

# We Media

## How audiences are shaping the future of news and information

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#### APPENDIX

## **Resources for We Media**

#### Weblogs & related sites

#### **New Media Musings**

Weblog of J.D. Lasica, senior editor for Online Journalism Review http://jdlasica.com/blog/

#### Dan Gillmor's eJournal

Weblog of Dan Gillmor, San Jose Mercury News technology columnist

http://weblog.siliconvalley.com/column/dangillmor/

#### Amateur Hour: the "Me" in Media

Jonathan Peterson's weblog about the democratization of media and digital tools http://www.corante.com/amateur/

#### Many-to-Many

Collaborative weblog on social software http://www.corante.com/many/

#### **Microcontent News**

John Hiler's blog covers weblogs, Webzines, email digests, and personal publishing http://www.microcontentnews.com/

#### MediaSavvy

Barry Parr's daily analysis of networked media news and research http://www.mediasavvy.com/

#### **Blogging News**

Hylton Jolliffe on the future of media and weblogs http://www.corante.com/blogging/

#### E-Media Tidbits

Collaborative weblog by the Poynter Institute for Media Studies about online media and journalism http://www.poynter.org/column.asp?id=31

#### Weblogs and the News

An introduction to blogging and pointers to online articles about journalism and blogs http://jdlasica.com/articles/roundup.html

#### **Online Community Report**

Free e-mail newsletter covering news and best ideas in online group collaboration http://www.onlinecommunityreport.com/

#### **Design for Community**

Additional essays from Derek M. Powazek, author of a book by the same name http://designforcommunity.com/

#### I Want Media

Media news, interviews and resources compiled by Patrick Phillips. Email newsletter available. http://www.iwantmedia.com/

#### Romenesko

Poynter weblog on media industry news, commentary and internal memos http://www.poynter.org/column.asp?id=45

#### Seb's Open Research

Weblog on the evolution of knowledge sharing and scholarly communication http://radio.weblogs.com/0110772/

#### Clay Shirky

Essays about economics & culture, media & community, open source and more http://www.shirky.com/

#### **Adrian Holovaty**

A weblog that focuses on design, usability and other technical aspects of news Web sites. http://www.holovaty.com/

#### Nathan Ashby-Kuhlman

Online news weblog http://www.ashbykuhlman.net/

#### Matt Blackbelt Jones

Weblog by an information architect at BBC New Media

http://www.blackbeltjones.com/work/index.html

#### Steven Berlin Johnson

Weblog by the author of *Emergence* http://stevenberlinjohnson.dreamhost.com/

#### Meg Hourihan

Weblog by the co-founder of Pyra, the company behind Blogger, and co-author of *We Blog* http://www.megnut.com/

#### Jason Kottke

Weblog by designer Jason Kottke about Web technology, media and network science http://www.kottke.org/

#### Joi Ito

Weblog by the CEO of Neoteny, a venture capital firm http://joi.ito.com/

#### **Evan Williams**

Weblog by the co-creator and CEO of Pyra, the company behind Blogger http://www.evhead.com/

#### **David Weinberger**

Weblog by author of *Small Pieces Loosely Joined*; coauthor of *The Cluetrain Manifesto* http://www.hyperorg.com/blogger/index.html

#### **Doc Searls**

Weblog by the co-author of *The Cluetrain Manifesto*; senior editor of Linux Journal http://doc.weblogs.com/



#### Dave Winer

Weblog by the creator of UserLand Software http://www.scripting.com/

#### Nick Denton

Weblog by the founder of Gawker and Gizmodo and former chief executive of Moreover Technologies http://www.nickdenton.org/

#### Mitch Ratcliffe

Journalist whose weblog covers business, technology and investing http://www.ratcliffe.com/bizblog/

#### Jeff Jarvis

Weblog by the president and creative director of Advance.net http://www.buzzmachine.com/

#### Matt Haughey

Weblog by the co-author of We Blog and creator of the community weblog Metafilter http://a.wholelottanothing.org/

#### Marc Canter

Weblog by the founder of MacroMind, which became Macromedia http://blogs.it/0100198/

#### Hypergene MediaBlog

All about Participatory Journalism - how audiences are changing the future of news and information. Weblog by the authors of this whitepaper, Shayne Bowman and Chris Willis http://www.hypergene.net/blog/weblog.php

#### Blogosphere

Weblog by Nicholas Jon on weblogging, new media http://www.blogosphere.us/

#### Slashdot

News for nerds, stuff that matters http://slashdot.org/

#### Kuro5hin

Technology and culture, from the trenches http://www.kuro5hin.org/

#### Metafilter

Community weblog, with topics that run the gamut http://www.metafilter.com/

#### J-Log

Journalism news and media views from K. Paul Mallasch http://www.mallasch.com/journalism/

#### **Creative Commons**

Released a set of copyright licenses free for public use http://creativecommons.org/

#### First Monday

Peer-reviewed journal on the Internet http://www.firstmonday.org/

#### **Pew Internet & American Life**

Research and reports on the impact of the Internet http://www.pewinternet.org/

#### Journalism.org

Research, resources and ideas to improve journalism http://www.journalism.org/

#### Cyberjournalist.net

Weblog by MSNBC.com technology editor Jonathan Dube, sponsored by the American Press Institute, focuses on how the Internet, media convergence and new technologies are changing journalism. http://www.cyberjournalist.net/

#### **Online Journalism Review**

Articles on new media edited by a staff at USC Annenbera

http://www.ojr.org/ojr/page\_one/index.php

**Online News Association** Five-year-old organization devoted to enhancing online news http://journalists.org

#### **Instant Messaging Planet**

News and research on instant messaging http://www.instantmessagingplanet.com/

#### Blog indices, resources and search

Blogdex http://blogdex.media.mit.edu/

Daypop Top 40 http://www.daypop.com/top/

Popdex http://www.popdex.com/

Technorati http://www.technorati.com/

Waypath http://www.waypath.com/

Photoblogs http://www.photoblogs.org/

Blogwise http://www.blogwise.com/

BlogStreet http://www.blogstreet.com/

**Blogging Ecosystem** http://www.myelin.co.nz/ecosystem/

Organica http://organica.us/

## Books

**Network theory** 

Linked: The New Science of Networks by Albert-László Barabási http://www.amazon.com/exec/obidos/ASIN/

0738206679/ Author site: http://www.nd.edu/~alb/

#### Six Degrees: The Science of a Connected Age

by Duncan J. Watts http://www.amazon.com/exec/obidos/ASIN/ 0393041425/

Small Worlds by Duncan J. Watts http://www.amazon.com/exec/obidos/ASIN/ 0691005419/

#### Nexus: Small Worlds and the Groundbreaking Science of Networks

by Mark Buchanan http://www.amazon.com/exec/obidos/ASIN/ 0393041530/

## Sync: The Emerging Science of Spontaneous Order

by Steven Strogatz http://www.amazon.com/exec/obidos/ASIN/ 0786868449/

## **Emergence: The Connected Lives of Ants, Brains, Cities, and Software**

by Steven Johnson http://www.amazon.com/exec/obidos/ASIN/ 068486875X/ Author weblog: http://stevenberlinjohnson.dreamhost.com/

#### The Tipping Point: How Little Things Can Make a Big Difference

by Malcolm Gladwell http://www.amazon.com/exec/obidos/ASIN/ 0316346624/

#### The Emergence of Everything: How the World Became Complex by Harold J. Morowitz http://www.amazon.com/oxoc/obidoc/ASIN/

http://www.amazon.com/exec/obidos/ASIN/ 019513513X/

#### **Online community**

#### Design for Community: The Art of Connecting Real People in Virtual Places by Derek M. Powazek

http://www.amazon.com/exec/obidos/ASIN/ 0735710759/ Web site: http://designforcommunity.com/

#### Community Building on the Web: Secret

#### Strategies for Successful Online Communities by Amy Jo Kim

http://www.amazon.com/exec/obidos/ASIN/ 0735710759/

#### The Virtual Community: Homesteading on the Electronic Frontier

by Howard Rheingold http://www.amazon.com/exec/obidos/ASIN/ 0060976411/

## Online Communities: Designing Usability and Supporting Sociability

by Jennifer Preece http://www.amazon.com/exec/obidos/ASIN/ 047180599/

#### Weblogs

#### The Weblog Handbook: Practical Advice on Creating and Maintaining Your Blog by Rebecca Blood

http://www.amazon.com/exec/obidos/ASIN/ 073820756X/ Author weblog: http://www.rebeccablood.net/

#### We've Got Blog: How Weblogs Are Changing Our Culture

by Editors of Perseus Publishing, Rebecca Blood http://www.amazon.com/exec/obidos/ASIN/ 0738207411/

#### We Blog: Publishing Online with Weblogs

by Paul Bausch, Meg Hourihan, Matt Haughey http://www.amazon.com/exec/obidos/ASIN/ 0764549626/

Weblog: http://www.blogroots.com/

#### **Essential Blogging**

by Shelley Powers (Editor), et al (Paperback) http://www.amazon.com/exec/obidos/ASIN/ 0596003889/ Author weblog: http://weblog.burningbird.net/

#### Blogging: Genius Strategies for Instant Web Content

by Biz Stone http://www.amazon.com/exec/obidos/ASIN/ 0735712999/

#### **Running Weblogs With Slash**

by Chromatic, et al http://www.amazon.com/exec/obidos/ASIN/ 0596001002/

#### Blog On: Building Online Communities With Weblogs by Todd Stauffer

http://www.amazon.com/exec/obidos/ASIN/ 0072227125/

#### Journalism

#### The Elements of Journalism: What Newspeople Should Know and the Public Should Expect by Bill Kovach and Tom Rosensteil http://www.amazon.com/exec/obidos/ASIN/

0609806912/

## Warp Speed: America in the Age of the Mixed Media Culture

by Bill Kovach, Tom Rosenstiel http://www.amazon.com/exec/obidos/ASIN/ 0870784374/

#### News Values: Ideas for an Information Age by Jack Fuller

http://www.amazon.com/exec/obidos/ASIN/ 0226268802/

## The News About the News: American Journalism in Peril

by Leonard Downie Jr., Robert G. Kaiser http://www.amazon.com/exec/obidos/ASIN/ 0375714154/

The Press Effect: Politicians, Journalists, and the Stories That Shape the Political World by Kathleen Hall Jamieson, Paul Waldman http://www.amazon.com/exec/obidos/ASIN/ 0195152778/



#### Other

#### **Smart Mobs: The Next Social Revolution**

by Howard Rheingold http://www.amazon.com/exec/obidos/ASIN/ 0738206083/ Weblog: http://www.smartmobs.com/

#### Small Pieces Loosely Joined: A Unified Theory of the Web

by David Weinberger http://www.amazon.com/exec/obidos/ASIN/ 0738205435/ Author weblog: http://www.hyperorg.com/blogger/index.html

#### TRUST: Human Nature and the Reconstitution of Social Order

by Francis Fukuyama http://www.amazon.com/exec/obidos/ASIN/ 0684825252/

#### Bowling Alone: The Collapse and Revival of American Community

by Robert D. Putnam http://www.amazon.com/exec/obidos/ASIN/ 0743203046/

#### The Future of Ideas: The Fate of the Commons in a Connected World

by Lawrence Lessig http://www.amazon.com/exec/obidos/ASIN/ 0375505784/

## The Cluetrain Manifesto: The End of Business as Usual

by Christopher Locke, et al http://www.amazon.com/exec/obidos/ASIN/ 0738204315/

#### The Visionary's Handbook: Nine Paradoxes That will Shape the Future of Your Business by Watts Wacker, Jim Taylor

http://www.amazon.com/exec/obidos/ASIN/ 0066619874/

#### The Deviant's Advantage: How Fringe Ideas Create Mass Markets by Ryan Mathews, Watts Wacker

http://www.amazon.com/exec/obidos/ASIN/ 0609609580/

#### Tools Weblog software

Blogger http://www.blogger.com/

Movable Type http://www.movabletype.org/

Radio UserLand http://radio.userland.com/

**pMachine** http://www.pmachine.com/

LiveJournal http://www.livejournal.com/

Greymatter http://www.noahgrey.com/greysoft/

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http://www.cafelog.com/

Geeklog http://www.geeklog.net/

iBlog (Mac) http://www.lifli.com/Products/iBlog/main.htm

Tripod Blog Builder http://blog.tripod.lycos.com/

Trellix http://www.trellix.com/products/blogging.asp

Xanga http://www.xanga.com/

WebCrimson http://www.webcrimson.com/

Weblog Software comparison http://www.urldir.com/bt/

Blogware review http://www.microcontentnews.com/articles/ blogware.htm

#### **Forum Software**

phpBB
http://www.phpbb.com/

Discus and DiscusPro http://www.discusware.com/

vBulletin http://www.vbulletin.com/

WebBoard http://www.akiva.com/products/webboard/

WebCrossing http://www.webcrossing.com/

Ultimate Bulletin Board (UBB) & OpenTopic http://www.infopop.com/products/

**Snitz Forums** http://forum.snitz.com/

**Phorum** http://phorum.org/

#### Gnutella File Sharing (P2P) software

http://www.gnutelliums.com/

Kazaa http://www.kazaa.com/

Morpheus http://www.morpheus.com/

LimeWire http://www.limewire.com/

BearShare http://www.bearshare.com/

Grokster http://www.grokster.com/

#### **Discussion Groups software**

Yahoo!Groups http://groups.yahoo.com/



Topica http://www.topica.com/

#### **RSS XML news readers**

NewzCrawler (PC) http://www.newzcrawler.com/

AmphetaDesk (cross-platform) http://www.disobey.com/amphetadesk/

News Monster (cross-platform) http://www.newsmonster.org/download.html

Radio UserLand (PC or Mac) http://radio.userland.com/

NetNewsWire (Mac) http://ranchero.com/software/netnewswire/

FeedReader (PC) http://www.feedreader.com/

Headline Viewer (PC) http://www.headlineviewer.com/

Aggie News (PC) http://bitworking.org/Aggie.html

More news reader software http://www.ourpla.net/cgi-bin/pikie.cgi?RssReaders

#### **XML Feed Aggregators**

Syndic8 http://www.syndic8.com/

News Is Free http://www.newsisfree.com/

## Collaborative publishing tools

Slashcode http://slashcode.com/

Scoop http://scoop.kuro5hin.org/ PHP-Nuke

http://phpnuke.org/

Postnuke http://www.postnuke.com/

Wiki Engines http://c2.com/cgi/wiki?WikiEngines

**OpenCMS** http://www.opencms.org/opencms/en/

**Open Source Content Management Systems** http://www.la-grange.net/cms

Groove Networks http://www.groove.net/

Zaplet Collaboration Software http://www.zaplet.com/

ActiveBuddy Interactive Instant Messaging Software http://www.activebuddy.com/

Jabber.org Open source instant messaging platform http://www.jabber.org/