

The Twitter logo is displayed in a light blue, rounded, lowercase font with a white outline. The background is a solid light blue color with faint, larger-scale versions of the Twitter bird logo and the word 'twitter' scattered across it.

twitter

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What is Twitter?



What are you doing?

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presenting an amazing presentation on Twitter in CS4803DOC, ftw.

update

A social networking and micro-blogging service centered around people answering the question "What are you doing?"

<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ddO9idmax0o>



I just talked about epistemological connections in this CS paper. Do I get my cookie now or later?

less than a minute ago from web ☆ 🗑️

Previous

With Others



wilshiple @djlemur How are you driving and tweeting? 1 minute ago from twiterrific in reply to djlemur ☆



minarets At the Spoon concert. Camel is here trying to convince us to smoke by giving away freebies and swag. - 1 2 minutes ago from txt ☆



nateritter @DustinMooney I tell everyone I know about <http://asmallorange.com> as my hosting company. Simply awesome! 2 minutes ago from twiterrific in reply to DustinMooney ☆



confession this is scaring me.please dont leave 2 minutes ago from web ☆



zeldman @chockenberry Happy birthday, Furbo! 3 minutes ago from Hahlo in reply to chockenberry ☆



slashgear Android is coming, how will handset manufacturers handle the relationship between their Windows Mobile handsets and Android handsets? - 3 minutes ago from web ☆

About

Name Paul Stamiou

Location Atlanta, GA

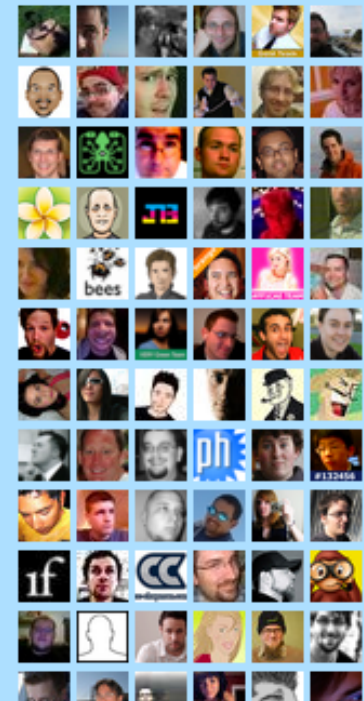
Web <http://paulstamat...>

Bio Georgia Tech student, blogger extraordinaire.

Stats

Following	529
Followers	1,977
Favorites	21
Updates	4,242

Following



Research Methods



- Created accounts with real names, avatar of our mugshots and bio information stating we are GT students.
- Found users by
 - Searching within Twitter
 - Exploring and seeing who others interacted with
 - ...
- Typical Twitter use: many short sessions throughout the day
- Interviewed regular Twitter users over the phone
 - Each used Twitter for varying uses

Affordances & Constraints



- 140 character tweet limitation
- Customizable profile pages with 160-character bio line, location field and website field.
- Ability to protect updates from public view and block users
- Fast and highly accessible

About

Name Bill Clinton

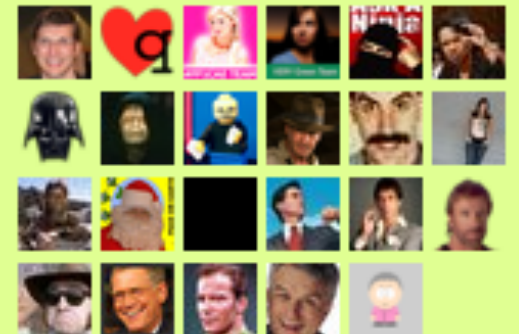
Location NYC but always on AR time

Bio 42nd President of the United States - Now trying to become 1st Husband

Stats

Following	23
Followers	3,106
Favorites	0
Updates	77

Following



block billclinton

Community Analysis



- Purpose
- Gathering Places
- Membership and Profiles
- Leadership
- Code of Conduct
- Cyclic Events
- Roles
- Support for Sub-groups
- Real World

Versatility



Ubiquity and real-time speed of Twitter combined with a creative user-base leads to interesting uses of Twitter. These include...

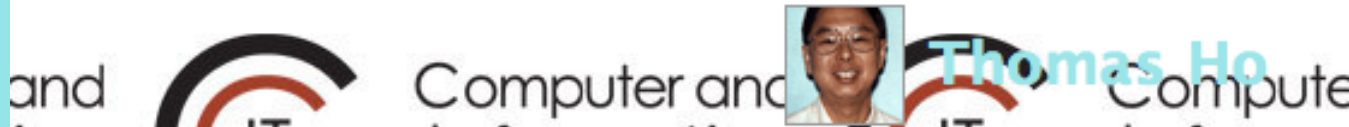
- Asking a question
- Posting links
- Boasting
- Weekend plans
- Personal portfolio
- Locations
- @name replies
- Current events
- Venting about school or work
- Organizing quick meetups
- Weather
- Agenda for the day

Versatility Continued

twitter

@indyjoyb there's nothing to organizing a #Tweetup. Just put the word out

about 3 hours ago from [twirl](#) in reply to [indyjoyb](#) ☆



Thomas Ho

The world's coolest stranger just saw me miss the bus and DROVE ME AHEAD TO BEAT IT.

08:42 PM February 18, 2008 from [txt](#) ★



Nick Douglas

Why The UK Is a Great Place to Build a Startup! -- <http://www.centernetworks.c...>

10 minutes ago from web ☆



CenterNetworks

Twitter Feedback



- Make it easier to find people
- Integrate some official convention for sub-groups
- Filters to facilitate sorting through many updates for people following lots of users