

April 8, 2011

WEBMASTER MEETING

- www.olemiss.edu/webmaster/meetings.html

HTTPS Hacked!

- ◆ Registration Authority attack resulted in breach of user accounts.
- ◆ User accounts used to issue fraudulent SSL certificates including Google, Yahoo, Skype, Mozilla, Live.
- ◆ All were revoked after discovery.
- ◆ Only the fake "login.yahoo.com" was actually seen operational before the clamp-down.

HTTPS Hacked!

What does this mean?

- ◆ Users connecting to a fraudulent site would unknowingly divulge their real usernames and passwords. Think if someone spoofed "https://my.olemiss.edu."
- ◆ That information would be used on the real site where their accounts could be monitored.
- ◆ Iranian government was involved with the intent of identifying potential dissidents.

Who can you trust?

Certainly not email messages!

Ginger Rogers at 92

This is amazing, most of us will NEVER live to be 92 and aren't this active even now!

To all of you younger people.....

This lady was a headline dancer way, way, way back in the 1930's and 1940's. Wow! I want to do this when I'm 92...oh, wait, I can't do this now!

Watch all the way through, the beginning is a warm up. She is 92, her great grandson 29 - watch them dance. Don't give up after the first minute, that is the teaser.

This is a pretty impressive video... but Ginger Rogers died in 1995 at age 83:

www.snopes.com/photos/arts/salsadance.asp

Still the woman in the video is a spry 75!



Who can you trust?

REMEMBER: Cell Phone Numbers Go Public this month.

REMINDER..... all cell phone numbers are being released to telemarketing companies and you will start to receive sales calls.

.... YOU WILL BE CHARGED FOR THESE CALLS

To prevent this, call the following number from your cell phone: 888-382-1222.

It is the National DO NOT CALL list It will only take a minute of your time. It blocks your number for five (5) years. You must call from the cell phone number you want to have blocked.

You cannot call from a different phone number.

HELP OTHERS BY PASSING THIS ON .. It takes about 20 seconds.

No worries... According to Snopes.com, it's just another e-mail hoax making the rounds again:

<http://www.snopes.com/politics/business/cell411.asp>

Who can you trust?

Read this note very carefully.

I did not know about the clear button, but I will be pushing the clear button **before** I swipe my gas or debit card **and after** just to be safe.

People are getting really desperate due to the constantly rising gas prices.

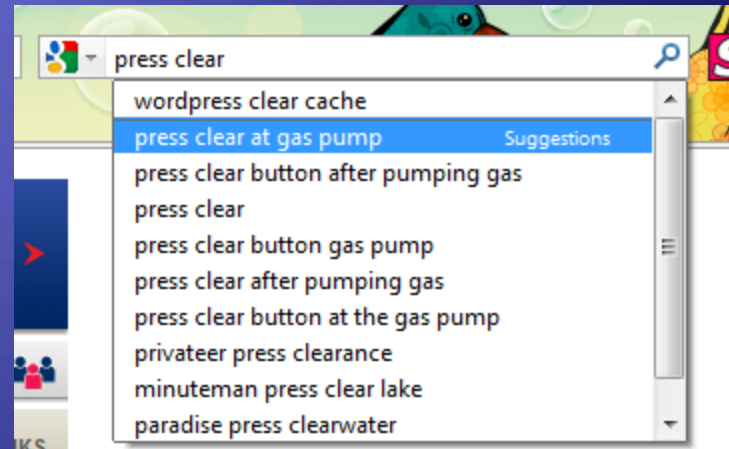
A friend just told me about something that happened to one of his coworkers.

She used her credit/debit card to purchase gas at the pump (like most of us do). She received her receipt like normal. However, when she checked her statement, there were 2 \$50.00 charges added in addition to her purchase.

Upon investigation, she found out that because she did not press the 'clear' button on the pump, the employee inside the store was able to use her card to purchase his/her own gas!...

Even as I started typing "press clear..." into Google, it popped up with a suggested "press clear at gas pump" which took me to snopes.com.

<http://www.snopes.com/crime/warnings/clearbutton.asp>



Who can you trust?

Don't Buy Pepsi in new Flag Can



Don't buy Pepsi in the new can.
Pepsi has a new 'patriotic' can coming out with pictures of the Empire State Building , and the Pledge of Allegiance on them.
However, Pepsi left out two little words on the pledge, 'Under God.'
Pepsi said they didn't want to offend anyone. In that case, we don't want to offend anyone at the Pepsi corporate office, either!
So if we don't buy any Pepsi products, they will not be offended when they don't receive our money that has the words 'In God We Trust' on it.
HOW FAST CAN YOU FORWARD THIS ONE?
Pretty dam fast!!

<http://www.liepie.com/grannys-entire-collection-of-lie-pies/193-pepsis-new-patriotic-can-omits-god-from-pledge>

Who can you trust?

Subject: July 2011

Fair warning.....

This year's July has 5 Fridays 5 Saturdays and 5 Sundays. This apparently happens once every 823 years. This is called money bags. So send this on and money will arrive in 5 days. Based on Chinese feng shui the one who does not pass this on will have money troubles for the rest of the year...

Don't want it to be me!!!!

January 2016 it will happen again...

Who can you trust?

Please Read this WARNING is Very Important - pass it on because you care!!!!!!!!!!

Below is a picture of a CFL light bulb from my bathroom. I turned it on the other day and then smelled smoke after a few minutes. Four inch flames were spewing out of the side of the ballast like a blow torch! I immediately turned off the lights. But I'm sure it would have caused a fire if I was not right there. Imagine if the kids had left the lights on as usual when they were not in the room.

I took the bulb to the Fire Department to report the incident. The Fireman wasn't at all surprised and said that it was not an uncommon occurrence. Apparently, sometimes when the bulb burns out there is a chance that the ballast can start a fire. He told me that the Fire Marshall had issued reports about the dangers of these bulbs.

PASS THIS ON TO YOUR FRIENDS.....

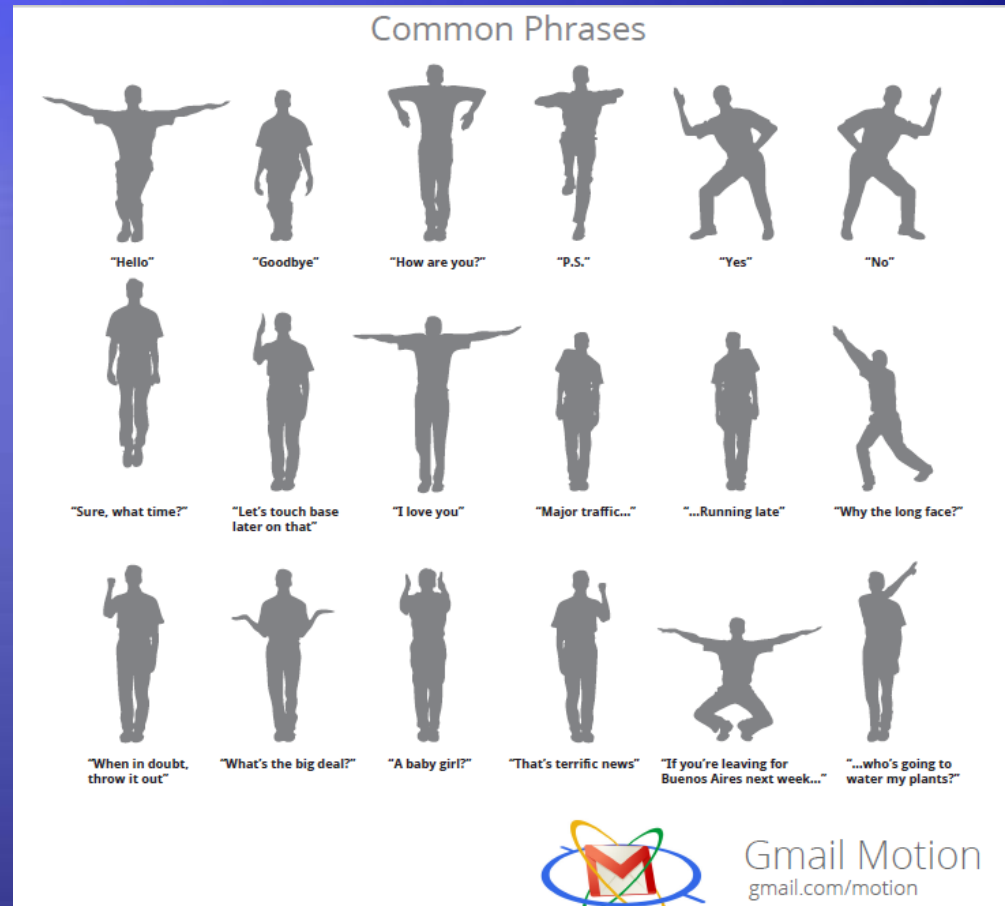
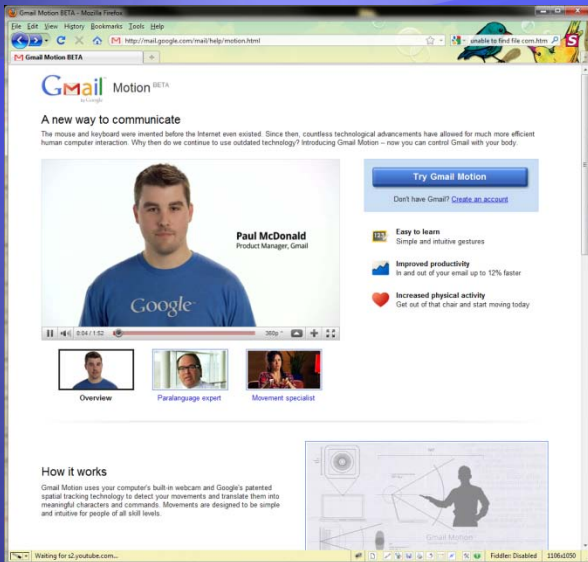
<http://www.snopes.com/inboxer/household/cflbulb.asp>



Internet Law of Exclamation

The more exclamation points used in an email, the more likely it is a complete lie. This is also true for excessive capital letters.

Gmail Motion BETA



Future of Internet: Web vs. App

- ◆ Apps require device-specific programming.
- ◆ Websites are already common and (usually) device-agnostic.
- ◆ They're also pretty amazing:

www.nextbus.com/#_predictions




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The Future of the Internet

Will the Web have a place in a world full of apps?

By Farhad Manjoo

Posted Thursday, March 24, 2011, at 5:44 PM ET

This essay is part of Farhad Manjoo's continuing series on the future of innovation. Read the series introduction, Manjoo's story on the future of mobile gadgets, and readers' predictions on the future of mobile devices.



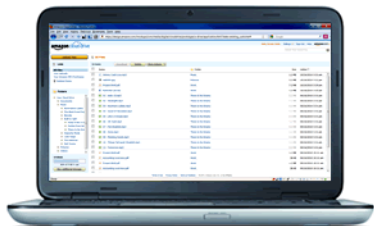
Last summer, in a much-read cover story, *Wired* proclaimed that the Web is dead. Chris Anderson, the magazine's editor, argued that loading pages in a browser is passé. The future, Anderson wrote, is in downloadable apps, which have several advantages over the Web. They're fast, they can be customized for specific purposes, and—perhaps most importantly—people seem to have no problem paying for them, which means that software and media companies have an incentive to keep creating more. Few of us, meanwhile, pay for Web content—and our reluctance, Anderson argued, spoke volumes about what we really want from our computers: "Much as we love freedom and choice, we also love things that just work, reliably and seamlessly."

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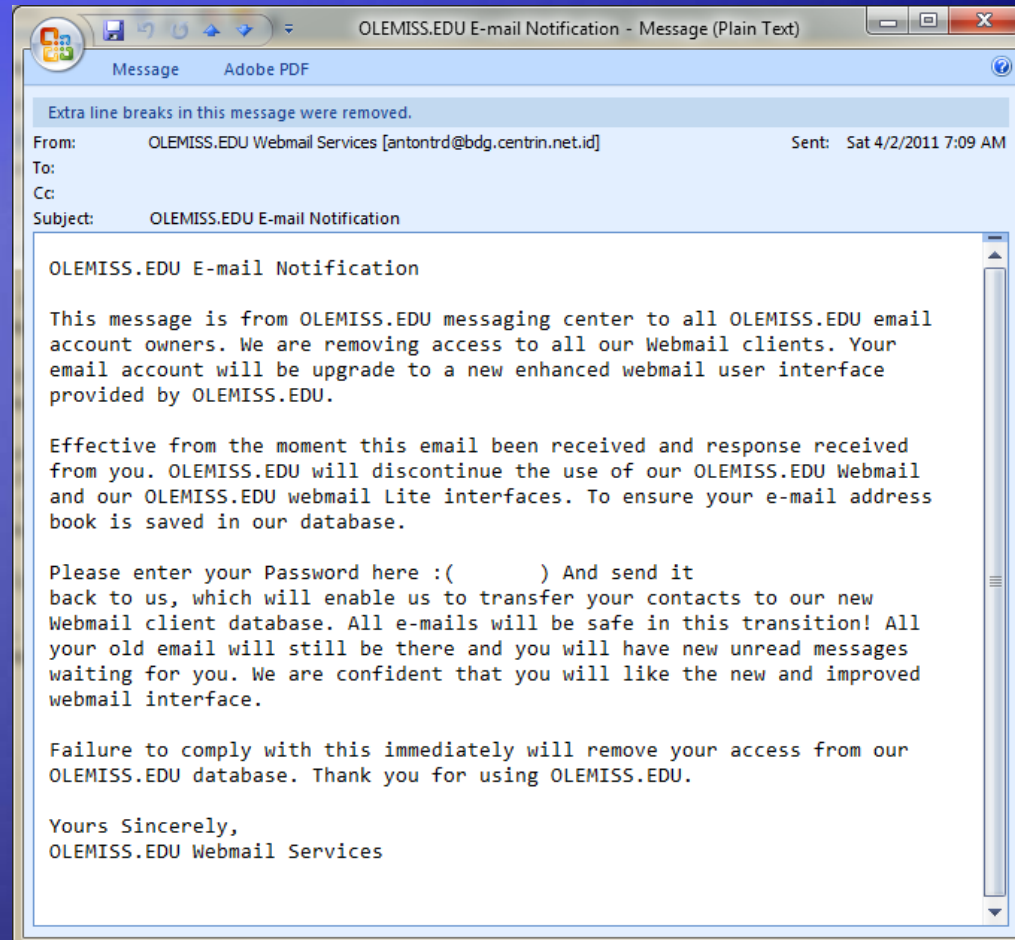
We are excited to introduce Amazon Cloud Drive, Amazon Cloud Player for Web, and Amazon Cloud Player for Android. Together, these services enable customers to securely store music in the cloud and play it on any Mac, PC, or Android device wherever they are. All customers start with 5 GB of free storage, and all Amazon MP3 purchases saved to Cloud Drive are stored for free. Right now, customers can upgrade to the 20 GB storage tier for free with the purchase of an Amazon MP3 album.

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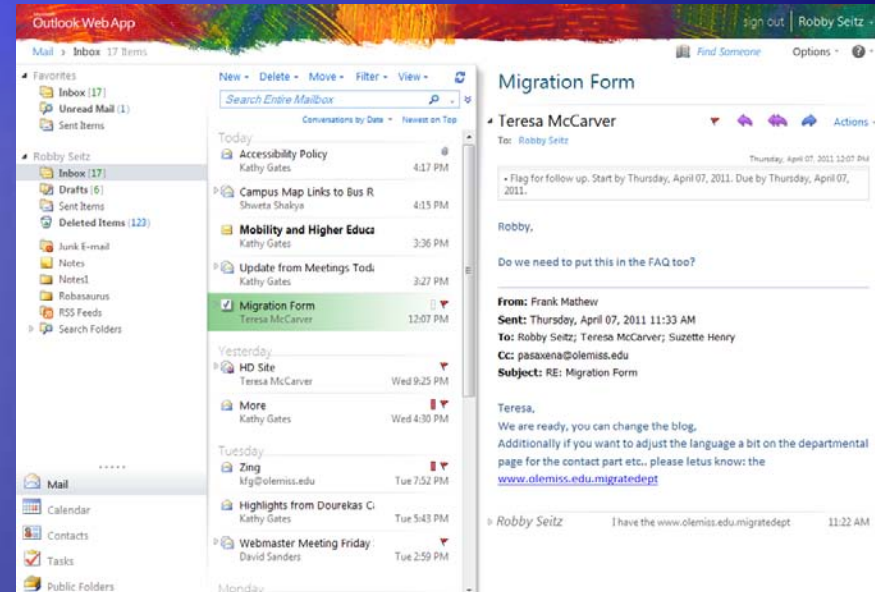
Phishing

- ◆ A phishing scam about Webmail migration came out on Saturday.
- ◆ Phishing – an attempt to entice you to give over private information
- ◆ Don't give into these messages!



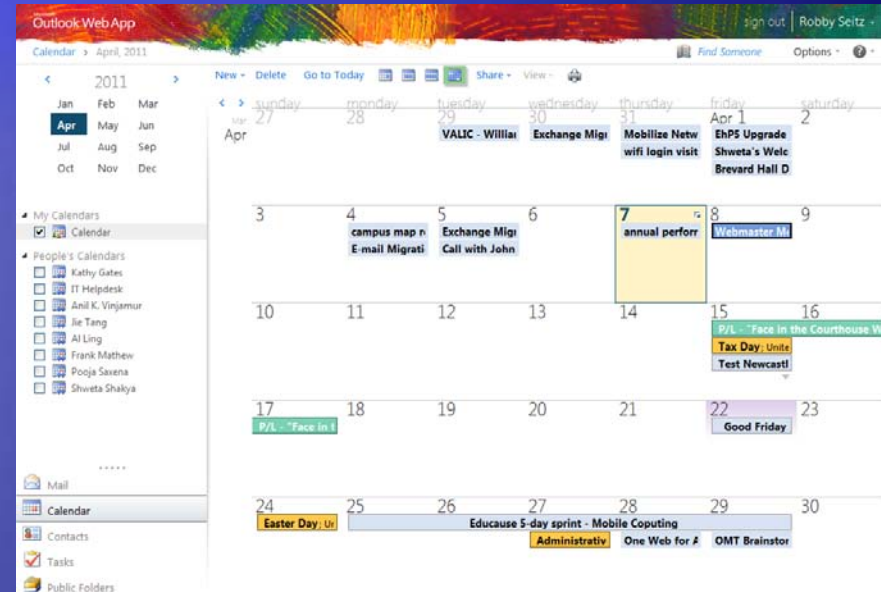
Webmail migration

- ◆ Exchange server
- ◆ Schedule
 - ◆ Faculty before finals
 - ◆ Staff before August
 - ◆ Schedule a convenient time to migrate.



Webmail migration

- ◆ Email
- ◆ Calendar
- ◆ Tool available to migrate from other clients to MS Outlook.
- ◆ Other clients can still work, just won't have all the benefits.



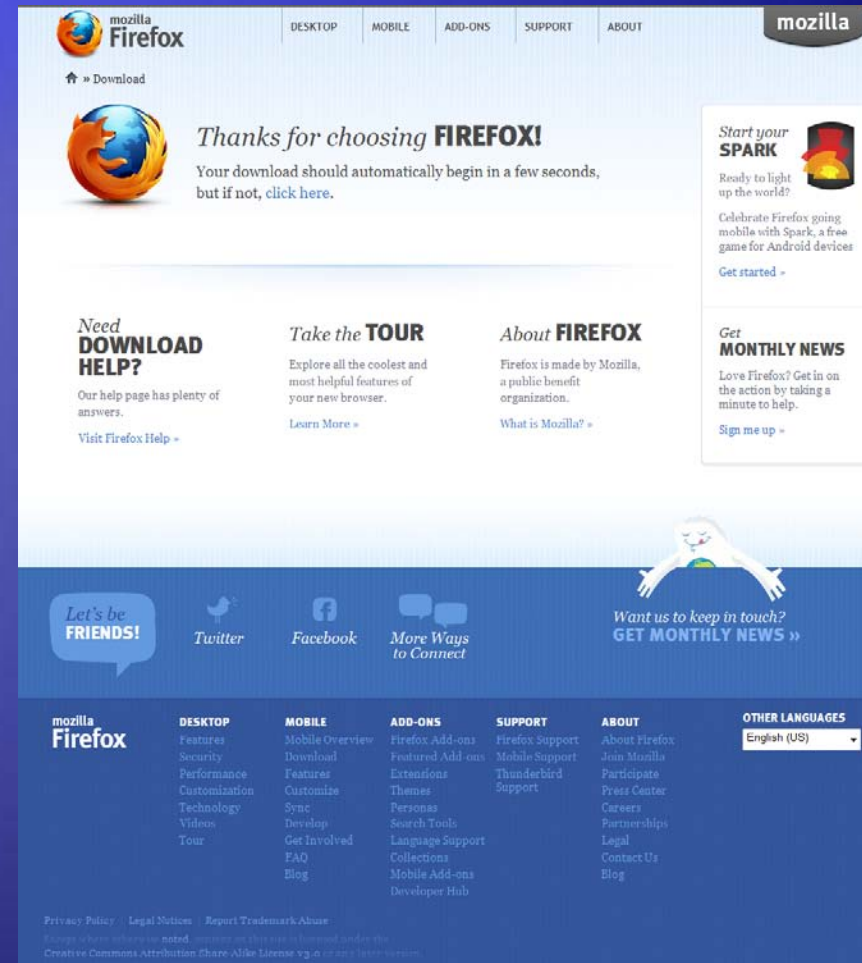
Firefox 4

Pros:

- ◆ New and Shiny!

Cons:

- ◆ Can't open folders in myOleMiss menu.
- ◆ Difficulties in Blackboard.
- ◆ Hard to refresh cache.



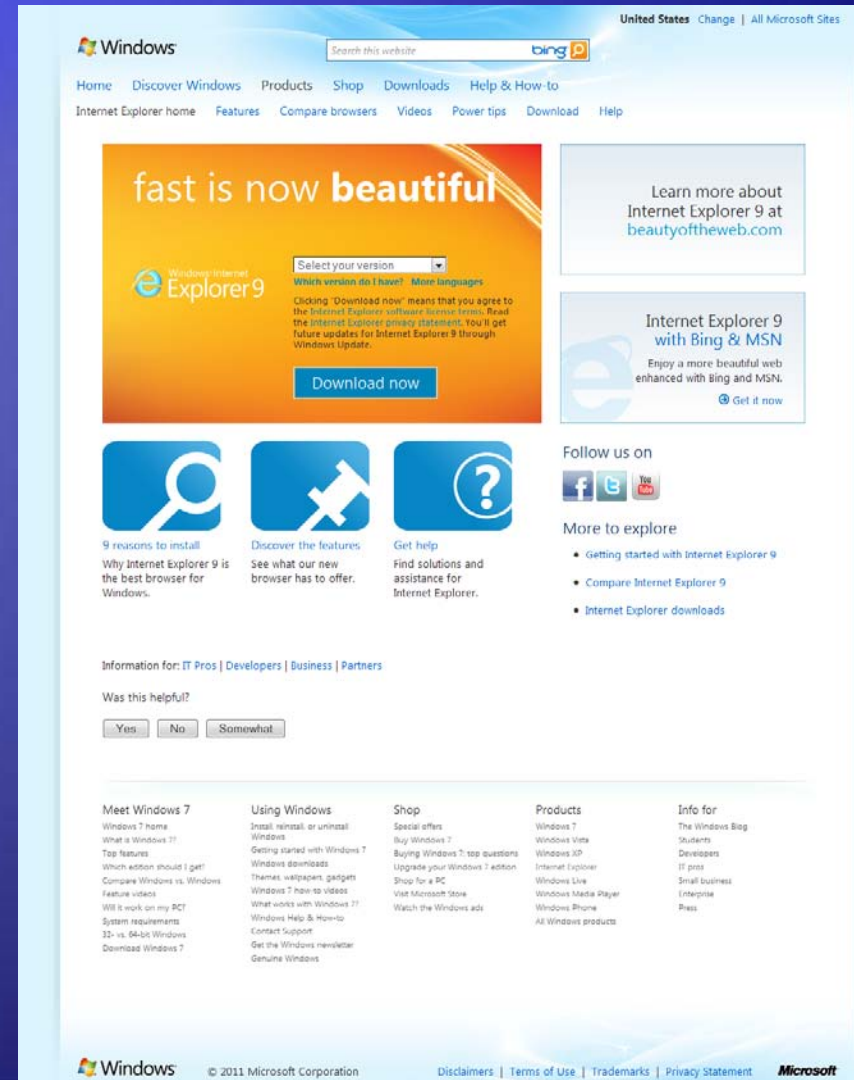
IE 9

Pros:

- ◆ New and Shiny!

Cons:

- ◆ Sometimes doesn't log out of myOleMiss.



The screenshot shows the official Windows Internet Explorer 9 website. At the top, there's a navigation bar with links like Home, Discover Windows, Products, Shop, Downloads, and Help & How-to. The main banner features the slogan "fast is now beautiful" and a "Download now" button. Below the banner, there are three icons representing installation, features, and help. The right sidebar includes links to learn more about IE 9 and follow the company on social media. The footer contains a grid of links for various Windows products and services, along with legal disclaimers and the Microsoft logo.

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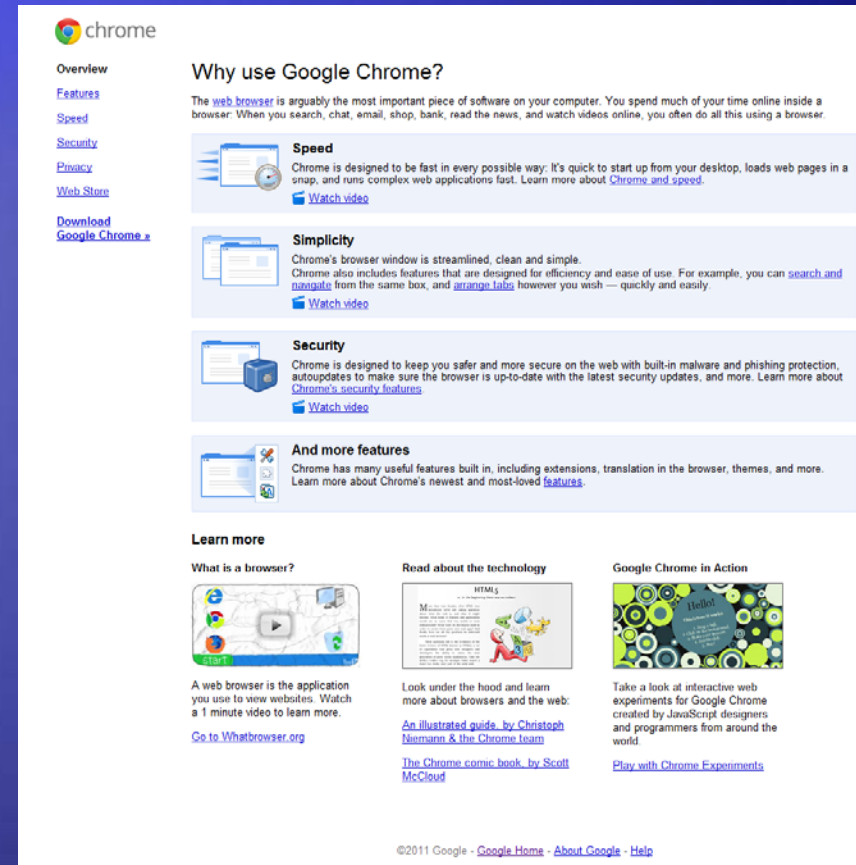
Chrome 11

Pros:

- ◆ New and Shiny!

Cons:

- ◆ Some myOleMiss apps don't work.
- ◆ Unable to format on wiki site.



The screenshot shows the Google Chrome website. At the top, the Chrome logo and name are displayed. Below this is a navigation menu with links: Overview, Features, Speed, Security, Privacy, Web Store, Download, and Google Chrome. The main content area is titled "Why use Google Chrome?" and contains four sections: Speed, Simplicity, Security, and And more features. Each section has a brief description and a "Watch video" link. At the bottom, there is a "Learn more" section with three columns: "What is a browser?", "Read about the technology", and "Google Chrome in Action". Each column has a video thumbnail and a brief description. The footer contains copyright information and links to Google Home, About Google, and Help.

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Overview

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Why use Google Chrome?

The **web browser** is arguably the most important piece of software on your computer. You spend much of your time online inside a browser. When you search, chat, email, shop, bank, read the news, and watch videos online, you often do all this using a browser.

Speed

Chrome is designed to be fast in every possible way. It's quick to start up from your desktop, loads web pages in a snap, and runs complex web applications fast. Learn more about [Chrome and speed](#).

[Watch video](#)

Simplicity

Chrome's browser window is streamlined, clean and simple. Chrome also includes features that are designed for efficiency and ease of use. For example, you can [search and navigate](#) from the same box, and [arrange tabs](#) however you wish — quickly and easily.

[Watch video](#)

Security

Chrome is designed to keep you safer and more secure on the web with built-in malware and phishing protection, autoupdates to make sure the browser is up-to-date with the latest security updates, and more. Learn more about [Chrome's security features](#).


[Watch video](#)

And more features

Chrome has many useful features built in, including extensions, translation in the browser, themes, and more. Learn more about Chrome's newest and most-loved [features](#).

Learn more


What is a browser?



A web browser is the application you use to view websites. Watch a 1 minute video to learn more.

[Go to Whatbrowser.org](#)

Read about the technology




Look under the hood and learn more about browsers and the web:

[An illustrated guide, by Christoph Niemann & the Chrome team](#)

[The Chrome comic book, by Scott McCloud](#)

Google Chrome in Action



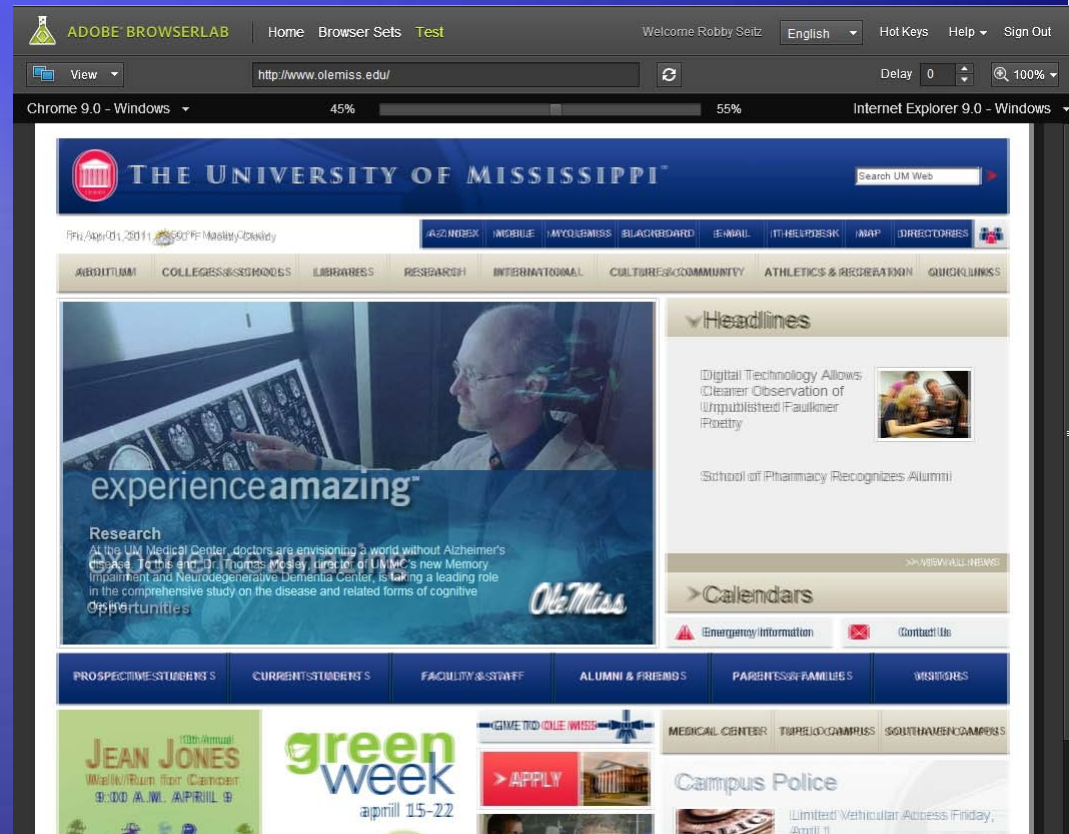
Take a look at interactive web experiments for Google Chrome created by JavaScript designers and programmers from around the world.

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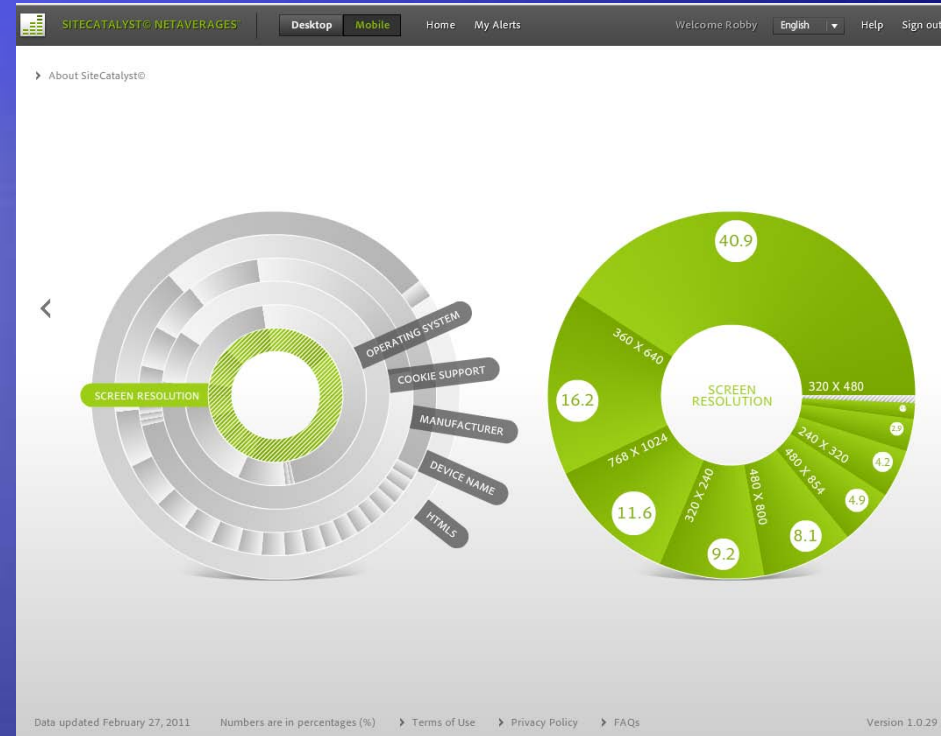
Adobe Browserlab

- ◆ Allows you to compare browser versions of your page.
- ◆ 'Onionskin' option allows overlays of two browser displays.



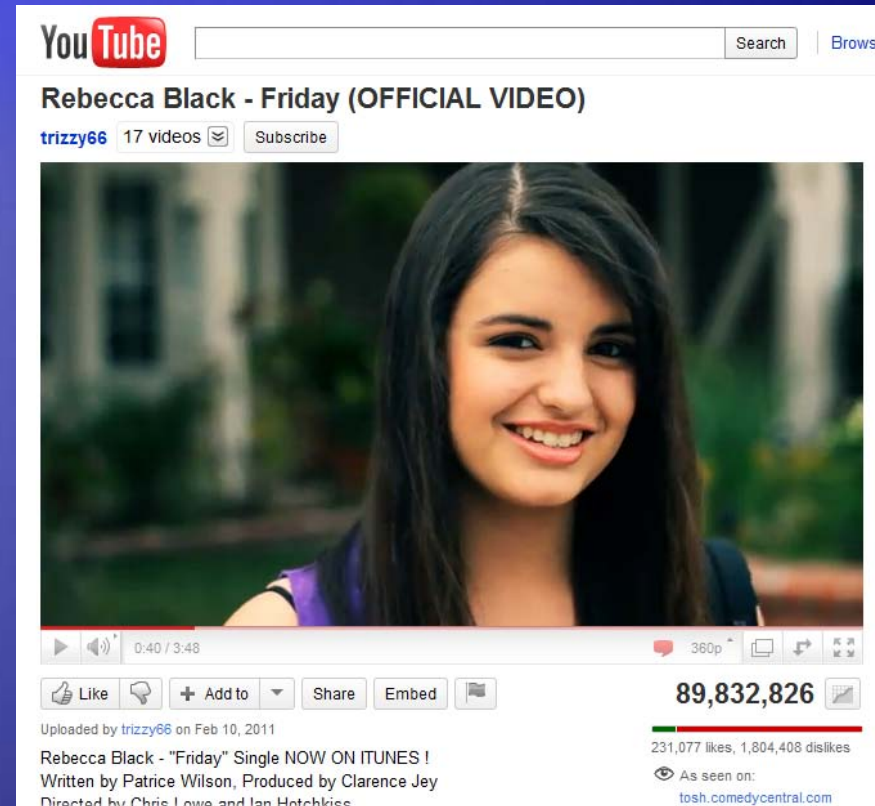
Adobe Sitecatalyst

- ◆ Let's you see recent trends as to browser preferences, operating systems, etc.



Friday

- ◆ Vanity video provides target for mob mocking.
- ◆ Lyrics include
 - ◆ "We we we so excited"
 - ◆ "Tomorrow is Saturday and Sunday comes afterwards."



www.youtube.com/watch?v=CD2LRR0pph0