WebLearn

Collaboration Content Assessment Information Management

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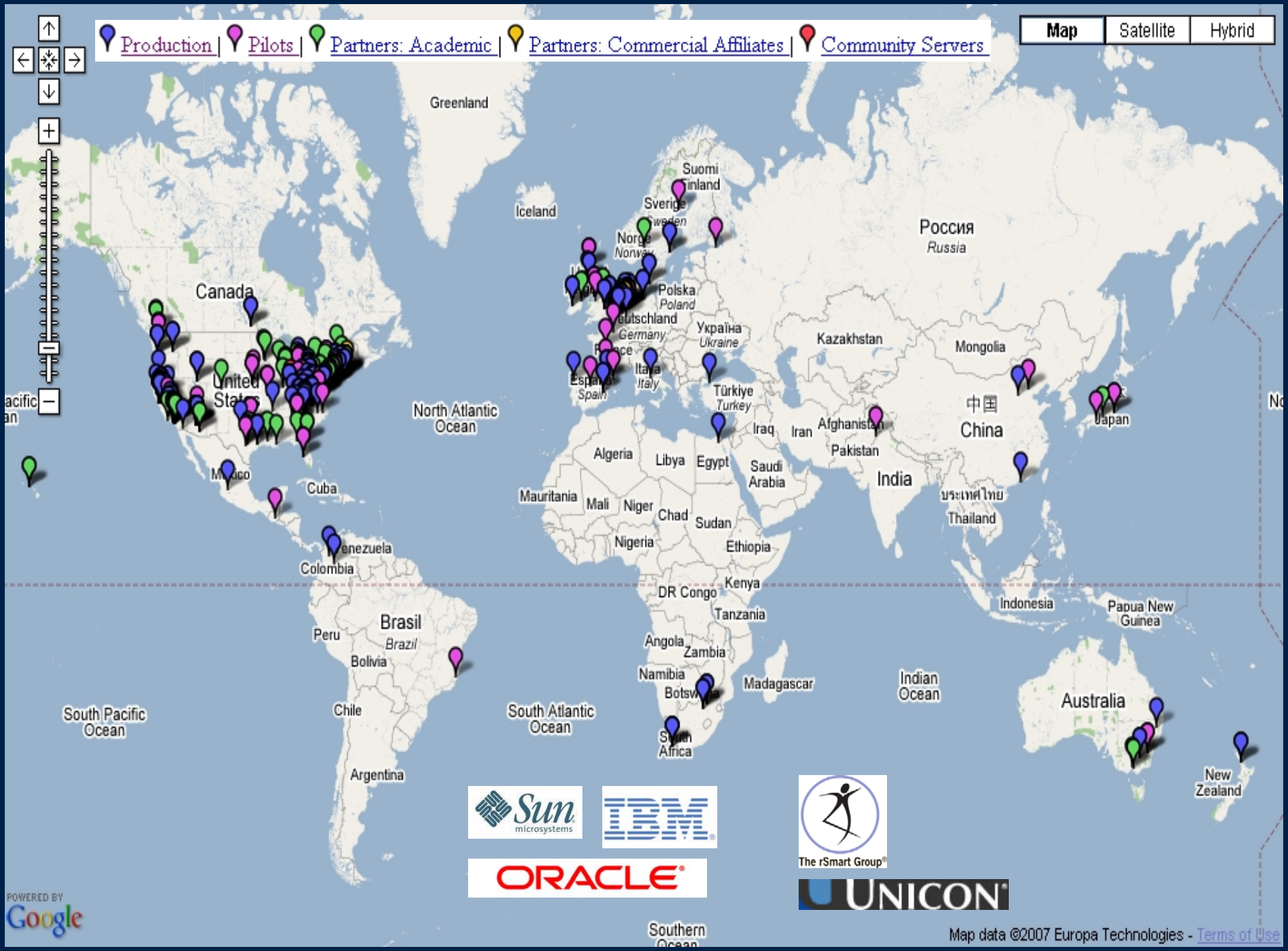
What is happening?

- New WebLearn service launched 30 June
  - URL is weblearn.ox.ac.uk
- Dual service: old & new systems in parallel
- Old system becomes read-only Sept 2011
- Old system to be withdrawn June 2012
- You (yes you) must migrate your material
  - but we will help!

About new system

- Based on Sakai (open source), also used at
  - Yale (will make the new VC feel at home!)
  - Cambridge, Hull, Lancaster, Newcastle
  - UCBerkley, MIT, Harvard, Stanford, Princeton, NYU
- Better, cleaner more modern interface
- Covers virtually all functions of old system
- Same (unique) concepts as old system
  - eg, hierarchy, groups, public access
- Uses Oxford SSO (webauth)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Sverige Sweden
Norge Norway
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New WebLearn Facilities 1

- Share material with students or external users
  - can be searched
- Schedule (calendar) for events
- Announcements (in site or by email)
- Discussion forums
- Electronic pigeon holes (with Turnitin option)
- Tutorial sign-up sheet

New WebLearn Facilities 2

- RSS, news feeds incl. Twitter, OxItems
- Email distribution list (with archive)
- Assessment (quiz), survey and opinion poll
- Wiki for collaboration
- Tracking (with pie charts, histograms, CSV)
- Reading lists linked to OLIS
- ‘Integration’ with Oxcort, GSS, Oxam, Oxlip+, OSS, …

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Welcome | Social Sciences | SIAS | **MSc in Modern Chinese Studies** | My Workspace | My Active Sites

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China's Economic Reforms
Modern Chinese P&S (Core 1)
The Anthropology of China
Sociology of China
Intellectual Foundations
Politics & Government of China
Research Methods
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New Site
Bring Site
Manage Site

Users present:
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Site Information Display

Options

Welcome to the WebLearn Beta site for the MSc in Modern Chinese Studies. We hope you find it useful. Please follow the links on the left hand side to the course modules and option courses.

To access any content, please click on Resources on the menu on the left hand side.

Please email your queries to sarah.rankin@area.ox.ac.uk

Recent Announcements

Options

There are currently no announcements at this location.

Calendar

Options

October, 2008 — < Today >

Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat	Sun
29	30	1	2	3	4	5
6	7	8	9	10	11	12
13	14	15	16	17	18	19
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Worksite Information

Options

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Index of Factsheets
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WebLearn Artefacts

Show/hide descriptions

This site contains a number of items about the upcoming WebLearn service. Note that this site DOES NOT contain user doumentation. This information can be found on the 'Documentation / Help' site elsewhere in this system. All factsheets are located in the Resources tool.

DPO-talk-12-Mar-08 (and may 08)
All resources pertaining to the OUCS DPO talk given on 12 March 2008. This includes all slides, handouts and movies plus audio recordings of the actual talk.

FAQs

LTG-newsletter-article-Feb-2008
Basic promotional article outlining what the new service will look like.

Pilot Service Description and User Contracts
What it says on the tin: service level agreement for the pilot based on the current (Bodington) WebLearn SLA.

.public
Resting place for general public material.

Stakeholder communications
Meesages (such as emails) sent to stakeholders.

Case studies
Series of case study documents

Slideshows

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$\tan(2\theta) = \frac{2\tan\theta}{1-\tan^2\theta}.$

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$f(x_i \mid \lambda_i) = \lambda_i e^{-\lambda_i x_i}, \qquad f(y_i \mid \lambda_i, \psi) = \lambda_i\psi e^{-\lambda_i\psi y_i}, \qquad x_i, y_i \geq 0.$

Can I write θ in-line?

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Matthew Buckett
Adam Marshall

Roster

Show Official Photo IDs Hide Pictures

View Pictures

To add or remove participants from the site, visit the Site Info tool.

Export CSV

Picture	Name	User ID
	Buckett, Matthew	buckett
	Davis, Paul	paulv
	Geng, Fawei	oucs0048
	Marshall, Adam	adamm

- Home
- Announcements
- Feedback
- Resources '(
- Chat Room
- Wiki
- Email Archive
- Oxford University News
- WebLearn Wiki
- Site Info
- Blogger
- Forums
- Mailtool
- Polls
- Search
- My Demo News
- Web Content
- Schedule
- Messages
- Assignments
- Drop Box
- Tasks, Tests and Surveys
- Tests & Quizzes
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Sign-up

Modify Copy

Meeting Details

Meeting Title: fghfgf
Owner: Adam Marshall
Location: gfgfd
Meeting Date: Saturday, November 15, 2008
Time Period: 2:00 PM - 4:00 PM
Sign-up Begins: Friday, September 26, 2008 3:00 PM
Sign-up Ends: Saturday, November 15, 2008 3:00 PM
Description:

Email Notification: ☑ Yes, send email to notify the related participant(s) about the changes.

Time Slot	Max # of Participants	Participants	Wait List
2:00 PM - 2:30 PM	2	Select Buckett, Matthew A; OK; Buckett, Matthew A / Marshall, Adam / Marshall, Adam (External) / O'Connor, Alexis W C / Tatham, Colin H	Add Participant
2:30 PM - 3:00 PM	2	Add	Add Participant
3:00 PM - 3:30 PM	2	Add Participant	Add Participant
3:30 PM - 4:00 PM	2	Add Participant	Add Participant

*Note: - Click on a time slot to lock or cancel it.
- Click to change or swap participants.
- Click to delete a participant.
- Meeting Organizers can add participants even if time slot is filled to capacity.

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Welcome | Information / Help / Training | **Early Adopters** | My Workspace | My Active Sites

- Home
- Announcements
- Admin FAQ
- Email Archive
- Forums
- Resources
- List of Pilots
- Pilot Agreement
- Search
- Site Membership
- User Guides
- WebLearn Wiki
- WL Beta service
- Site Stats
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Users present:
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Adam Marshall

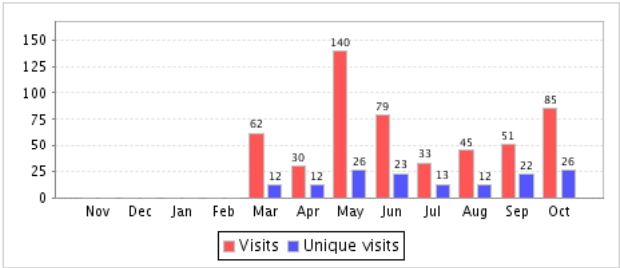
Site Stats

Overview | Reports | Preferences

Overview

Visits

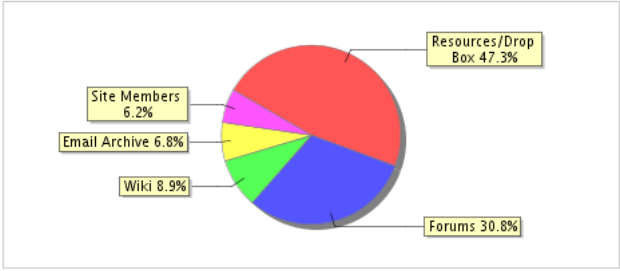
Last week | Last month | Last year



Visits	
Total visits:	546
Last 7/30/365 days average:	1.1/2.8/0.0
Unique visits	
Total unique visits:	60
Unique visits/total users:	60/92 (65.0%)

Activity

Last week | Last month | Last year — by tool | by date



Tool usage expressed in percentage (%).

Activity	
Total activity:	970
Last 7/30/365 days average:	1.6/4.9/0.0

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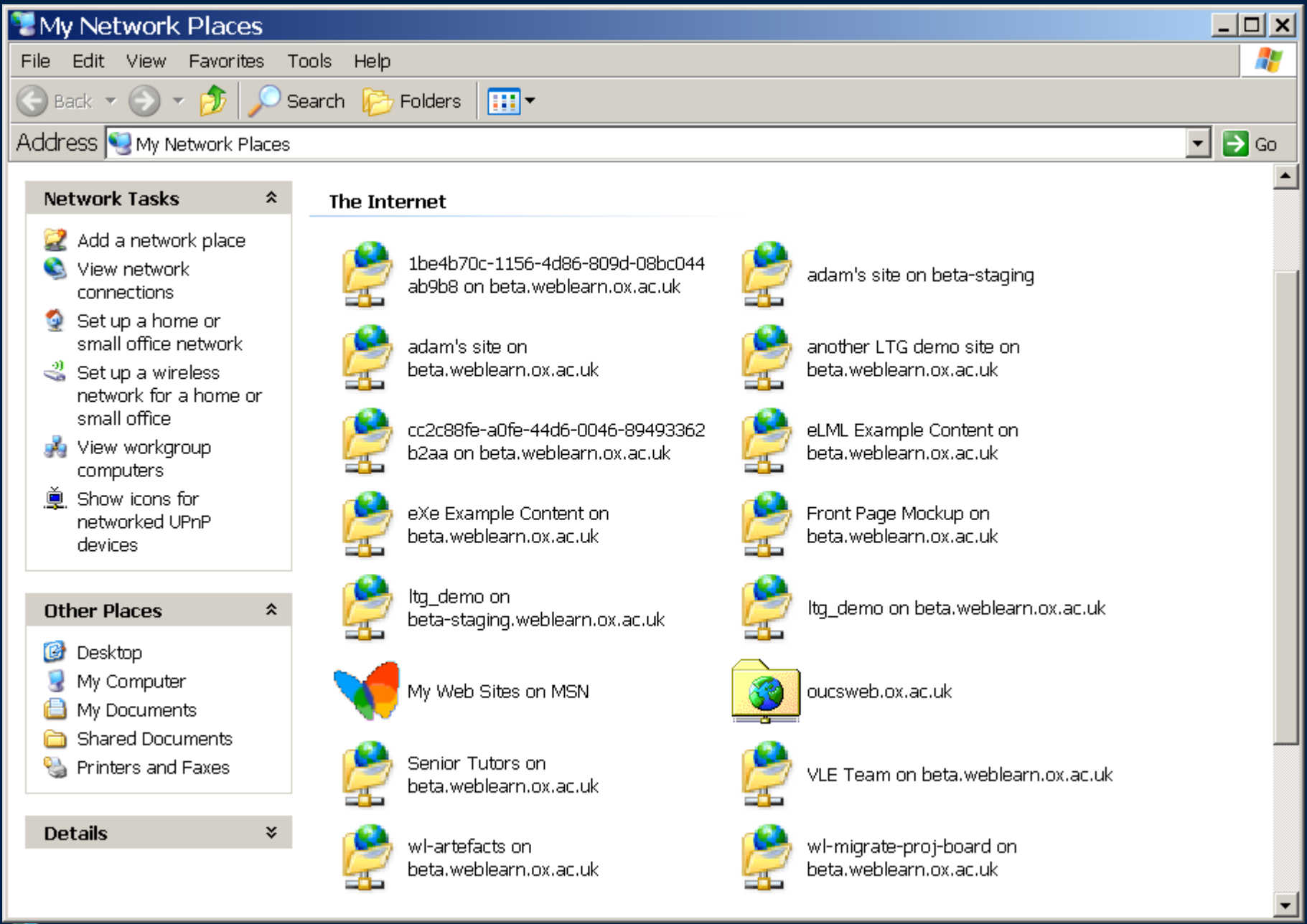
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Address My Network Places
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Network Tasks
Add a network place
View network connections
Set up a home or small office network
Set up a wireless network for a home or small office
View workgroup computers
Show icons for networked UPnP devices
Other Places
Desktop
My Computer
My Documents
Shared Documents
Printers and Faxes
Details
The Internet
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adam's site on beta.weblearn.ox.ac.uk
another LTG demo site on beta.weblearn.ox.ac.uk
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eLML Example Content on beta.weblearn.ox.ac.uk
eXe Example Content on beta.weblearn.ox.ac.uk
Front Page Mockup on beta.weblearn.ox.ac.uk
ltg_demo on beta-staging.weblearn.ox.ac.uk
ltg_demo on beta.weblearn.ox.ac.uk
My Web Sites on MSN
oucsweb.ox.ac.uk
Senior Tutors on beta.weblearn.ox.ac.uk
VLE Team on beta.weblearn.ox.ac.uk
wl-artefacts on beta.weblearn.ox.ac.uk
wl-migrate-proj-board on beta.weblearn.ox.ac.uk

Getting Started

- Depts/colleges need **Local WebLearn Coordinator**
  - must complete sign-up form
  - coordinator can then manage presence
- Regular ITLP training courses (see OUCS website)
  - targeted training for academics (during long vac too!)
  - drop in session ‘Computer8’ (Friday AM during term)
- Special sessions for ITSS (incl. ICTF Conf.)

Demo

What you need to do

1. Think about your Local WebLearn Coordinator
2. Plan your migration – move as a whole
   - MUST move before summer 2011!
   - OUCS can help with migration
   - Tools in old system (to ‘zip’ content)
   - Training courses
   - Drop-in sessions
   - Case studies

Future Plans

- Further customisation, more hierarchy tools
- More training material, eg, new courses, videos, etc.
- Re-usable ad-hoc groups
- Course evaluation (student satisfaction)
- ‘Integration’ with Groupware
- Integration with Oxford Podcasts
- Integration with Libraries (SOLO / OXLIP+)
- SMART phone interface
- SMS capabilities
- See OUCS website for more information

Those Facts Again

- Dual production service started 30 June 09
- Bodington: read only 9/11; turned off 9/12
- Migration tools provided
- Contact: weblearn@oucs.ox.ac.uk
- Sneaky peek: weblearn.ox.ac.uk
- Information: www.oucs.ox.ac.uk
- Help: weblearn.ox.ac.uk/info

The New WebLearn Service

On 30th June the **WebLearn** service is under-going a major enhancement.

Photo: Rob Judges

Improvements:

- *cleaner modern interface with improved usability*
- *searchable file store for sharing course materials*
- *discussion forums*
- *announcements (with email)*
- *tutorial support including sign-up sheets*
- *calendars for course related events*
- *wikis for collaborative authoring*
- *formative assessment, survey and polls*
- *email distribution lists with message archive*
- *electronic pigeon holes with Turnitin option*
- *integration with OxCORT, GSS, OXAM, ...*

WebLearn provides an easily accessible web-based workspace for lecturers, tutors and students and is well-suited to a research-intensive learning environment.

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