

# LIS-3353

Social Media  
(the good stuff, mostly)



How do 100 people have a conversation?  
A million?



# Listserv

Your command:

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<http://mailer.uwf.edu/Lists/wa.exe?OK=786DD066&L=EDF6481>

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**Mobile: LG Launches Watch Phone In India**

Posted by [ScuttleMonkey](#) on Saturday February 27, @04:45AM from the can-you-hear-me-now-kit? dept.

roh2cool writes

"If you are a watch freak and also happen to be a fan of ultra rare (and expensive) gadgets, this might just interest you. The [LG GD910 watch phone](#) looks like a normal watch – except for the fact that it can double up as your mobile phone when needed. It is quite thin at just 13.9mm and packs in 3G and Video Calling capabilities as well. The phone is quite stylish and the front fascia is covered by scratch-proof tempered glass. It comes with a Bluetooth headset so you don't have to keep talking like David Hasselhoff talked to his super-car KITT in the "Knight Rider" series."




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**Science: What Is Time? One Researcher Shares His Exploration**

Posted by [ScuttleMonkey](#) on Saturday February 27, @04:01AM from the what-about-the-underverse dept.

Physicist Sean Carroll has built up a bit of a name for himself by tackling one of the age old questions that no one has been able to fully explain: [What is time?](#) Earlier this month he gave an interview with Wired where he tried to explain his theories in layman's terms.



"I'm trying to understand how time works. And that's a huge question that has

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But these were/are generally “topic-oriented” with identities added on.

What about “identity” based?



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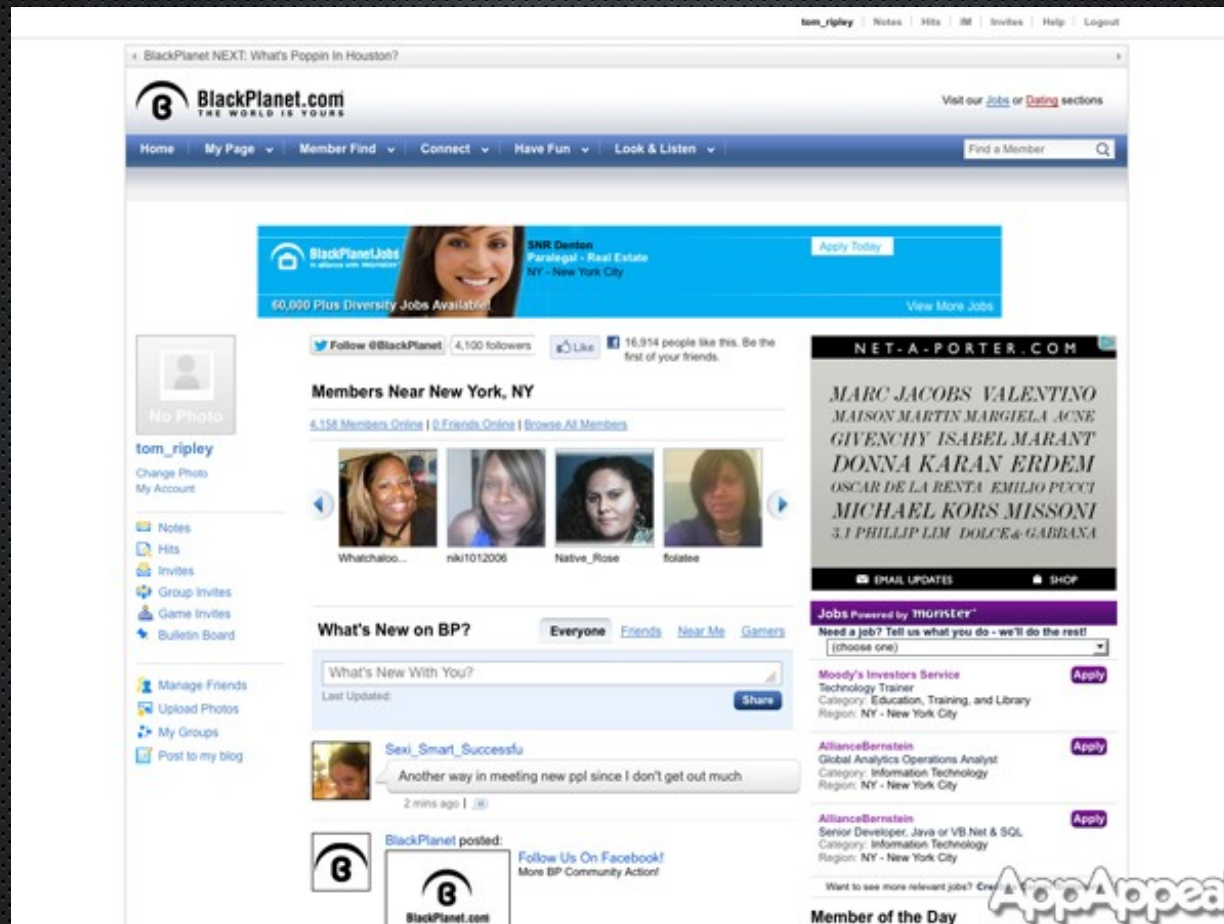
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45% le interesa y sigue el tema de ...

**Aimel Rios** 22:52  
la comunidad virtual son un peun... 2 nuevos

**Alexis Romay** 22:50  
oye, jaba'o, estas en vela aún?

**Blanca Esperanza Gutiérrez...** 22:49  
he trabajado todo el día en la int...

**Orlando Luis Pardo Lazo** 19:45

**Wilfredo Cancio Isla** 19:33  
Felicidades, profe, que pase un li...

**Roberto Gonzalez Perez** 18:35  
en esas vamos, ya veras

**Solución Cuba** 17:47  
ok, hecho

**Carelsy Falcon Calzadilla** 17:27  
responde eso que tengo algo...

**Abilio Estévez** 17:24  
Gracias a ti, asere (palabra que... 1 nuevos

**Claudia del Río**

+ Nuevo mensaje Acciones

con mucho gusto

viste e; mensaje que te envíe esta mañana

**Luis Felipe Rojas** 22:44  
Qué crees que logra la comunidad activa de facebook en favor de los activistas cubanos de ntro de la isla? Tomate unos minutos, me la escribes en word, con calma y me la copias aqui en el buzón de mensajes, te voy a esperar

no, no vi nada he estado desconectado, trabajando la interfaz del blog y me tiene medio jodio eso

**Claudia del Río** 22:47  
Primeramente, la comunidad activa se compone de muchas edades y diferentes intereses, aunque por estadísticas podría creer que el 45

**Claudia del Río** 22:54  
45% le interesa y sigue el tema de Cuba y la disidencia se informan llegan a comparti la noticia pero no pasa de ahí. hay un 15 % que si le intereza ayudar y llevar un poco de interes a organizarse para hacer algo y le queda ya la inquietud de que algo hay que hacer pero no saben como hacerlo Se podria hacer mucas cosas para ayudar y crear un red extremadamente fuerte que puede llegar hacer hasta incontrorable para el Gobierno de Cuba pero hace falta encender esa chispa de deceo y disciplina y trabajar en un solo proyecto para llevar a cabo una solucion que se que esta en nuestras manos.

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Melinda, read what Richard Branson is saying on LinkedIn.




**Richard Branson**, Founder at Virgin Group

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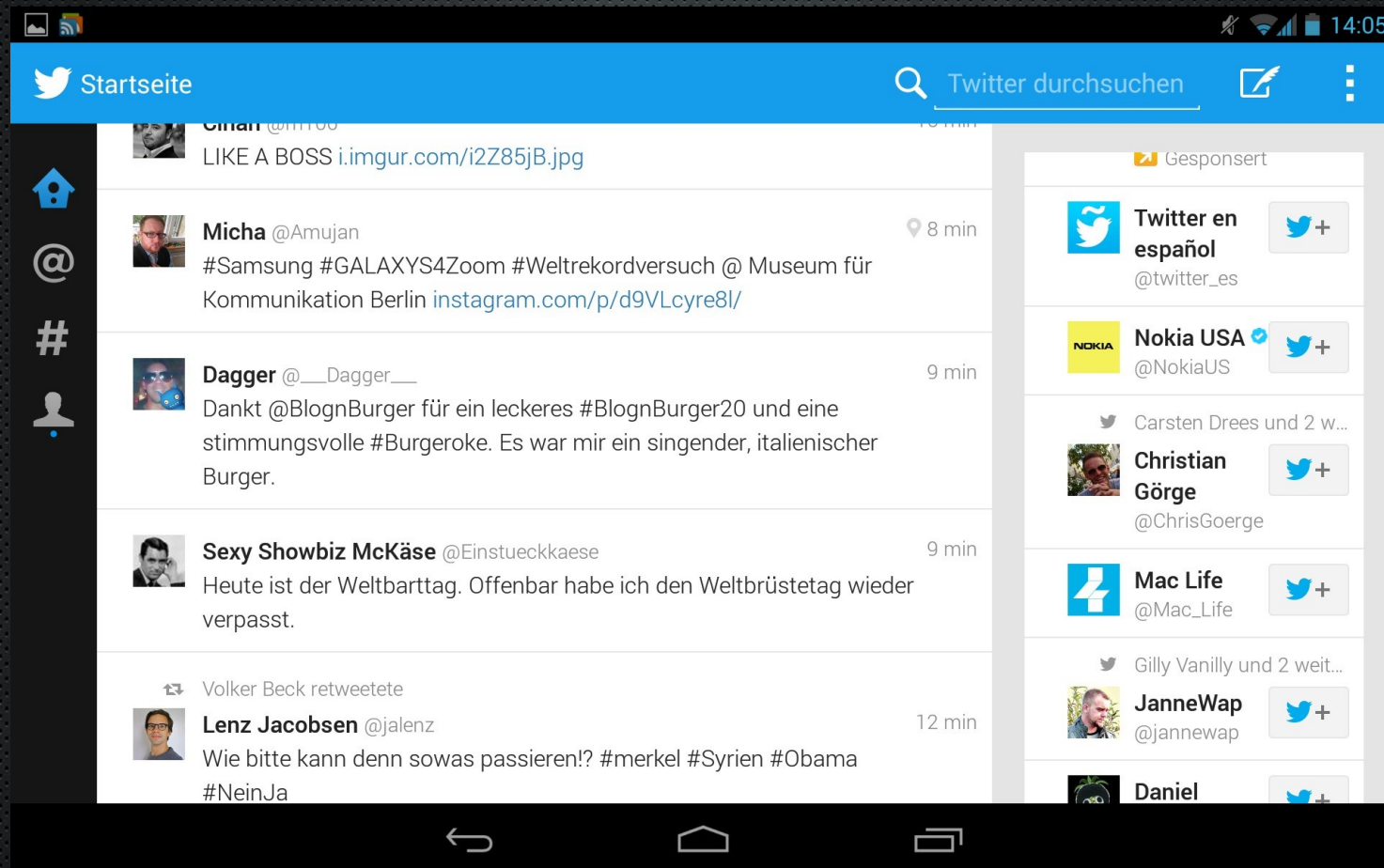


This ties in with another useful  
idea: syndication.

AKA, “What are you up to RIGHT NOW?”



# Twitter





# And everyone else trying to make millions..

- Snapchat
- Vine
- Instagram
- ...etc.



# But, perhaps there are drawbacks?

Really, one.

Who “controls” the forum? What does its  
GOVERNANCE look like?

Many models, many ideas.



# Censorship?

(I'm not sure why I put a question mark there. Yes, this is freaking censorship and it's weird.)

The screenshot shows a Firefox browser window with several tabs open. The active tab is titled "The weird world of Facebook's moral code: beheadings good, breastfeedings bad". The address bar shows the URL "www.wired.co.uk/news/archive/2013-10/22/facebook-beheading". The page header features the "WIRED.CO.UK" logo and a navigation bar with links to "NEWS", "Topics", "TECHNOLOGY", "FACEBOOK", and "CENSORSHIP". The main headline is "The weird world of Facebook's moral code: beheadings good, breastfeedings bad". Below the headline, it says "TECHNOLOGY / 22 OCTOBER 13 / by LIAT CLARK". The article text discusses Facebook's decision to lift its ban on some extreme graphic content. It mentions that in May 2013, Facebook bowed to pressure to take down graphic violent content, but a video depicting a man decapitating a woman in Mexico reemerged on the site. It also mentions a tweet from David Cameron criticizing Facebook's actions. The article concludes by stating that Facebook told Wired.co.uk that a warning has since been published on the site before the video plays, but Wired.co.uk does not wish to watch a beheading to verify this.

Facebook's decision to lift its ban on some of the most extreme graphic content posted to its network is the latest in a long line of incongruous rules that have come out of its vague terms of service.

In May 2013 Facebook had bowed to pressure to take down graphic violent content. However, as **flagged up by the BBC**, a video depicting a man decapitating a woman in Mexico has reemerged on the site. It's paved the way for a string of complaints and criticism, including a tweet today from David Cameron, which read: "It's irresponsible of Facebook to post beheading videos, especially without a warning. They must explain their actions to worried parents."

Facebook told Wired.co.uk today that a warning has since been published on the site before the aforementioned video plays (Wired.co.uk does not wish to watch a beheading in order to verify this, so will take Facebook's word for it).

The image shows the Facebook logo on a blue background. A hand cursor is pointing at the logo. Above the logo, the text "www.facebook.com/" is visible. The image is credited to "Shutterstock".



Other ways?



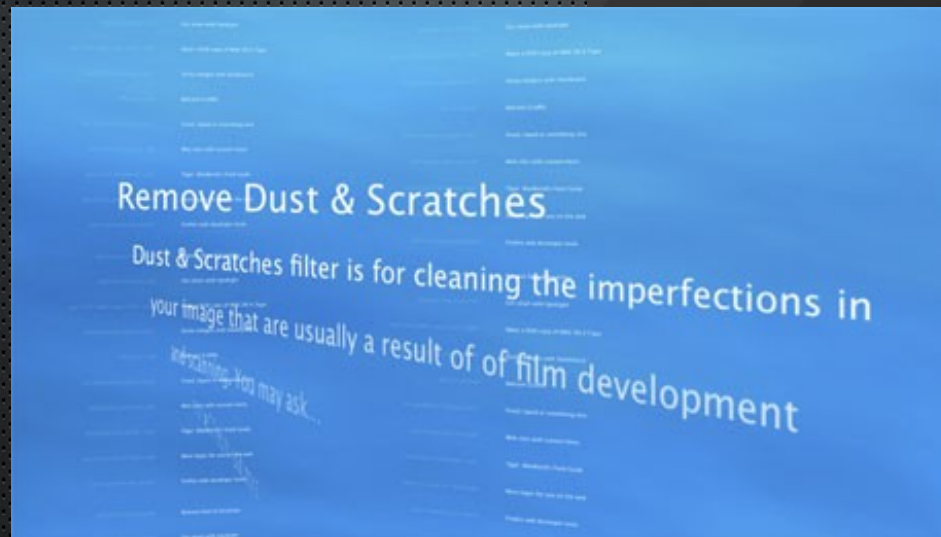
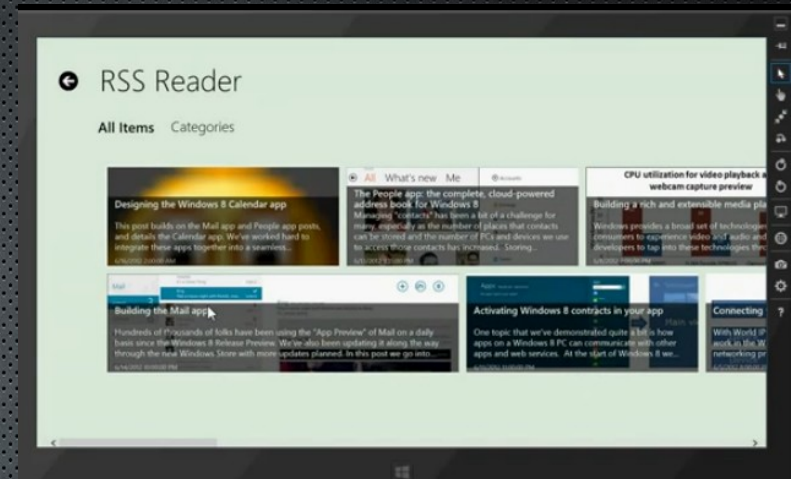
# RSS?

The screenshot shows the Google Reader web interface. At the top, there's a search bar and a dropdown menu set to "All items". Below this is a navigation bar with a "SUBSCRIBE" button, a refresh icon, a notification for "43 new items", and buttons for "Mark all as read" and "View settings...". On the left sidebar, there are sections for "Home" (with links to "All items (43)", "Starred items", "Trends", and "Browse for stuff"), "Explore" (with "Recommended items" and "Recommended sources"), and "Subscriptions" (listing categories like "apple-news (5)", "business (4)", "Interesting People (6)", "marketing (1)", "misc (1)", "politics", "sports", "technology (17)", "web-2 (14)", and "--verbose"). The main content area, titled "All items", shows a list of articles sorted by oldest. Each article entry includes a star icon, the source name, the article title, a brief description, and the time it was published.

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Mark Moore

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**Mark Moore** – less than a minute ago

Looking at this machine as a replacement for my home desktop.  
[www.tigerdirect.com/applications/searchtools/item-details.asp?EdpNo=7143624&pagenumber=1&RSort=1&csid=ITD&recordsPerPage=10&body=REVIEWS#ReviewStart](http://www.tigerdirect.com/applications/searchtools/item-details.asp?EdpNo=7143624&pagenumber=1&RSort=1&csid=ITD&recordsPerPage=10&body=REVIEWS#ReviewStart)  
I have a desktop tailing a few logfiles, but nothing critical. I can't say that I use a desktop for much other than work at my employer. But, I would like to have solid access to shell. I use my CR-48 90% of the time now.

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**Kevin Voss** – about 20 hours ago

Toying around with upgrading to [#Ubuntu](#) Oneiric beta. I'm running a System76 Lemur, so I'm not so worried about hardware issues, but I just never have a sense of when it's safe to make the leap.

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**Mark Moore** –

True. The package that Canonical is producing seems unstable to me. If the key focus of Ubuntu 11.04+ is Unity and my systems are not compatible, it seems to me that Lucid will prevail. After all, it is the LTS.

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Feedback



# GNU Social / “Quitter”

The screenshot displays the GNU Social / "Quitter" web interface. At the top, the header includes the "gnusocial" logo, a blue bull icon, a search bar, and user profile icons. The left sidebar features a user profile for John R. Marks IV (@jrm4) with a blue header, followed by navigation links for Notices (1), Following (1), and Groups (0). Below these are links for "Compose a new notice...", "Timeline", "Notifications" (with a blue badge showing 1), "Mentions", "Favorites", "Public Timeline", "The Whole Known Network", and "@eyck". The main content area, titled "Public Timeline", shows three tweets. The first tweet is from @stigatle, mentioning the installation of Fedora Workstation and Steam, and linking to a Steam app. The second tweet is from @gharghi, discussing a security alert from Incibe regarding a Google Play app named "Activar Llamadas Whatsapp". The third tweet is also from @gharghi, reporting on children soldiers and linking to a news article from eldiario.es.

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Public Timeline

**John R. Marks IV**  
@jrm4

NOTICES 1 FOLLOWING 1 GROUPS 0

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@eyck

**stig atle steffensen** @stigatle · 7m  
Fedora workstation is installed and working, steam is working, currently installing 'Pillars of eternity', a fantastic RPG - feels like Baldur's gate 2 all over again - <http://store.steampowered.com/app/291650/>

**Gharghi** @gharghi · 22m  
Guillermo Paños @itoguille 4 de abr.  
Una explicación fácil de la tarifa de la luz en una sola imagen. #L6Ndanilacalle  
[pic.twitter.com/YmFJozn9VA](http://pic.twitter.com/YmFJozn9VA)

**Gharghi** @gharghi · 24m  
El Instituto Nacional de Ciberseguridad (Incibe) ha alertado esta semana de la identificación en Google Play de una aplicación que bajo el nombre 'Activar Llamadas Whatsapp' utiliza como pretexto la reciente activación de este servicio para engañar a los usuarios para que se suscriban a servicios SMS Premium.  
Ver más en: <https://quitter.no/url/13168>

**Gharghi** @gharghi · 26m  
Los niños soldados que dejaron los fusiles por las aulas [http://www.eldiario.es/\\_163c7d6c](http://www.eldiario.es/_163c7d6c) vía @desalambre  
"Lo primero que me dijeron fue '¿cuándo vamos al colegio?', cuenta García-Tapia con satisfacción. La especialista forma parte del equipo de Unicef que se hace cargo de los menores tras la liberación, a través de centros de cuidados temporales en los que PRESTAN asistencia psicológica a los menores y, cuando



# Why not just hack listservs?

- Subject: #Wallpost
- Body:

Woo-hoo! Partyin' at the party place!

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The “Scene”



# Lots of IT projects fail. Most, even.

- Romney Campaign
- Obamacare Website



# Technology disconnect:

- “I've got a great idea,” says the non-programmer, “I just need a geek to code it up for me and we (meaning I) will make millions!”
- Execution is key.



# Technology disconnect:

- Not difficult to see why; to the layperson:
  - - it looks like magic
  - - open source contribution is undervalued
  - - many ideas have not yet been successfully executed



# The *Mythical Man Month*:

(vs. Ditchdigging:)

If 1 person can dig 1 ditch in 1 day--

Then 2 people can dig 2 in a 1 day

8 people can dig 1 in an hour.

But what about websites or apps?



# The *Mythical Man Month*

In IT (and frequently, other projects)

Increasing workers increases complexity, and may actually INCREASE completion time.

(related, website by committee)



# Silicon Valley and the (vs. the?) Real World



# “Silicon Valley”

- High “skilled” labor demand
- Real estate prices currently sky-high
- Many many startups
  - some only pay in “equity”
- (Equity = shares/ownership/stock)



# “Silicon Valley”

- Venture Capital / Angel Investors
- Provide money/startup/capital
- Keep quite a bit of equity.



# “Silicon Valley” and “Irrational Exuberance?”

- Bubble – Overinvestment in projects that doesn't pay off.
- First bubble – 1999



# “Gold Rush” Analogy?

- A lot of people moved out to California to search for gold:
  - - Most didn't find it.
  - - Some lucky people did
  - - Some people sold shovels



# The Real World

(which includes SV, but doesn't define it.)

- Silicon Valley, for better and worse, is perceived as the “leader” right now.
- Some of that is universally applicable, some is not...



## What Silicon Valley might not be so great at...

- “Brogrammer” culture
- Stability
- Not everything is an algorithm
- Politics (in every sense of the word)
  
- **Narrow Minded?** What is the end goal, really?
- (are they all essentially advertising companies?)



# “Traditional” workspaces

- “Dogfooding” by necessity
- More conservative
- Older workers (including the entrepreneurs)
- Regular hours
- Stability
- Greater respect for privacy et al?