



Library 2.0: Inventing the Future

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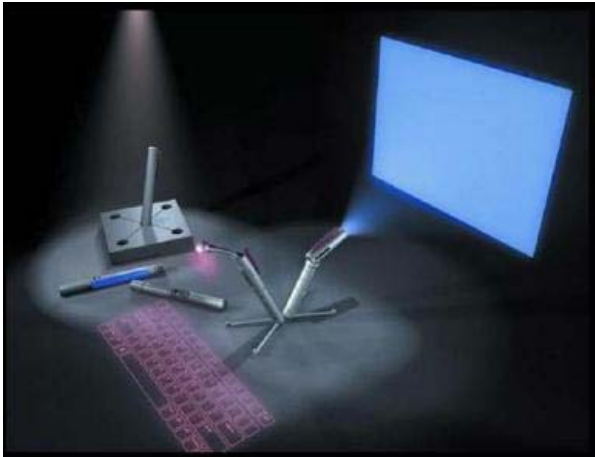
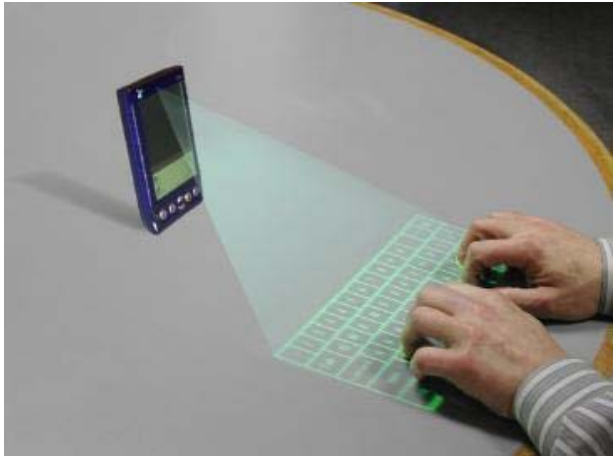
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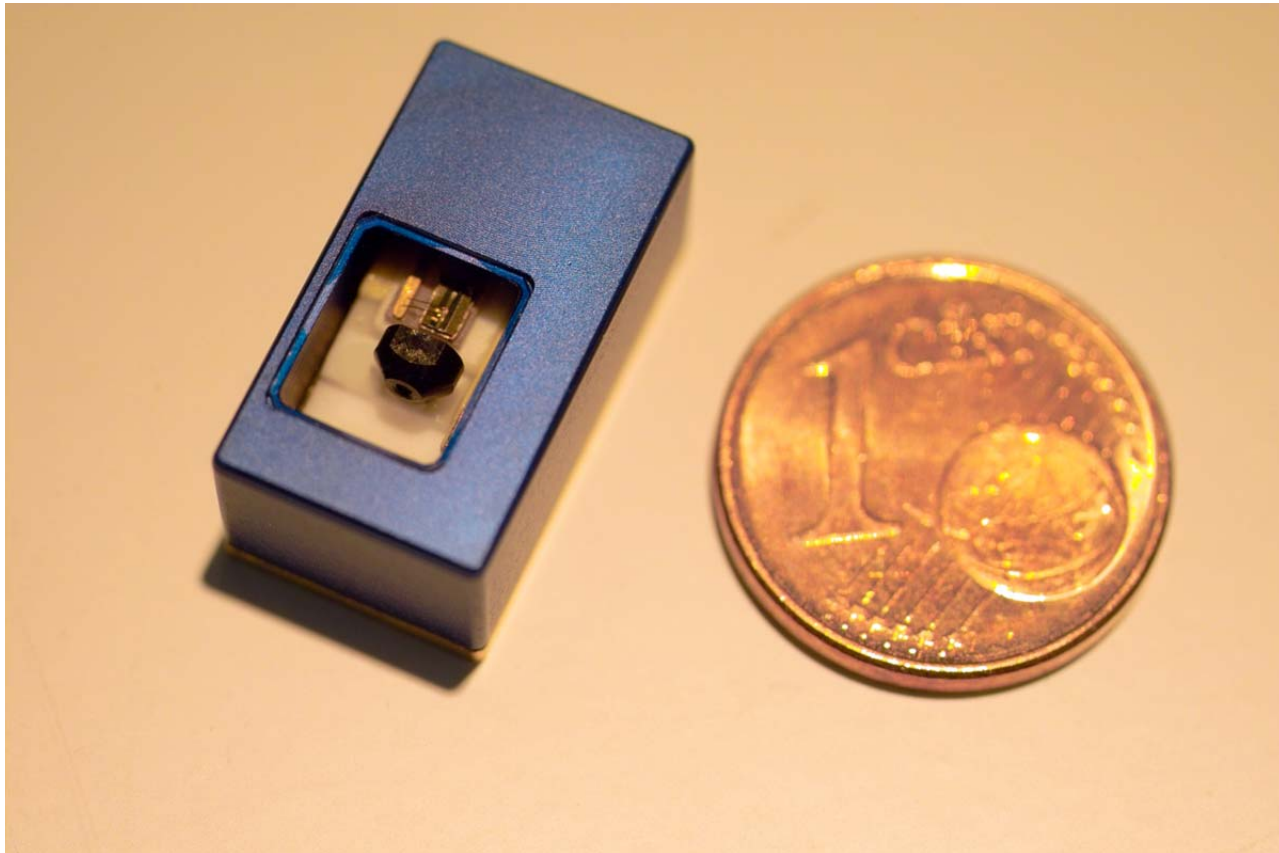


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For the next five years?



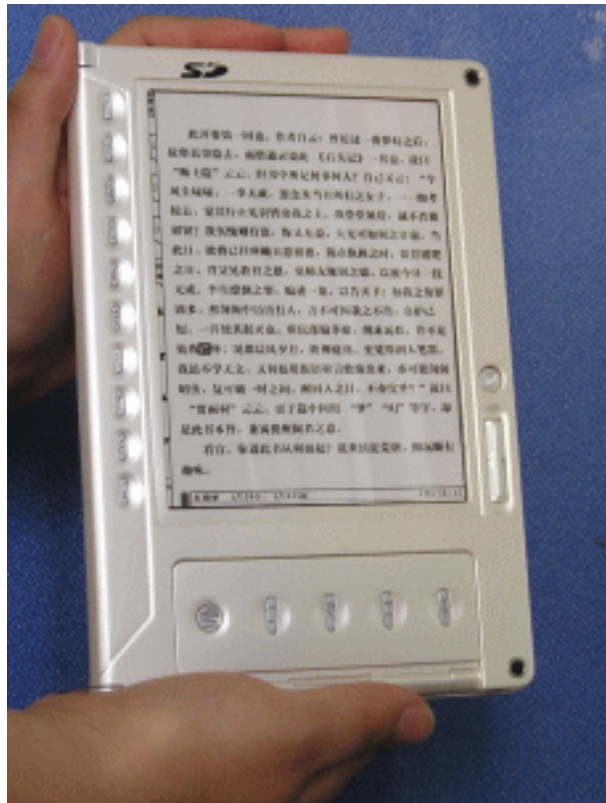


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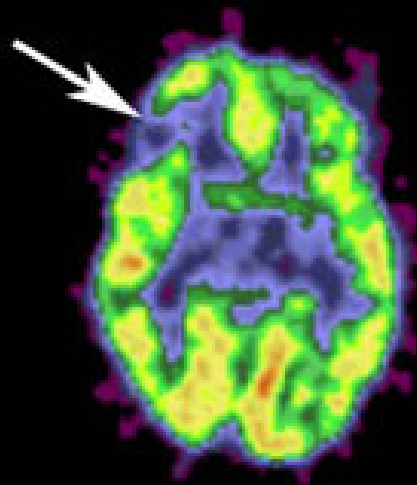


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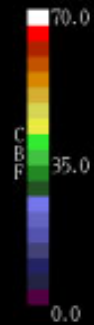
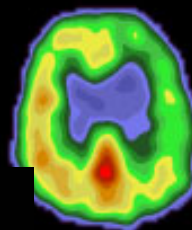
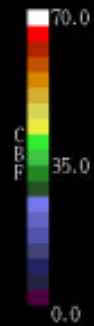
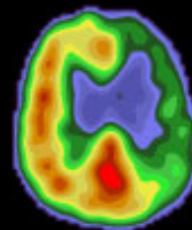




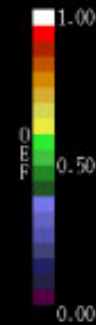
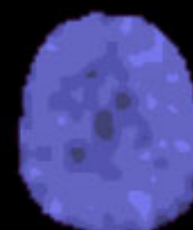
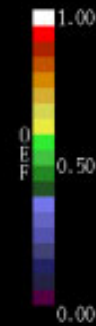
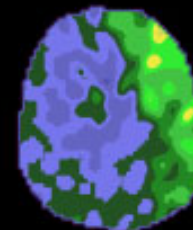
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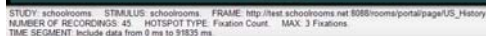




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| Principled / Values | More Friends | More Diverse | Respect Intelligence |
| Optimistic / Positive | Internet Natives | More Choices | Format Agnostic |
| Balanced Lives | Adaptive / Flexible | Civic Minded | High Expectations |
| Collaborative | Nomadic | Gamers | Experiential |
| Independent | Confident | Direct | More Liberal /conservative |
| Multi-taskers | Inclusive | Patriotic | Entrepreneurial |
| Healthy Lifestyle | Family Oriented | Graphical | Achievement Oriented |

Credit: Richard Sweeney, NJIT



May 22, 2006





All that matters is...

- **Con**
- **Le**
- **Interaction**

**The user
is not
broken**

Karen Schneider



Are We Ready?

For the next steps in search?





GoogleTM
Book Search BETA



Open Content Alliance

Suppose there're 25,000,000 books
online in less than 5 years...?

What will federated search look like?

- Grade 1 , Grade 3, High School
- Beyond groups and clusters of content and users
- Beyond the article economy – books, gov't docs, chapters, reports, lab notes, paragraphs...
- Beyond geographically bounded collections
- Socially driven relevance, facets, visual display, tiled



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For unwired & a local default?

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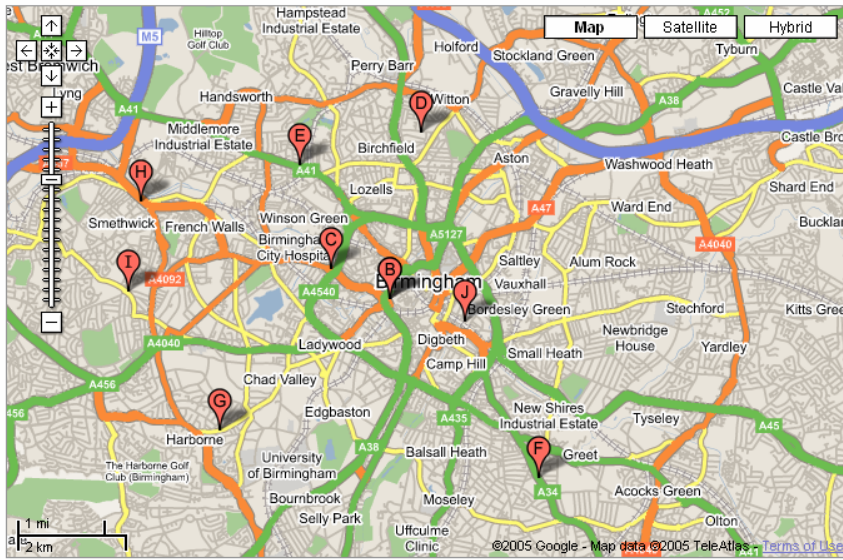
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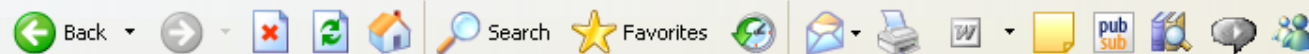




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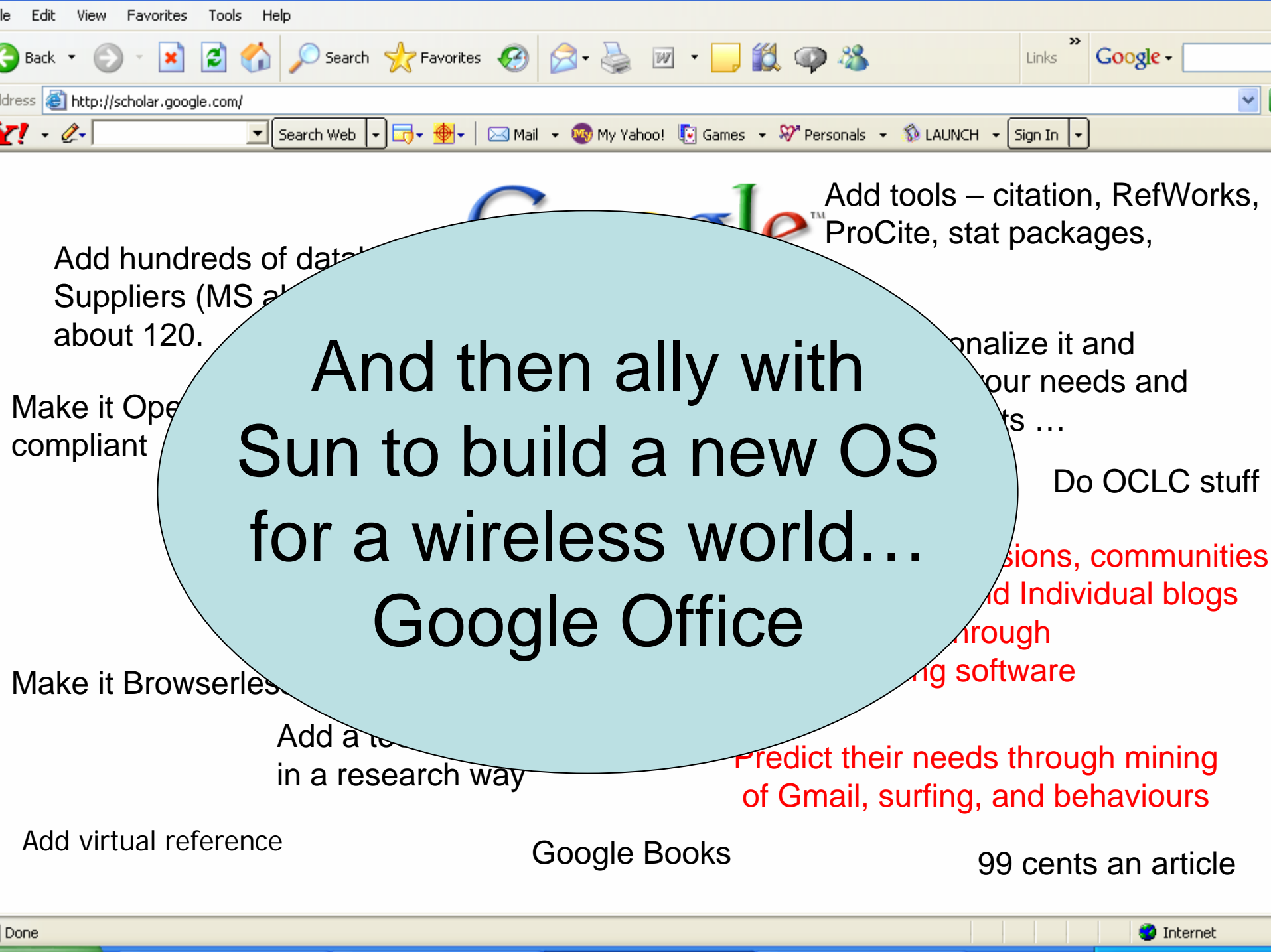
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For Web 2.0 / Library 2.0?



WEB 2.0



- RSS – really simple syndication
- Wikis
- New Programming Tools: AJAX, API
- Blogs and blogging
- Recommender Functionality
- Personalized Alerts
- Web Services
- Folksonomies, Tagging and Tag Clouds
- Social Networking
- Open access, Open Source, Open Content
- Screencasting
- Commentary and comments
- Personalization and My Profiles
- Podcasting and MP3 files
- Streaming Media – audio and video
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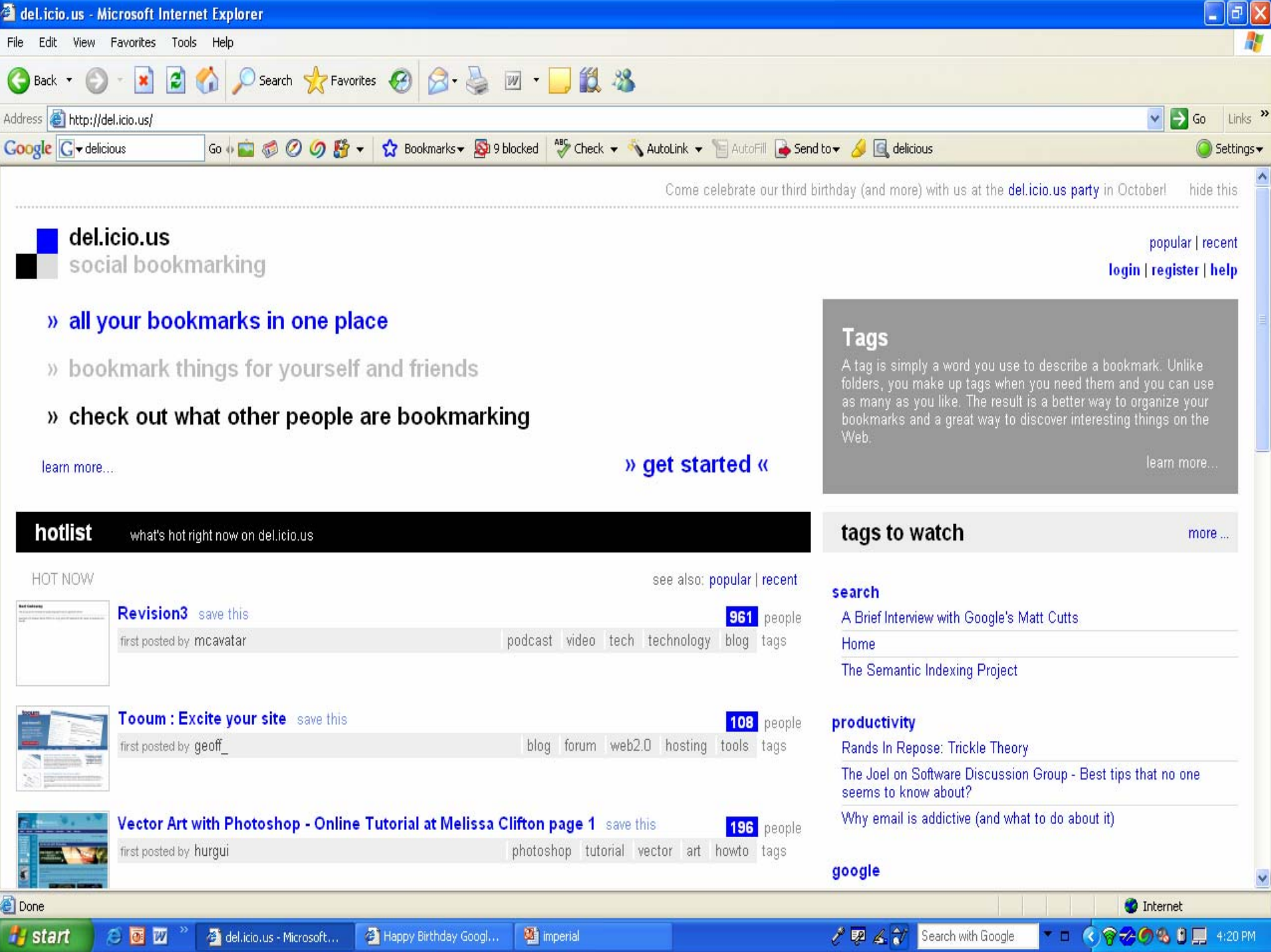
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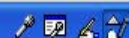
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For conversations?

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Messenger

- AOL Internet Messenger



- ICQ **YAHOO! MESSENGER**

- Yahoo! Messenger 

- IRC 

- Trillian, GAIM, MEEBO

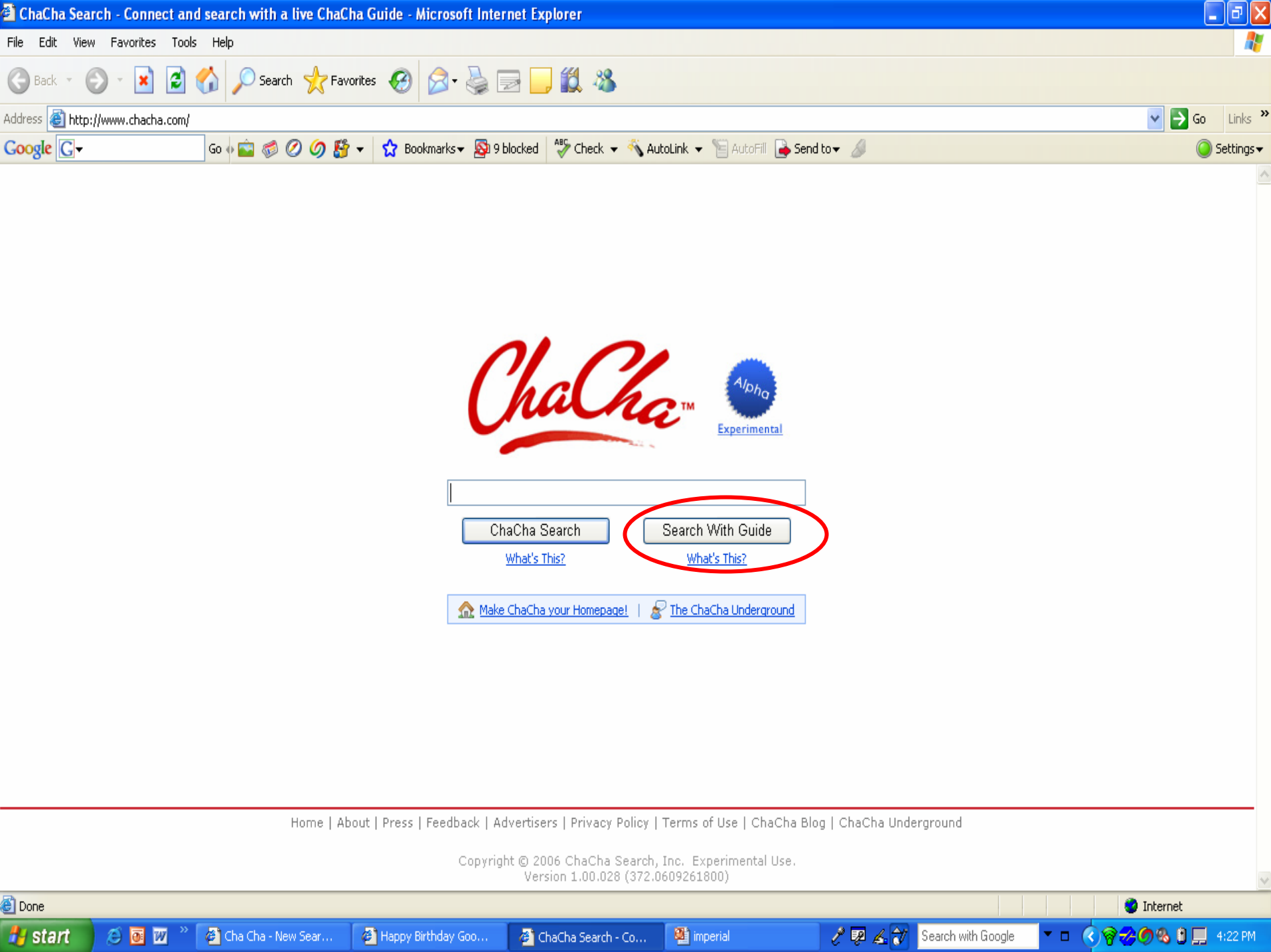
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of over 30's

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- Thomas Ford Memorial Library – 50%!
 - Discover IM, JYBE, SMS and Skype
 - Grow into Virtual Reference
 - Collaborate on province-wide and national VR





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- Commentary and comments
- Personalization and My Profiles
- User-driven Reviews
- Rankings & User-driven Ratings
- Tagging
- Everywhere, including the OPAC?



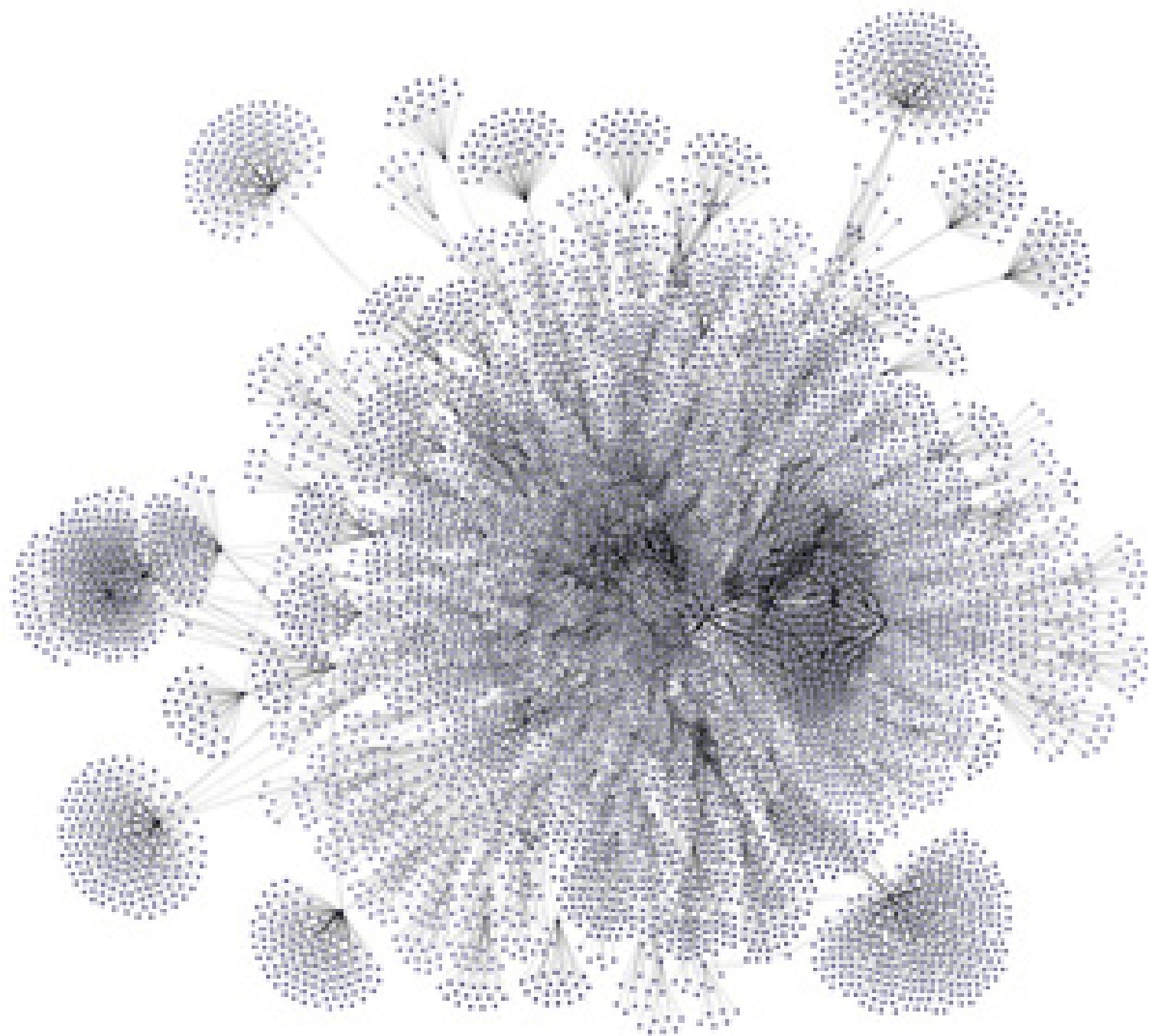
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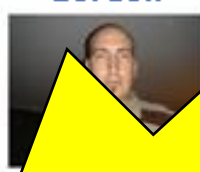
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"Everybody's
favorite place to
study and hang
out."



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Network: Toronto '07
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clients like
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Kyle: We do have access to such a database, it's called Proquest Dissertations and Theses - Full Text: <http://www.library.ualberta.ca/databases/databaseinfo/index.cfm?ID=168>. If it's a recent thesis, there's a good chance that it is available full-text on this db. Otherwise, there would be a paper copy of it held in the UA Libraries' system.

Let me know if you find it. - Randy


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Kyle Sand (Alberta) wrote at 5:28pm on February 22nd, 2007

Just had a question i hoped you could answer. Can we search any sort of thesis database? I'm trying to find one published at the U of A that was referenced in a paper.


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Randy Reichardt (Alberta) wrote at 11:46pm on February 13th, 2007

Steve, thanks for the note and the kind words. I'll relay your suggestion of a "librarian bat signal" to my colleagues, and we'll see if we can come up with something inventive! LOL! And thanks to you, Andrea, Jessica, and Leonard for being the first students to join our new group, your collective support is much appreciated! - Randy

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Steve Lobo (Alberta) wrote at 11:20pm on February 13th, 2007

Wow Randy! You are so amazing, I don't think I have this many ways to contact my parents and we live in

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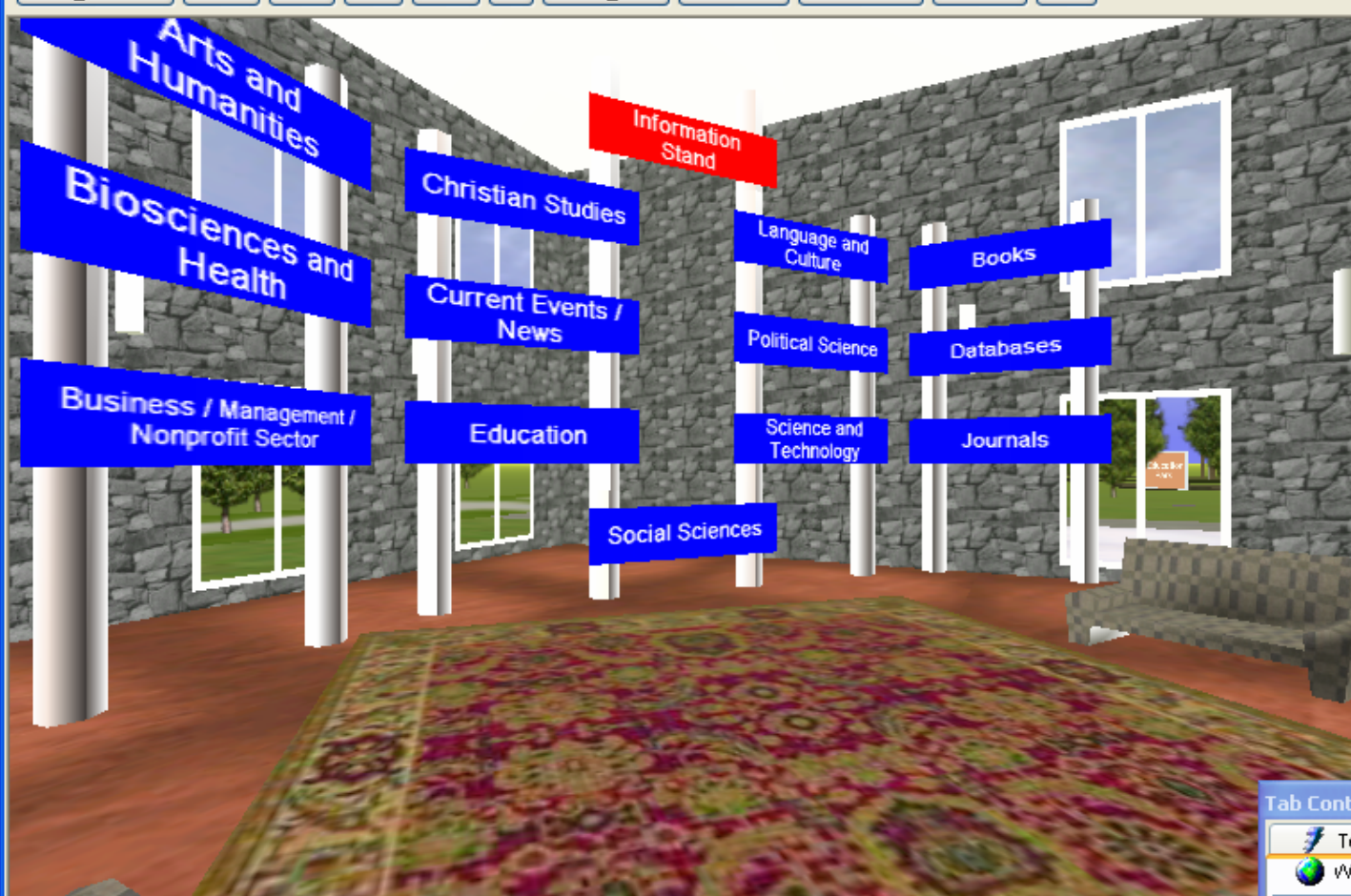
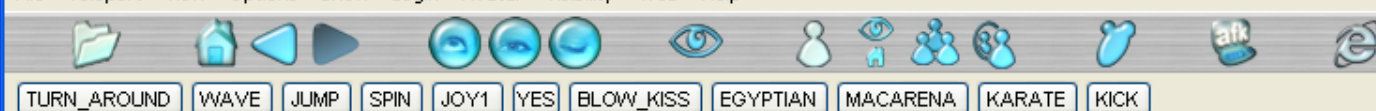
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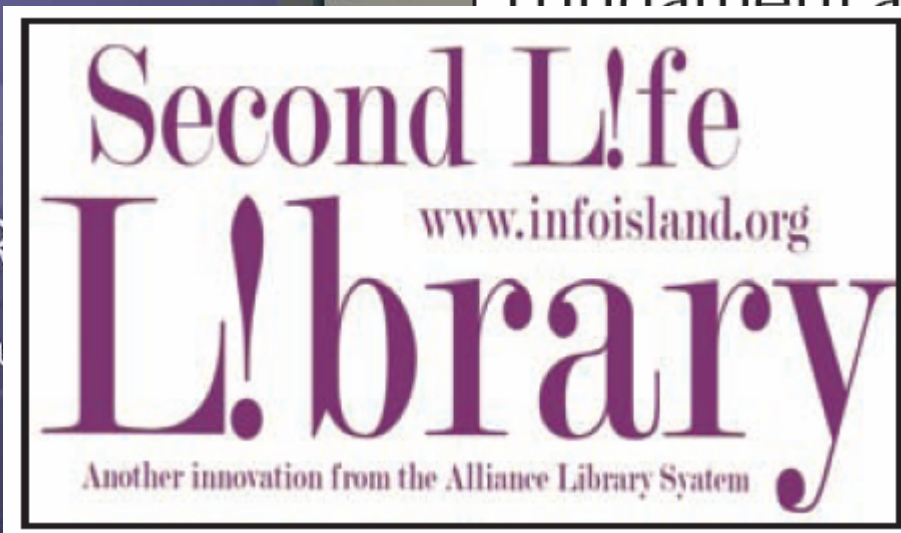
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Reading is virtually fundamental in SL



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and Educators."

ALS, which is based in East Peoria, Ill., will team up with Online Programming for All Libraries (OPAL) and utilize the programs, currently offered online to librarians and libraries, within SL. The two entities eventually hope to offer a plethora of library services.

In a telephone interview, Kitty Pope, executive director for the ALS, said the goal of their programs with- in SL is to reach people who might not otherwise go to a library. In giving background information about the ALS, Pope said the organization

library services could be expanded. "Since there is web programming through OPAL, why not offer that in SL?" she said.

Librarians from all over the coun- try are gathering in SL to assist in setting up the virtual library. In fact, Pope expected criticism from many library blogs, but instead has found those in the field to be immensely excited about the possibilities afford- ed by SL.

Bell concurred, saying, "The response has been enthusiastic. People are volunteering and doing a

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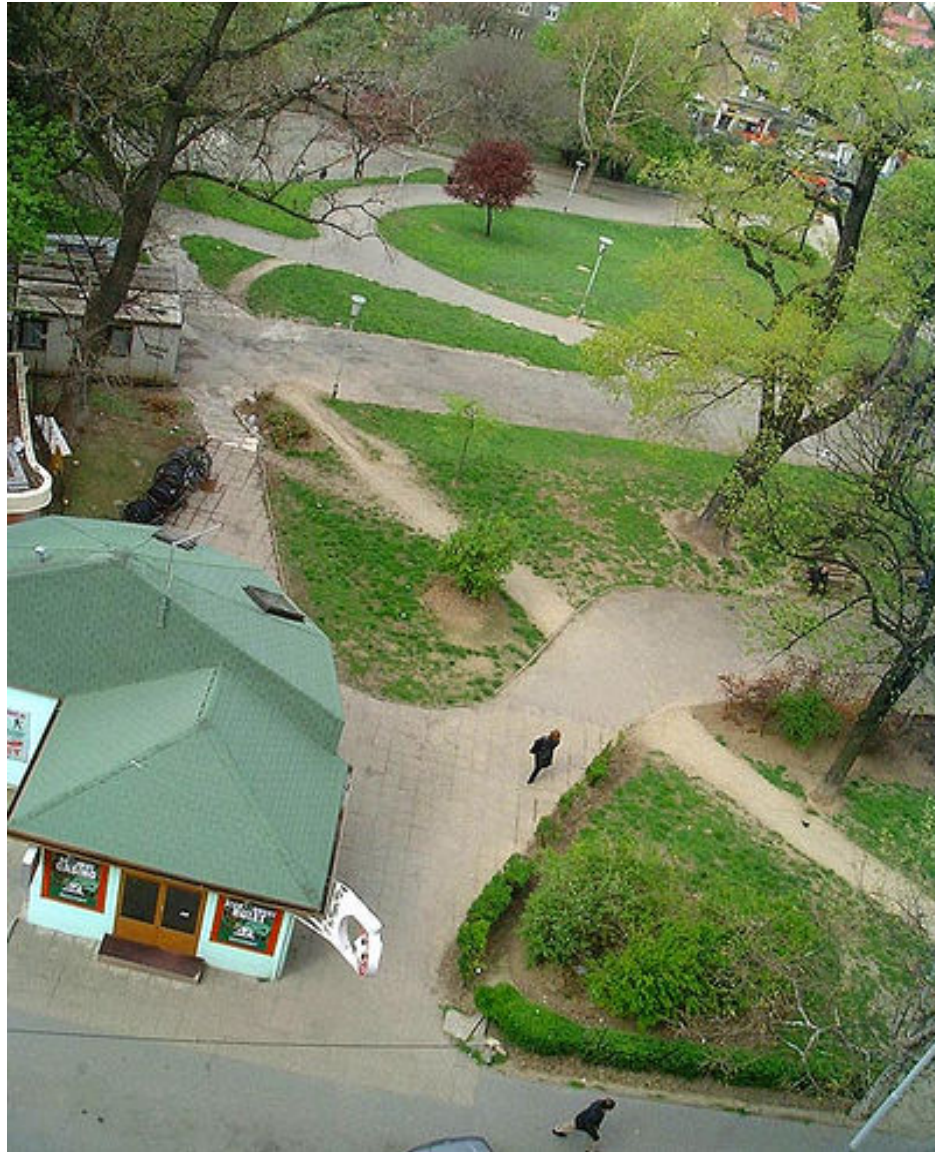
ZACK MORTAL HOSTED A class titled "Introduction to Library Research" yesterday at the new Second Life Library 2.0. The class covered the fundamentals of using real-life online library resources. Mortal covered how to use library catalogs, subject headings to improve searches; use research databases to locate articles and more. - COURTESY PHOTO.





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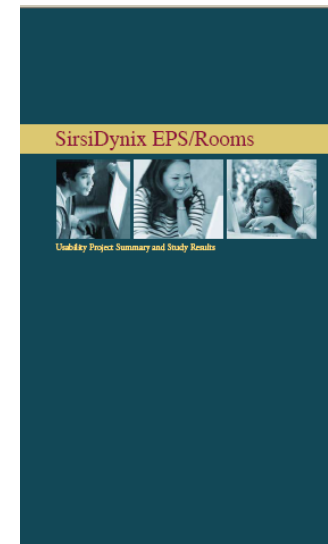
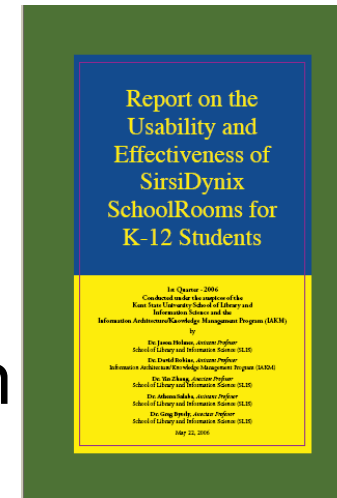
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- Account Management
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- Streaming media: courseware, gaming
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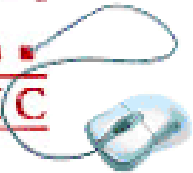


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