checkbox, and a "Login" button. Below these are links for "Lost your password?" and "No account? Register".
- Support Groups Anonymous and Free:** Features a large image of a diverse group of people. To the right of the image is a text block: "DailyStrength.org is the largest, most comprehensive health network of people sharing their advice, treatment experiences, and support." Below this is a green "Join Now" button and a "Get Support" link. A list of bullet points describes the benefits: "500+ support groups for every health issue and life challenge", "Set realistic goals and get advice from people just like you", and "Research the latest drugs, treatments and alternative therapies".
- Popular Communities:** A section with a "View All" link and an alphabetical index (A-Z). It lists three categories: "Mental Health" (Depression, Bipolar, Abuse, Anxiety, more...), "Physical Health" (Cancer, Hepatitis C, Diabetes, Multiple Sclerosis, more...), and "Personal Challenges" (Bereavement, Divorce, Parenting, Dieting, more...).
- Latest Activity:** A list of recent "Hug" actions, such as "ANqei gave dani11brunson2... a Hug 9:32pm", "WyattEarp gave JustBe a Hug 9:32pm", and "chattypatty gave RandyL a Hug 9:32pm".

[Flixster](#)

A social network dedicated to allowing movie lovers to share their opinions and views on various movies.


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Welcome to Flixster

Flixster is a community for movie fans of all shapes and sizes



Start Here >>
Flixster is completely free

Flixster Stats

User Homepages:	50,406,060
Movie Ratings:	1,466,816,346
Quiz Questions:	3,815,817
Movies:	36,467
Actors:	78,779
Photos:	1,447,430
Videos:	376,605

Rate Movies. Share with Friends. Flixster.

The Flixster movie community includes movie ratings and showtimes, movie reviews, movie layouts, movie pics & posters, movie news, video clips, movie fan clubs, actor profiles and fan clubs, celebrity news, celebrity photos, celebrity layouts, and the never ending movie quiz.

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[Greenvoice](#)

A social network dedicated to creating awareness of environmental issues by connecting online.



The screenshot shows the Greenvoice website homepage. At the top left, there is a "beta" badge. The main header features the Greenvoice logo, which consists of three stylized trees above a green banner with the word "GREENVOICE" in white capital letters. To the right of the logo are two white clouds against a blue sky background. In the top right corner, there is a "Login or Signup" link. Below the header is a navigation menu with buttons for "Home", "News", "Users", "Campaigns", and "Groups". The main content area has a light beige background. On the left, there is a quote: "raising money and awareness for environmental campaigns". To the right of the quote is a "Join now!" button and a "Login" link. Further right is a YouTube video player showing a close-up of a young girl's face. Below the quote and video, there is a grid of small profile pictures of users. To the right of the grid, there are two news items: "Heathrow Expansion: Have your say" with a small image of an airport terminal and a "Read more" link, and "Save Coral Reefs and Rainforests" with a small image of coral reefs.

[Motortopia](#)

A social network for all kinds of motor vehicle lovers to connect and share options and pictures of their favorite machines.

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Our Pack Of Dogs



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[Lovely-Not-Fighter Gallery](#)

Uniteddogs

Yet another social network for your dog that allows you to create a blog and share your opinions with others.



Sign in or [create an account.](#)

Username Password 

Keep me signed in [Lost password?](#)

English 

Uniting **16208** dogs

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Hello! We're all friends here

- Uniteddogs is a worldwide dogs and dog-lovers community. Everyone's invited!
- Create a **free webpage for your dog.**
- Find cool new doggie friends** from around the world. Woof!
- Upload up to **50 photos** of your dog for free.
- You can even start your very own **dog blog.**

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  **Fausto** (15)



  **Lucky** (14)



  **Comodor** (3)



  **Grace Darling** (5)



  **Shtef** (5)



  **BlinkBlink** (9)

 **Make your dog a website for free** or [tell a friend about this site.](#)

Currently there are **58** visitors on the site and **23** members are signed in: [adais](#), [carrieyu](#), [tsmith921](#), [edisanas](#), [Tumbleweed](#), [cedarrose](#), [kiddylim](#), [LadyHawke](#), [lanlan](#), [siberRain](#), [duojoker](#), [lecysantos](#), [pucacai](#), [karu833](#).

Community Language Learning Networking Sites

[Chuala](#)

This is an interactive pronunciation index that is created solely by the users of the site in assistance to people trying to learn to speak another language.

[Hear Chuala](#)  **Learn, teach or save a language** [Feedback / Login / Register](#)



User-created pronunciation dictionary and social network

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Exact Match


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- Help people learn your language
- Save a language in danger
- Prepare for TOEFL™, TOEIC™, or IELTS™
- Help your students learn quicker
- Advertise your professional services
- 7,589 languages plus regional accents

Free! Join the community! -- [Sign up](#)


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[Using the Chuala ESL inventory](#)
[Chuala pronunciation inventory \(doc\)](#)

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FriendsAbroad is [the](#) language learning network. FREE to join, learn language skills now with our online language exchange community of millions of users in over 200 countries speaking over 80 languages.


Find
Search for friends all over the world




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Make contact and grow your international network



Talk
Learn languages the best way possible - speaking with native speakers




Find some friends
To see who's here, just select two languages and, if you like, a country: 


I speak

I'm learning

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Search 

What our users say




I found your website this evening and signed up immediately. It's wonderful. And it has a...
Steve, USA

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Join now
It's quick and it's FREE to join. If you want to talk to someone, then...

Sign up 

Huitalk

A site with articles and forums as well as interaction tools for people trying to learn a foreign language.



Main Menu

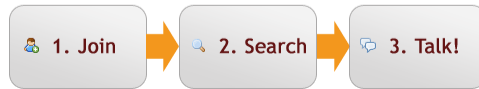
- Find Someone
- Chat
- Forums
- Articles
- Activities
- Vocabs
- Book Reviews
- School Reviews
- Hui Shop

Who's Online

A New Way to Learn Language

Huitalk is a community of people learning languages and looking for a language exchange. At Huitalk we believe that learning a language is one of the most rewarding and eye-opening experiences you can have. We also know that it is an incredibly challenging one. Our concept is simple, together we can learn better.

Huitalk gives you the ability to meet and practice your languages with people from around the world. You'll find lots of other things which can help you too. Look for books recommended by people who have used them, read reviews of language schools before you go there and check out our [articles](#) for different insights on language learning.



Log In

Username: *

Password: *

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Ads by Google

[Learn French Language](#)
[Language Schools](#)
[English Language Software](#)
[Foreign Language](#)

[iTalki](#)

This is a social networking site that allows you to find a partner to help you speak another language.



Hi, there [Sign In](#) Not a member? [Sign Up](#) [Feedback](#)

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[Find a Language Partner](#) [Answers](#) [Shared Files](#) [Language Resources](#) [Groups](#) [Translation](#) [Language Index](#)

What language do you want to learn?

- [English](#)
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Source: Wikipedia

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New to italki?

italki is free, and registraion only takes a minute!

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Find everything you need to learn a language



Answers

Ask questions about a foreign language you are learning. Help others learn by answering questions about your language!

Find language exchange partners [more](#)



LingoZ

Answered language questions as well as an online dictionary combined with social interaction.



Building the world's largest dictionary [4,493,966 definitions and counting]

Powered by **babylon**

- Home
- Terms
- Glossaries
- Experts
- My LingoZ

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Dictionary
Lookup [Go](#)
Definitions and translations in 8 languages

Hello Guest
Join LingoZ

Your Languages: [Change](#)

Build the Dictionary

- Add new terms
- Define terms
- Vote on definitions
- Explore glossaries

Hot Definition



jldupont

MPLS

In: Telecommunications

Multi-Protocol Label Switching - an IETF communication technology.

[More](#)

Vote for this definition: 2 0

Our Experts



.mau.
Expert in: Mathemat...
Score: 587



Nivi & Bas
Score: 34

[More](#)

[LiveMocha](#)

A site that allows you to sign up for language trainings and ask questions with other users.

English 简体中文 Español 日本語 Português 한국어 Welcome guest Help Register Search Feedback Login

LiveMocha
BETA


Home

Learn
Sign up for a course. Start learning a new language

Practice
Test your language skills. Speak, write, or converse

Share
Tutor members learning your native language

Email Password **LOGIN**



The social way to learn a language.

Community. Livemocha is the first-of-its-kind online language-learning community.

Lessons. Fun and interactive lessons that move at the right pace for you.

Motivation. Track your progress and reach your goals with Livemocha tools.

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Start now. It's Free! Get Started

Or, [learn more.](#)

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Livemocha blends self-paced lessons, a vibrant community, and interactive tools to help you talk to the world.



Meet our tutors

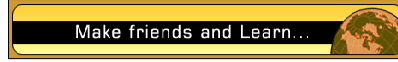
Access our team of passionate language tutors. They're available 5 days per week to chat one-on-one or to answer your questions.

MyLanguageExchange

A site that helps you find a language partner in the native language you are trying to learn.



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- Voice Chat
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Welcome, Guest! - [Sign up](#)



[Member](#)
[Log In](#)

Your Language Exchange Online Community

Members from over 133 countries, practicing 115 languages!

Find a partner at the online community and practice your second language ([any language](#)) with a native speaker who is learning your language. We host your online practice with [lesson plans](#), [text chat rooms](#) and [more](#).

New Users

- [What](#) is a language exchange?
- [Why](#) do a language exchange?
- [How](#) to do a language exchange?
- [Learn more](#) about this site
- [Sign up as a member](#) - it's free!

Features

- [Job Listings](#)
Find a job! Advertise your job opportunity!
- [Penpals](#)
International penpals for exchange of language and culture!
- [Edit Your Profile](#) Members: view/edit your account.
- [Email Inbox](#) View your emails and reply.

Describe Your Language Exchange Partner

Native language:

Practicing language:

Country:

Age: From: To:

[Advanced search](#)

MyLanguageExchange.com
is doing "extraordinary things online."

- January 2001

"Top 101" websites
- PC WORLD magazine
August 2003

[Novlet](#)

A social site that allows people from different languages to collaborate and share short stories.

Novlet

[Home](#) [Users](#) [Stories](#) [Resources](#) [About](#) [More languages...](#)

Welcome to Novlet!

Novlet is a web application designed to support collaborative writing of non-linear stories in [any language](#). With Novlet you will be able to read stories written by other users, create your own ones, and choose the plot you like most from several alternatives.

Novlet stories are divided in **passages**, text sections usually made of a few paragraphs: users can continue stories or add alternative storylines by creating their passages after existing ones. The only limit is your fantasy.

[Read more](#) | [Search for other users](#) | [Browse stories](#)

Stories

 **Hard Times** - [Humour](#), [Erotic](#), [Romantic](#)
created by [sbaggyblurb \(106\)](#) on 2/28/08 8:35 PM.

Picking up the ladies in the old days was easy. A trader in the Golden Mile was part of an elite club. The creme-de-la-creme of financiers, yeah ?! It gave you a reputation, and opened doors. The City was ours for the taking and the fun never stopped ?!

When you spotted an elephant.. that was our code for a nine or ten... one of my favourite plays was cracking open a case of Dom Perignon and offering...

 **Ironforge** - [Fantasy](#)

Recently updated stories

 **Hard Times** Picking up the ladies in the old days was easy. A trader in the... - [sbaggyblurb \(106\)](#)

 **Caught** Hearing dogs bark behind him he starts to run faster damn they... - [aterlamia \(10\)](#)

 **Nightshade Part One (unfinished)** Out of the darkness, from a realm known as BloodNite, came the... - [Storywriter303 \(10\)](#)

 **Ironforge** Ironforge. Seaport, city-state, gamblers paradise. Like a bad... - [SeeArc \(110\)](#)

[Open Language Archives Community](#)

A site devoted to the research and documentation of learning different languages.



OLAC: Open Language Archives Community

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OLAC Mission

OLAC, the Open Language Archives Community, is an international partnership of institutions and individuals who are creating a worldwide virtual library of language resources by: (i) developing consensus on best current practice for the digital archiving of language resources, and (ii) developing a network of interoperating repositories and services for housing and accessing such resources.

News

OLAC Presents at NSF Workshop on Documenting Endangered Languages: In October 2007, the US National Science Foundation put on a workshop to assess the state of the art in documenting endangered languages... [More...](#)

OLAC receives new NSF Sponsorship: The US National Science Foundation has funded a project *OLAC: Accessing the World's Language Resources...* [More...](#)

[More news...](#)

Documents

Search for Language Resources

- [OLAC Search at Linguist List](#)
- [OLAC Search at LDC](#)

Join the OLAC Community

Sign-up for the OLAC-General mailing list, and help with the creation of standards and best practices for language resource archiving ([Archives](#)).

NAME: EMAIL:

Contact

The OLAC coordinators may be contacted via email at olac-admin@language-archives.org

[SharedTalk](#)

A voice and text chat based social networking site devoted to learning another language.


The screenshot displays the SharedTalk website interface. At the top, there is a yellow navigation bar with the RosettaStone SharedTalk logo, a language dropdown menu set to 'English', and a 'Member Log In' button. Below the navigation bar, the main heading reads 'Your Language Exchange Network' with a sub-header '113 Languages - 175 Countries'. A yellow banner on the left says '100% Free!' and 'JOIN US!'. The central area contains several service tiles: 'Discover SharedTalk', 'Voice Chat', 'Text Chat', 'Find a Language Partner', 'Check your Mailbox', 'Edit your data', and 'Grow your Network'. On the right, a vertical sidebar lists navigation options: Home, I'm a New User, JOIN US!, Member Search, Voice Chat, Text Chat, My Mailbox, My Profile, and My Network. At the bottom, two chat windows are visible: 'Members in the voice chat' with 38 people and 'Members in the text chat' with 118 people. The text chat window lists members with their names, ages, and countries.

Members in the text chat

Name	Age	Country
♂ Freddie	31	United States
♂ Ignacio Z.	23	Chile
♂ Theboy	35	Brazil
♂ Nobo	62	Argentina
♂ Alejandro	14	Argentina
♂ Jun Li	13	China
♂ Reginaldo Paiva	28	Brazil

[TalkBean](#)


This is a great site for getting paid to teach someone else a language. You can also find a tutor for a fee.

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Sign In

 Remember Secure
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TalkBean is an online classroom that makes language learning fun, easy and personal with its proprietary virtual meeting place.

Site Info


• STUDENTS	20730
• TUTORS	1480
• TODAY	15
• YESTERDAY	44

Success Stories




The comfort of my home

For me, registering as a TalkBean teaching member has been the best decision I've made this year. I recently returned to the U.S. from Korea where I had spent several years teaching English in "academies" and elementary school.



Life can be tough when you're a student and the bills are rolling in. That's why I'm so glad to...



I have been working for Talkbean for a few months now, and it was a great decision I made...

How to Allow Popup for this site

Can't see any of our Pop-ups?
[Click here!](#) →

TalkBean?

Who tutors on talkbean?

Whether you are an university student looking for a side job or a professional tutor. Simply just advertise yourself on your TalkBean tutor market place to find the right students for you class.

How to Use Webcam / Headset

How do I get paid?

UniLang

A language resource community that gives users the ability to communicate.

The screenshot shows the UniLang website homepage. At the top, there is a navigation bar with the UniLang logo and a 'Log in' button. Below the navigation bar, there is a main content area with a 'Welcome to UniLang!' message and a word cloud of 'Hello' in various languages. To the left of the main content, there is a sidebar with a list of links: 'I want to learn a language!', 'What is UniLang?', 'I need help with something', 'I'm looking for someone', 'How can I help?', 'I want to join!', and 'How to contact UniLang?'. To the right of the main content, there is a sidebar with a list of links: 'Log-in', 'Forum', 'Chat', 'VoiceChat', 'Wiki', 'Members', 'Allied Projects', 'Babel Babble', and 'Tour'. Below the main content area, there is a section for 'View this site in another language:' with a row of flags representing different languages. To the right of the flags, there is a 'Most recent logins:' section listing users: joostahn, Egein, huhmzah, lilaqarcia, Zorba. At the bottom of the page, there is a footer with the date '20080106 20:04', the name 'proycon', and a section titled 'UniLang application for Facebook!' with a brief description and a link to 'Check it out!'.

UNILANG.org

Organization | Language Resources | External Links | Communication | Development | Gadgets

Welcome to UniLang!

안녕하세요 Hei Здравей آداب
Guten Tag Buongiorno
Halo Hello Hej
שלום Bonjour Buenos días
Bom dia Привет
Saluton Moien UNILANG Merhaba
www. Salut
你好 你好
Witam Goddag السلام Latha math
こんにちは Ahoj Không Szia
Dobar dan Γεια σου

Log-in
Forum
Chat
VoiceChat
Wiki
Members
Allied Projects
Babel Babble
Tour

text-only version

View this site in another language:

Most recent logins: joostahn, Egein, huhmzah, lilaqarcia, Zorba

20080106 20:04

proycon

UniLang application for Facebook!

We now have a UniLang application for those of you who use Facebook, a popular social networking site. It allows you to specify the languages you speak and search friends by language. [Check it out!](#)

[xLingo](#)

Find a partner to learn the language that you want to learn with and communicate with them.

search members signin **register**

Connect, Discover and Share

Connect

Find Language Exchange partners from around the world to practice and improve your language skills.

Discover

Make new friends and discover new worlds.

Share

Create blog/flashcards, share ideas in chatroom/forum.

[Sign up for free](#) [Take a tour](#)

SIGN IN:

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Password:

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[jonathan17](#)

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Social Video

These sites focus around the biggest multimedia powerhouse on the Internet; video.

There's no doubt that video is huge right now and is going to continue to stay that way for a long time.

What you probably didn't know is that there are tons of video websites out there with a social twist that are untouched by business people giving you a huge opportunity to leverage them for profits.

Go through this section and find a video site that looks promising and start using it in your business.

[YouTube](#)

Obviously YouTube doesn't really need any introduction. It's the biggest video site on the Internet and doesn't show any sign of losing that title any time soon.

The screenshot shows the YouTube homepage with the following elements:

- Header:** YouTube logo with the tagline "Broadcast Yourself™". Navigation links include [Sign Up](#), [Account](#), [History](#), [Help](#), [Log In](#), and [Site:](#) with a globe icon.
- Navigation:** Buttons for [Home](#), [Videos](#) (selected), [Channels](#), and [Community](#).
- Search:** A search bar with a dropdown menu set to "Videos", a "Search" button, and a "settings" link.
- Upload:** A yellow "Upload" button.
- Videos being watched right now...:** A row of five video thumbnails with durations: 02:08, 02:53, 00:53, 01:49, and 02:30.
- Promoted Videos:** Four video thumbnails with titles: "One Aldwych, London" (channel: concierge), "1° settimana - L'AR..." (channel: iteditore), "My Wall... Youtube ..." (channel: qwabir), and "NBA TV Top 10: Febr..." (channel: NBA).
- Featured Videos:** A section titled "Featured Videos" with a link to "See More Featured Videos". It includes sub-sections for "Featured", "Most Viewed", "Most Discussed", and "Top Favorites".
- Featured Video:** "Squeegees ep2 - Shaved Ice" by Squeegees. Description: "BC's high-flying circus stunts get him and Adam into a real pickle. Meanwhile, Gil's melon snow cone has a secret ingredient." (more). From: [Squeegees](#). Views: 205. Rating: ★★★★★. Duration: 04:35.
- Video Player:** A large video player showing a "Cars.com Brownie TV Commercial". The player includes a play button, a progress bar at 00:30, and a "share" button.
- Video Metadata:** "Cars.com Brownie TV Commercial" by Cars.com TV. Login to rate video. Rating: ★★★★★ (1070 ratings). Comments: 86.
- Footer:** "Login" and "Sign In | Help" links.

Google Video

Google's attempt at a video site before they bought out YouTube. Networking and sharing tools are available.


Web Images Maps News Shopping Gmail more ▾ Sign in

Google
Video BETA

Search: [Advanced Video Search](#) [Preferences](#)

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Hot videos



Star Wars according to a 3 year old.
2 min · Feb 23, 2008
02/26/08 Update: Wow. What was expected to be a short movie that would circulate within a small circle of friends has turned into something much more very quickly. I'm ...

Most blogged **Most shared** Most viewed

Star Wars according to a 3 year old.
★★★★★ (22754 ratings)
[www.youtube.com](#)

IN 57 SECS WHY BARACK OBAMA CAN...
[www.youtube.com](#)

Sarah Silverman "I'm F'cking Matt Damon..."
★★★★★ (15838 ratings)
[www.youtube.com](#)

American Idol - David Archuleta - Imagine...
★★★★★ (4143 ratings)
[www.youtube.com](#)

Nokia Morph Concept (long)
★★★★★ (1072 ratings)

My Videos

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Movers & Shakers [More >](#)

- [Jordin Sparks ft Chris Brown - ...](#)
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- [Noam Chomsky vs. William F. B...](#)
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- [Family Guy Compilation](#)
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- [prim2.avi](#)
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- GONDHALAT GONDHAL Part 1

[Veoh](#)

A video site that is more dedicated to longer, feature length videos for sharing and viewing.

The screenshot displays the Veoh website interface. On the left, a video player shows a woman speaking, with a progress bar at 00:02/05:43 and the Veoh logo. Above the video are 'Embed', 'Share', and 'VeohTV' buttons. Below the video is a 'Featured Videos' section with a 'more >>' link. On the right, a 'Full-Length Episodes of Hot TV Shows' section lists shows like 'Bones', 'House', 'Jericho', 'King of the Hill', 'The Simpsons', 'Survivor', 'Terminator: Sarah Connor', and 'Welcome to the Captain'. Below this is a 'Click and Create!' advertisement for 'Zwinky' featuring a cartoon character and a 'Always FREE!' button. At the bottom right, a 'Browse By:' section offers 'Videos', 'Featured', and 'Channels' options.

[DailyMotion](http://www.dailymotion.com)

Find people who are publishing videos that interest you regularly and subscribe to their feed as well as share the videos you like.

The screenshot displays the DailyMotion website interface. At the top, there is a navigation bar with the DailyMotion logo, a language selector (USA), an "Upload Videos" button, and links for "Login" and "Create an account". Below this is a secondary navigation bar with tabs for "Videos", "Channels", "Users", "Groups", and "My Channel", along with a search bar and a "Videos" dropdown menu.

The main content area is titled "VIDEOS" and features a video player for a 3D student short film titled "11:11". The video player shows a close-up of a character's face. To the right of the video player, there is a user profile for "nickfury3" who posted the video 2 days ago. The video has 2 favorites, 540 views, and 0 comments. It has a rating of 4.7 stars from 3 votes. The user has 3 videos, 0 fans, and 0 friends. The video is tagged with "1111 11:11 animation student short film".

Below the video player, there is a section for "CHANNELS" with sub-sections for "NEWS", "FUNNY", "FILM & TV", and "MUSIC". Each sub-section has a small video thumbnail and a duration. To the right of the "CHANNELS" section, there is an "ADVERTISING" section featuring the Ask.com logo and a search bar.

Metacafe

A self moderated community that weeds through all the garbage videos and ranks the good ones accordingly.

The screenshot displays the Metacafe website interface. At the top, there is a search bar with the text "Video Search" and a dropdown menu set to "All Categories". To the right of the search bar is a "Family Filter" set to "On" and a "GO" button. Below the search bar is a navigation bar with tabs for "Today", "Top Videos", "Studio", "Channels", and "Submit". To the right of the navigation bar is a "Register" button with a US flag and a "Sign In" button. Below the navigation bar is a "Download Metacafe Pro 1,2" link.

The main content area is titled "Producer Rewards Videos" and features a grid of video thumbnails. The first row includes three thumbnails: "I_Love_B-A-N-A-..." (00:53) by "cuteqq87", "Bodega" (06:28) by "Oh Word", and "High-Tech Steth..." (01:08) by "Kipkay". Below these thumbnails is a section titled "Watch more great Producer Rewards Videos on:" which lists two more videos: "justinbak..." (Views: 2,388, Updated: 7.24.07, Earnings: \$4,701) and "magicroy'..." (Views: 18,339, Updated: 7.24.07, Earnings: \$14,956). Links for "About Producer Rewards" and "View all Producer Rewards Videos" are provided.

Below the video grid is a "Category" dropdown menu set to "All Categories" and a list of sorting options: "Highest Rated", "Recently Popular", "Most Discussed", "Most Viewed", and "Most Recent". A video thumbnail for "Funny, Stupid, and Banned ..." (10:23) is shown, with a "Producer Rewards Candidate" badge and a "10 hours ago" timestamp.

On the right side of the page, there is a large video player for "Dorm Life Season 1 Trailer". The player includes a "Play Video" button and a progress bar. Below the player is a "Features" section titled "LEAP YEAR VIDEO CHALLENGE" with the text: "Submit your Leap Year video by February 29th, or you'll have to wait another 4 years. Check it out". A calendar icon shows the date "29 FEBRUARY".

ClipShack

Keep a collection of your favorite video clips and share them with your buds on this video website.



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	MVI_3544 Learning to play football, but you need to catch with the hands. From: Cristy Uploaded: 1 month ago Views: 109 Topics: Friends & Family
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COOL STUFF!
ClipShack is always ahead of the crowd, and now we have integrated **Google Maps™** so that you can map your content and search by location! Check out other cool new features:

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- [User Groups](#)
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- Personal Messaging
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5min

A cool concept. Describe how to do something in 5 minutes via video.

The screenshot shows the homepage of 5min Life Videopedia. At the top left is the logo, a yellow square with a stylized figure and the word "BETA" vertically. To the right are navigation buttons: Home, Videos, Studios, Upload, and About. Further right is a user profile icon with the text "Got 5min? Log In/ Join Now". Below the navigation is a search bar with the text "Find Practical Video Solutions" and a "Go" button. A secondary navigation bar contains filters: "Featured", "Most Viewed", "Top Rated", "Most Discussed", "This Week", "This Month", and "Ever".

The main content area is divided into several sections:

- 5min's Highlights**: A central section featuring two video thumbnails. The first is "Pilates leg circles" by [lavinialong](#), 0:59 long, in the [Fitness](#) category, with a 4.5 rating and 5,849 views. The second is "How to Draw Abe Lincoln" by [HarveyArtife](#), 5:55 long, in the [Arts](#) category, with a 4 rating and 638 views.
- Top Studios**: A list of featured studios on the right side, including [drmdk](#) (640 Videos), [rihgains](#) (342 Videos), [BodyPe...](#) (156 Videos), [growin...](#) (148 Videos), [CPirillo](#) (97 Videos), [Britan...](#) (92 Videos), and [Four20](#) (76 Videos).
- Sports**: A section titled "Ball Trickery: A Moment of Football..."
- Food**: A section titled "How to Make a Ginger Latte".
- What is 5min?**: A small box with the 5min logo and the text "5min is a place to find short video solutions for every".

A vertical sidebar on the left lists various categories: Arts, Business, Extreme, Fashion, Fitness, Food, Games, Health, Home, Music, Parenting, and People.

[Brightcove](#)

A channel based video and media website that allows you to find, save and share information that interests you.

The screenshot shows the Brightcove website homepage. At the top, there is a navigation bar with links for "Company", "Studio", and "Brightcove.TV" on the left, and "Blog", "Support", and "Contact Us" on the right. Below this is the Brightcove logo and a search bar. A secondary navigation bar contains "Home", "Products", "Services", "Customers", "Partners", and "About Us", along with a "Go to the Studio" button. The main content area features a large banner for "Made to Order Internet TV." with a list of features: Custom Players, Double Shot of Ads, Steamed Syndication, Extra Scale, and Fresh Bandwidth. To the right of the banner is a "Learn More >" link. Below the banner are two smaller sections: "Watch Internet TV" and "Meet Our Customers". On the right side of the page, there is a sidebar with the heading "Start Delivering Internet TV" and several sections of links: "Learn About Brightcove" (with links to Product Tour, Overview, Services, and Introduction), "See Us In Action" (with links to Dow Jones, DuPont/denuo case studies, and Selected Customers), "Get Started Today" (with links to Contact a Sales Person, Request a Demo, and Request a Price Quote), and "Recent Headlines".

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Recent Headlines

[Viddler](#)

A cool video site that lets you code a comment about a video to the time you want it to appear on the video.

The screenshot shows the Viddler website interface. At the top left is the Viddler logo, a search bar, and a 'SEARCH' button. To the right are login fields for 'Username' and 'Password', a 'Login' button, and a 'Remember me' checkbox. Below this is a green navigation bar with 'SIGN UP', 'LEARN MORE', and 'EXPLORE' links. A main banner features the text 'UPLOAD, ENHANCE, AND SHARE YOUR VIDEOS 100% FREE!' with 'SIGN ME UP' and 'TELL ME MORE' buttons. The main content area is divided into two sections: 'FEATURED VIDEO OF THE DAY' and 'RECENTLY UPLOADED'. The featured video shows a man with glasses and a 'PLAY' button. The 'RECENTLY UPLOADED' section lists three videos: 'WHITETAIL BUCKS IN VELVET' by 'bernardo' (0:00), 'IDGTV: TECH NEWS U PDATE - FEB 29, ..' by 'idgtv' (5:45), and 'POV FROM HELICOPTER, TEST VIDEO' by 'mlanger' (6:54).

viddler

Username Password
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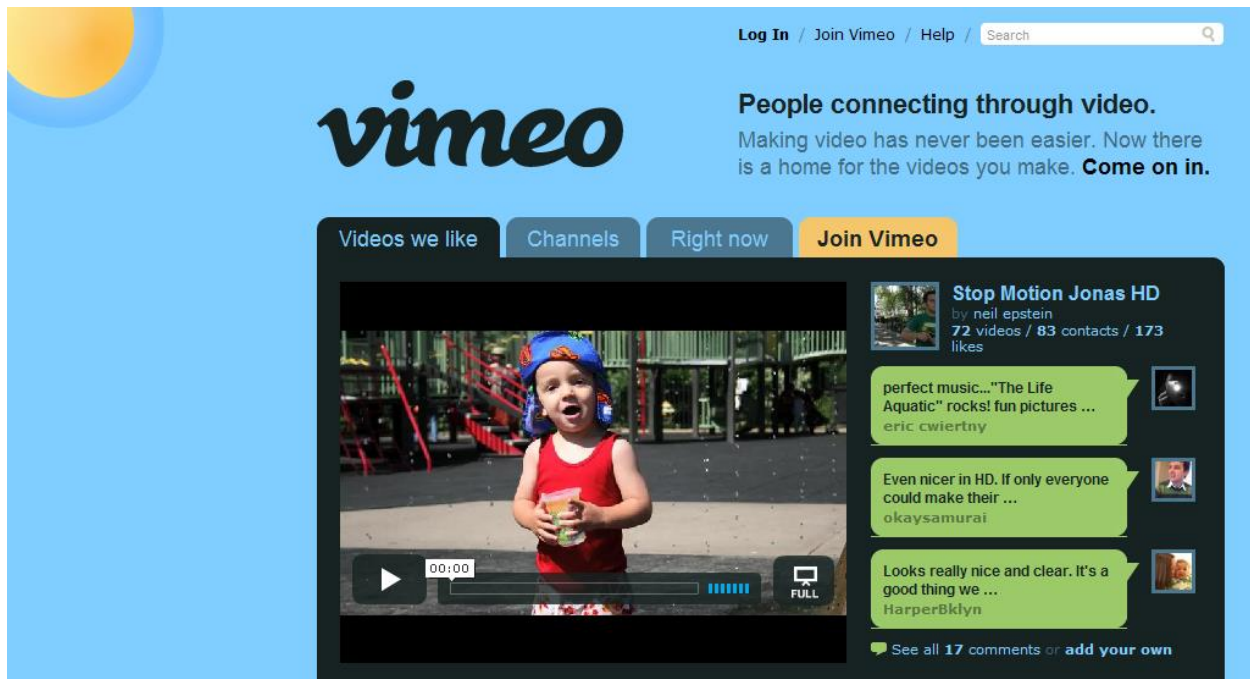
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[Vimeo](#)

This is a video based networking site with an “independent filmmaker” vibe to it.



The screenshot displays the Vimeo website interface. At the top right, there are links for "Log In", "Join Vimeo", and "Help", along with a search bar. The Vimeo logo is prominently displayed in the center. Below the logo, the tagline reads "People connecting through video." followed by the text "Making video has never been easier. Now there is a home for the videos you make. **Come on in.**"

A navigation bar below the tagline includes tabs for "Videos we like", "Channels", "Right now", and "Join Vimeo". The main content area features a video player showing a child in a red tank top and a blue hat holding a drink. To the right of the video player is a comment section for the video "Stop Motion Jonas HD" by neil epstein, which has 72 videos, 83 contacts, and 173 likes. The comments are:

- perfect music... "The Life Aquatic" rocks! fun pictures ...
eric cwiertyny
- Even nicer in HD. If only everyone could make their ...
okaysamurai
- Looks really nice and clear. It's a good thing we ...
HarperBklyn

At the bottom of the comment section, it says "See all 17 comments or add your own".

[Yahoo Video](#)

Yahoo's attempt at online video. Good sharing and saving features al la Yahoo!

The screenshot shows the Yahoo! Video homepage. At the top, there are navigation links for "Home", "Upload", "Explore", "Networks", and "My Video". A search bar is prominently displayed with the text "search for videos" and a "SEARCH" button. Below the search bar, a banner reads "Welcome to the new and improved Yahoo! Video." with a "See What's New" button. The main content area features a large video player on the left showing a person holding two iPods, one white and one black, with a play button overlay. To the right of the video player are two featured video thumbnails. The first is titled "The Dead iPod Song" by Justine Ezarik with 1,448 views. The second is titled "Dog vs. Balloons" from Yahoo! News with 3,433 views. Below these thumbnails are links to "Go to video page" and "More videos from Justine" or "More Animal All-Stars".

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Y! VIDEO Home Upload Explore Networks My Video

HOT TOPIC: Political Spoofs search for videos SEARCH Like the new site? Send Feedback

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Have you ever lost a beloved iPod before its time?

[Go to video page](#)
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Anastasia pops a hundred balloons in 44.4 seconds for a new world record.

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[HelpfulVideo](#)

Share what you know in exchange for a fee via video. Great way to make some extra money.

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sell and buy videos
show stuff for rent and sale
show your resumes
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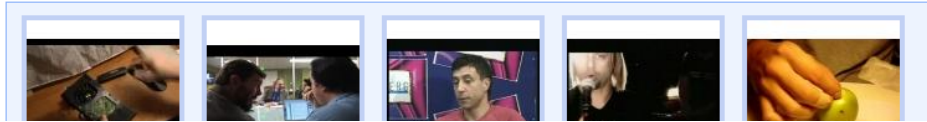
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Example: brakes car replace fix

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Livevideo

With this video network you can create your own channels to share your videos.

The screenshot shows the LiveVideo website interface. At the top, there is a navigation bar with links for Sign Up, Login, Family Filter: On, Help, What's New?, Report Bugs, and a language selector for Browse Country. The main header features the LIVEVIDEO logo and a search bar set to 'Videos'. Below the header is a menu with tabs for HOME, LIVESHOW, VIDEOS, CHANNELS, BLOGS, GROUPS, PEOPLE, CHAT, and INVITE, along with an UPLOAD button for videos and photos. A secondary navigation bar includes links for My Home, My Mail, My Videos, My Photos, and Edit My Channels.

The main content area is divided into two sections. On the left is a 'Who's Live?' section with a grid of 15 live video thumbnails, each showing a 'Live' indicator, a viewer count, and a subscriber count. On the right is a 'BLOGGERS' section with a grid of 6 featured content items, each with a profile picture, name, and subscriber count.

Channel Name	Viewers	Subscribers
RachelSter..	81	83
CoreyisLiv..	23	59
JRoyster	16	32
drearenee9..	11	11
StarPower	9	18
TheBirdsNe..	7	6
soca7	6	16
igaj2	6	5
rrichert	3	1
old-man-mc..	2	0
katsknoll	2	27
PHATSASSY	1	4
carnellswi..	1	1
NewEyez	1	7
Anything40	1	0

Channel Name	Subscribers
StarPower	18
RachelSterling	83
SteveNash	107
toomuchtv	261
PhotoJelNic	133
Christabelle28	162

[Godtube](#)

This is a cool concept, a YouTube type site that's solely for Christian online video.

The screenshot shows the Godtube website interface. At the top left is the Godtube logo with the tagline "BROADCAST HIM.". To the right of the logo are links for "Sign up", "Log in", "Help", "FAQ", and "Español". Below the logo is a navigation menu with tabs for "HOME", "PEOPLE", "VIDEOS", "CHANNELS", "GROUPS", and "MINISTRIES". Underneath the navigation menu is a secondary bar with buttons for "upload video", "Prayer Wall", "Virtual Bible", "Video Chat", and "Live Event: Off Air". A search bar is located on the right side of this bar.

The main content area is divided into several sections. On the left, there is a "Watch videos" section with a "Connect" icon and text: "Watch videos, post your own and embed any video on other sites. Find friends, make connections and create an online social network. Send and receive messages, chat with others and set up a blog. Post and share photos. Join groups and ministries. Post prayers on the Prayer Wall. Seek answers from the Virtual Bible and other members." Below this is a "Promoted videos" section with five video thumbnails and their titles: "Horrible Baby Sitter - FUNNY!", "The Secret Things Of God", "Reel Dreams Film Competition - Regent University", "Win A Full Ride Liberty Scholarship!", and "Godly Advice to Get the Romance Back in Your Marriage".

Below the promoted videos is a "Recently viewed" section with four video thumbnails. On the right side of the main content area, there is a large video player. The video player shows a video with the text "ever said Jesus is all satisfying because you drove a bmw?". Below the video player is a "Godtube BROADCAST HIM." logo and a "Learn More" link. At the bottom of the page, there is a red banner with the text "ADVERTISEMENT WITH".

Coull.tv

You can add cool things within each video on the site using nothing but a few mouse clicks.

The screenshot shows the Coull.tv website homepage with a dark green background and yellow accents. The Coull logo is in the top left, and the tagline 'video.activated' is in the top right. A yellow navigation bar contains links for 'home', 'content owners', 'advertisers', 'about', and 'contact'. Below the navigation bar is a yellow banner with the text 'coull interactive video platform: activate your video, engage your audience'. The main content area features a video player with a thumbnail showing a man in a suit, with the text 'browse some of our interactive videos. click thumbnail to preview' and a play button. To the right of the video player is a yellow box titled 'vital statistics' containing a large '44%' figure with a mouse cursor pointing to it, and the text '*ctr' above it. Below the percentage, it says 'coull's interactive video solution delivers higher engagement rates than standard video' and '*agent provocateur campaign'. A 'Learn more.' link is at the bottom of the box. Below the video player and statistics box are three columns: 'content owners' with a clapperboard icon, 'advertisers' with a laptop icon, and 'who's using coull?' with logos for 'Agent Provocateur' and 'UNIVERSAL'.

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home content owners advertisers about contact

coull interactive video platform: activate your video, engage your audience

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[Learn more.](#)

content owners
Let viewers control their content viewing experience.
Allow them to interact with

advertisers
coull video maximises campaign impact and user engagement.

who's using coull?
Agent Provocateur UNIVERSAL

[VMIX](#)

This is a more strict video sharing site where every video is screened by a human.

The screenshot shows the VMIX website homepage. At the top, there is a black banner with the text "Click here for the original VMIX.COM". Below this is the VMIX logo and the tagline "EMPOWER YOUR WEBSITE. CONNECT YOUR COMMUNITY.". A navigation menu includes links for Home, Solutions, Technology, Showcase, FAQ's, About Us, Contact Us, and Developer. The main content area features a large blue graphic titled "MEDIA MANAGER" with a screenshot of the VMIX Media Manager interface and several social media icons. To the right, there is a vertical list of four categories: 01 SOLUTIONS (Engaging your audience with rich media and community tools), 02 TECHNOLOGY (Powering media management and community solutions), 03 SHOWCASE (Delivering results through customized community experiences), and 04 DEVELOPER (Providing developers with technical news, overviews and documentation). At the bottom right, there is a link for "@ VMIX NEWS".

Click here for the original VMIX.COM

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[Break](#)

A great video site for finding funny clips. Features include being able to share and save videos.

The screenshot shows the Break.com website interface. At the top left is the 'BREAK' logo. The navigation bar includes 'Videos', 'Games', 'Pictures', and 'Categories'. On the right, there are links for 'Get Paid to Upload', 'Register now', and 'Login'. Below the navigation bar are links for 'Latest Video Picks', 'Daily Buzz', 'Just Submitted', and 'Most Viewed', along with a search box.


The 'LATEST VIDEO PICKS' section features three video thumbnails:

- Roommate Gun Shots Prank**: Submitted by [mfmalive](#) | 18 minutes ago. Description: 'If you loved pop corn, you would not want to live with this kid.' Comments: 2, User Rating: 4.
- Japanese We Are The World**: Submitted by [breakkicksass](#) | 58 minutes ago. Description: 'In the never ending quest to out weird the rest of the planet, a group of Japanese celebrity impersonators recreate We Are The World exactly.' Comments: 0, User Rating: 4.
- How Not To Remove a Tree**: Submitted by [Piksteel](#) | 5 hours ago. Description: 'These guys are trying to remove a really big palm tree by tugging it from the back of a pick up truck. They quickly learn that they've made a mistake.' Comments: 496, User Rating: 32.

The 'BREAKING NEWS' section features a red graphic with the 'BREAK Retro' logo and the text 'WHAT WAS POPULAR ON BREAK ONE YEAR AGO TODAY?'. To the right of the video picks is a 'chickipedia.com' banner with silhouettes of women and the text 'look her up'.

Videosift

This site lets you submit your own videos as well as share them and allow others to vote on them.


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[Tube Battle](#)

This is a well organized video site with cool voting functionality that you can use.

The screenshot shows the TubeBattle website interface. At the top left is the TubeBattle logo with the tagline "Vote For The Best Video". To the right are three promotional banners: "DARE Ever dared your friends? Go crazy! Challenge them now!", "Rate Hot Girls! Check out these hot girls and rate them!", and "Hot Penny Stocks! Top site for Penny Stock winners! Penny Stocks ready to explode!". Below the logo is a "What is TubeBattle?" section explaining the community-driven video rating system. To the right is a "Featured Video" section showing a video player with a play button and a description: "Since this video entered battle on 2008-01-27, it has received 59 votes by our community. It is currently ranked 3 in the Music Videos battle." Below the main content is a "Which Video Will Win The Next Battle?" section with a large vertical bar. On the left side, there are navigation links for "Log In", "Sign Up", "Search", "Buzz", "RSS feeds", and "Feedback". Below these are "Some Previous Champions" with two video thumbnails.

Live Socializing

This is a social media that most people have never heard of or always associated with a "naughty" side of the web; streaming, live video.

Let me tell you, there are tons of websites out there that allow you to connect live via video in a mature and professional manner.

This section goes over those sites so that you can locate one that may fit well within our business model.

[ooVoo](#)

This is a video based chat website that allows you to communicate with others online.



The screenshot displays the ooVoo website interface. At the top, the logo "ooVoo BETA" is visible alongside navigation links: "Download", "Features", "Store", "Help", "ooVoo Universe", and "About Us". A language dropdown menu is set to "English". A prominent banner features the text "NEW FEATURE FREE PHONE CALLS" with a green phone icon and a "GET IT NOW" button. Below this, a video chat window shows three participants: Linda, Jenny, and Robert, each in a separate video frame. A "Play" button is centered below the video frames. To the right of the video chat, a section titled "Experience ooVoo!" lists features: "Talk face-to-face", "Send Video Messages", and "FREE to download and use", with a "Get ooVoo" button below. At the bottom, there are three sections: "What is ooVoo?" describing it as the next evolution in online communication, "A Humorous Look at ooVoo" with a link to watch videos, and another "NEW FEATURE FREE PHONE CALLS" banner with a partial video frame.

[Ustream](#)

A site that makes streaming and adding video to your own website or blog fast and easy.

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LIVE, INTERACTIVE BROADCASTING. In just minutes, you can broadcast and interact with a global audience from one to thousands! All it takes is a camera and an Internet connection. **Try it now!**

See what's on Ustream now! **489 Live Shows**

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Go to Show Room and Chat!

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Visual Socializing

Pictures are huge on the internet. There are tons of websites out there dedicated to pictures and sharing them.

The good thing is that any business can take part in a social networking community revolving around images and generate targeted traffic.

No matter what business you're in. If you train cats, take pictures of that and label them as such to attract targeted visitors. If you sell internet marketing products online, take pictures of yourself and seminars or with products and then write a review with the picture.

Make sure to integrate at least one image based social networking site into your marketing plan.

Zorpia

This is a social networking site with a tight focus on sharing and viewing photos.

The screenshot shows the Zorpia.com website interface. At the top left is the Zorpia logo with the tagline "Photos & Journals". To the right of the logo is a search bar containing the text "Zorpia" and a "Go!" button. Below the search bar is a navigation menu with links for MY ZORPIA, SEARCH, MESSAGES, RESPONSES, PHOTOS, VIDEOS, JOURNALS, FRIENDS, GROUPS, GOSSIP, EVENTS, MUSIC, and FORUMS. Below the navigation menu is a status bar with links for United States, Last Updated, Women Online, Men Online, New Zorpians, Verified Zorpians, and Hot n' Verified Contest.

Below the navigation menu is a blue banner with the text "Explore, find, and share everything Swedish." and "Join Sweden's official community! COMMUNITY of SWEDEN.COM". To the right of the banner is a "Visit Sweden" button with a Swedish flag icon.

Below the banner is a green banner with the text "Share Photos. Make Friends. With Free Unlimited Photo Storage." and a photo of a woman. Below the photo is the text "Zorpia's Exclusive Feature: Samantha James on Tour" and "Billboard's #1 Dance Music Artist's New Single - 'Rise' (Erik Kupper Remix)". Below the text is the text "Population of Zorpia: 9268016 | Zorpians Joined Yesterday: 10082 | Online Zorpians: 2138".

Below the green banner is a search form with the following fields: Country/Territory (dropdown menu), State (dropdown menu), City (dropdown menu), and a Search button. Below the search form are radio buttons for Find: Men, Women, and Both. Below the search form are input fields for Username and Password, and a Log in button. Below the search form is a "Be a Zorpian." section with icons for a camera, a notepad, and a person, and the text "Store unlimited photos", "Post journals online", and "Make new friends".


[Snappages](#)

This is a picture based social networking site with tons of features including online group building. You can start your own group and share pictures or join an existing one.

The screenshot displays the SnapPages BETA website interface. At the top left is the logo for SnapPages BETA, with the tagline "The internet for the rest of us". A navigation menu below the logo includes links for Home, Tour, Sign Up, Login, About, Blog, Forums, and Feedback. The main content area is divided into several sections. On the left, a large green banner features icons for a group, a camera, a calendar, and two people, with the text "Introducing: The internet for the rest of us." and a "learn more" link. Below this is a "Latest Updates" section with a sub-heading "Website Manager - Private Beta" and a brief description of a new application. On the right side, there is a "Members Login" section with input fields for "Screen Name" and "Password", a "Remember me" checkbox, a "Forgot your password?" link, and a "Login" button with a right arrow. Below the login section is a "Get a Beta Account" section with a sign-up prompt and a "Sign Me Up!" button with a right arrow.

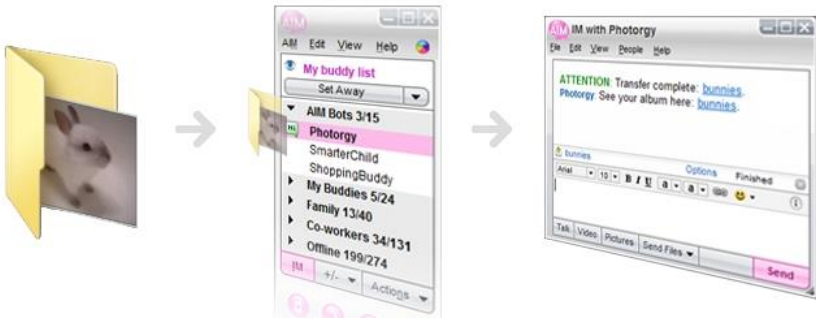
[Photorgy](#)

An easy to use photography sharing website that allows you to interface with AIM.



Instant photo sharing thru AIM!

Send photos to "Photorgy" on AIM and we'll take care of the rest.




Try it! Add "Photorgy" to your buddylist now!

No **signup!** Use your AIM login:

 remember me

Note: We do not store your password or contact anyone without your permission.

Don't have AIM yet?

[Get a free AIM account](#)

Check out some groovy new photos:



SlideShare

This is a pretty unique site in that you can share your presentations online with a community. You could share your Power Point presentation and get feedback and needed commentary all on this site.

The screenshot shows the SlideShare website interface. At the top, there is a navigation bar with the SlideShare logo, a search bar, and a user profile for 'guest!'. Below the navigation bar, there are tabs for 'Home', 'My Slidespace', 'Upload', 'Community', 'Tags', and 'Widgets'. A secondary navigation bar includes 'Latest', 'Most Viewed', 'Featured', 'Most Favorited', 'Most Downloaded', and 'Slidecasts'. A 'Bulk Upload' section is visible on the right, stating 'Bulk Upload files, NO Signup required!' and listing supported file formats: ppt, pps, pdf, odp.

Spotlight: SWSW 2007

- Everything you always wanted to know about the mobile web** (12541 views)
- Every Breath You Take: Identity, Attention, Presence and Reputation** (3341 views)
- Grids are Good (ri...)** (7123 views)
- 16 THINGS I LEARNED FROM SXSW** (5761 views)

Spotlight: BARCAMPs (across the world)

- The State Of Wirel...** (854 views)
- Design Driven Deve...** (612 views)
- Business Best Prac...** (1511 views)
- Facebook vs Open S...** (2820 views)

Featured >>

- 5 ways to make linear navigation more interesting** (from: CathyMoore 10 hours ago)

Events >>

- NASSCOM India Leadership Forum 2008** (13 Feb, Mumbai, India)
- Nordic Perl Workshop 2007** (28 Feb, Copenhagen, Denmark)

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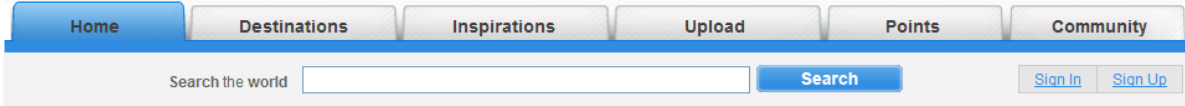
Generation Y Perspectives (NASA logo)

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NASA - GenY Perspectives (from: ashwin | 2169 views)

[Zoomandgo](#)

This is a cool travel site that will actually pay you cold hard cash just to share your trip information, pictures and videos with their users. Once you share your information, you build up points that can then be turned into cash payouts.



Live it. Rate it. Shoot it. Share it.



[Zoomr](#)

This is a feature rich photography social network that allows you to share, view and comment on pictures. You can also sell your photos to make money or find photos that you need and purchase rights to use them.



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Wrap Up

This first thing that I want to do is congratulate you for making it to the end of this book. You have shown a level of dedication that most people just don't have.

But the journey isn't over yet!

Make sure that you take the information that you've learned and start putting it to use in your business right away.

After all, information without action is nothing but information. Information alone can't make you a red cent so make sure you put some action behind what you just learned.

I have also included a bonus section at the end of this book in the form of an appendix that will show you how to add a plan for integrating social bookmarking into your business structure.

This is a powerful section that may help you really tie everything that you've learned together.

I hope that as you went through this manual you found a few sites that really matched up with your goals for your business. To make sure that you take action, take a piece of paper right now and write down the URLs of all the sites that you choose to get started.

This is your action list of sites to use.

Next, re-read the section at the beginning about social bookmarking and then read the Appendix at the end of this book.

Once you take these steps, you will be fully prepared to conquer the social media market and start getting traffic to your sites!

You've come a long way in this course!

This is the last section and a short but powerful one. This will help you develop a plan of implementation for social bookmarking sites and using them in your business.

Consolidating your efforts for an effective online marketing campaign will take some time, and you'll need to gather the right set of resources and tools to make the best of scripts and widgets available. Overdoing this on a website or blog is an easy way to turn visitors off, and you'll need to use only a few social bookmarking tools to start networking effectively.

Making A Plan

In addition to social bookmarking efforts, there are other ways to develop an online marketing strategy. You need to develop as much visibility as possible on search engines, and the more exposure you receive from customers sharing links of your website amongst each other, the higher the chances of getting high search engine rankings as well.

The most common ways to reach your target market include:

- Creating focus ads on websites
- Creating sticky ads that require visitors to click on the link
- Developing a strong search engine presence
- Joining paid inclusion sites
- Developing email campaigns
- Joining social networks

Focus advertising involves using search engines and website links to create direct response. These types of ads allow you to search and find new markets, increase market share, and reach a targeted audience because the ads only appear on particular websites and niche markets. Pop-up ads and banners aren't always the right formula for attracting attention; this is why 'sticky ads' are another option for many marketers, allowing customers to express interest by clicking on a link instead. Sticky ads can be designed to be informative so that they reach the right audience with impact. They may include graphics, animation, and key phrases that

exemplify the company logo. However these are cleverly designed, the chances of having consumers share a unique ad or creative content on a social bookmarking site are also relatively high.

Developing a strong search engine presence is another element of effective online marketing strategy, and will allow you to reach a higher level of visibility with your target audience. Determining which keywords are relevant to your business is the first step. You may also use keyword selector tools such as Overture and other options to establish a set of attractive keywords; this makes the process much easier, and you'll be able to keep track of the highest paid keywords and content.

Search engines essentially give you the largest audience as well as the maximum amount of exposure. It's important to be mindful of search engine submissions services that may result in your website being de-listed. Maintaining an effective search engine presence will require time and patience as you work on updating the site, maintaining consistency with quality content, and gaining exposure through social bookmarking networks.

Search engines rank websites based on the amount of time they have been established on the web, as well as the quality of the website. Google places a high level of importance on the number of websites linking to yours, and achieving a high Google rank will help you increase credibility for your site as well. Making sure your site is submitted to the major databases such as AOL, Yahoo!, DMOZ, MSN, and Hotbot is essential for your long-term presence.

Paid inclusion sites offer another way to join the high ranks of search engines, and these will get you to the top of directories for maximum market saturation.

Yahoo.com offers paid inclusion services for just under \$300 per year, while other sites range from \$50-\$75 per link ad.

Multiple groupings and exposure across many search engines, it is important to understand that the URLs that you are paying for may be difficult for some search engines to follow. As a result, many businesses choose to use Pay Per Click Ad programs instead. These will reach a larger audience, and can lead to increased page views after a very short period of time. Google actually offers the least

expensive pay-per-click option. This search engine allows you to place individual ads above other products and services in just the same way as Yahoo, except these ads can reach a much larger audience.

E-mail campaigns have grown in scope and size over the years, and are still a valuable way to reach your target customer. E-mail tools can help you create an effective newsletter or articles to share, and these articles work very well on a variety of social bookmarking networks as well. You can simply copy and paste link ads into each newsletter, and this can track response rates as well. Partnering with other companies or businesses to cross-promote e-mail campaigns can also help you to reach a larger audience. Always remember that anything that seems valuable to just one person has the chance to become listed on their social bookmarking network. Making it simple to add your content to a social bookmarking network is essential!

Finally, joining a variety of social networking communities will help you gain a high level of brand exposure and help to develop a sense of place for your company. Simply exploring a variety of networks can help you discern which communities have a high level of consumers that fit your target market, and which ones can offer the highest return of investment. As you begin to build a presence on an effective social networking site, it is important to follow all community guidelines and ensure that you are maintaining a positive image throughout.

Would your Business Benefit from using Office Management Software?

Are you looking for more efficient ways to run your company's office? Or, are you an office manager who is looking for easier ways to effectively do your job? If you are, you may have examined office management software. Although office management software is a great way to ease the use of many office management procedures, it is important to remember that this software isn't right for all businesses.

When it comes to determining whether or not you should use office management software, it is advised that you take the time to examine office management software and its advantages and disadvantages. These advantages and disadvantages can help you make a well informed business decision. A few of the most influential office management software advantages and disadvantages are outlined below for your convenience.

One of the many advantages to using office management software to your advantage is the choices that you have. For example, you have a wide range of products to choose from. These products are not only made by different software developers, but they also tend to come in a number of different versions. These versions most commonly include deluxe and standard. You can also purchase office management software from a wide range of prices, from a number of different retailers, both on and offline.

Office management software is also known for its easy learning curve. With that in mind, it is important to focus on the software features available and their simplicity. Before purchasing office management software for your company, you will want to thoroughly examine each program that you are interested in. This can typically be done with the use of video tutorials, screenshots, or free trial periods. In addition to ensuring the software program in question has the features that you want and need, this also gives you the opportunity to make sure that the program in question is one that is easy to use. Ease of use enables you to get a larger return and a quicker return on your office management software investments.

Although there are a number of advantages to using software to help you or your office manager manage your office, it is also important to focus on the disadvantages to doing so as well. One of those disadvantages is the cost. Depending on the software program purchased, you could easily spend hundreds or

even thousands of dollars on office management software. With that in mind, it is important to remember that office management software will likely pay for itself overtime. This is because office management software is designed to simplify office management. This simplification often results in better communication, on time project completions, and an overall increase in productivity, which, in turn, can save you and your company a considerable amount of time and money.

Another disadvantage to office management software is implementation. Although easy to use and beneficial to most offices, office management software needs to be used and in the proper way. You cannot always guarantee that your office manager or other staff members are using office management software to the best of their ability, unless you verify for yourself. This verification may take time on your part, but it is important, especially when first getting started. You may want to start with your office manager, as they can later ensure that all office personal are properly using their own office management software programs. Once everyone is all on the same page, in terms of software use, you may start to see an improvement in the managing of your office almost immediately.

As previously stated, office management software should not be purchased without some form of examination first. The good news is that many office management software suppliers offer free trial periods, some of which last as long as sixty days. So take a look, even trial it, you may find the right software to make your office more efficient.

Placing Social Bookmarking In Your Business Effectively

After choosing the most effective online marketing strategies, you'll be able to better connect social bookmarking into the whole equation. Social bookmarking is essentially an avenue of opportunity for your target market to market *for* you. By finding useful information on your site, your links, or any other content you post across a variety of channels, the chances of the word-of-mouth phenomena are increased tenfold.

Developing relevant content is the first step in effective social bookmarking; without it, your potential customers and target market will have nothing to link to. As your site builds in traffic, making sure that social bookmarking buttons are implemented will help people get involved at a touch of a button. You will no longer have to take part in extra direct marketing efforts when your social networks are thriving and providing plenty of link backs.

Getting Exposure Using Social Bookmarking

The simplest way to direct visitors to your site is to simply provide relevant links. You'll want to ensure that a link to your main website is always included on any profile pages and signatures, and even sending out an e-mail blast that highlights which social bookmarking networks you are on can help you create some momentum.

Ensuring that all visitors can see which social bookmarking sites you are linkable to is the next step.

Your Website & Social Bookmarking

Bookmarking scripts are the code used to place widgets on your site, and are the first step in developing your network. When a web site visitor registers with any of the web's social bookmarking sites, they create an account where they can simply click a button to save the link. The bookmarking site then keeps track of the number of votes per link, and can give you a strong idea of what is popular at any given time.

In order to make this process more efficient, you will simply need to place some code on your site that puts the button right under any article or piece of content. This makes the steps a 'one-touch' system, and encourages your site visitors to start interacting with your website in fresh new ways.

You'll want to start by implementing the set of code for each social bookmarking site and widget; you'll want to select only 4-6 different plug-ins to avoid overloading the site with too many distracting logos. The most common social bookmarking sites to choose from include:

- Del.icio.us
- Newsvine
- StumbleUpon
- Windows Live
- Google
- Rawsugar
- Digg
- Netscape
- Technorati
- Yahoo MyWeb
- Magnolia
- Spurl
- Furl
- Reddit
- Squidoo
- Ask
- Ning
- Tagtooga

Each one has a different set of code and logo for those sites adjacent to a new post on a website. You'll want to download and insert the entire code with images directly in the area you are interested in posting to. Each site offers specific directions on how to do this.

Well, that's officially the end! Get moving and start implementing all of the ideas you've learned at the little known sites you now know about!

I'll see you on the side of success.