The World is Open: Introducing the Heroes, Gurus, and Revolutionaries of the Shared Internet

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15 Gadgets that Changed Everything This Decade
December 9, 2009, Jay Yarow, Silicon Alley Insider

Sony’s Playstation 2 sold 238 million units this decade

College technology ‘catching up’ with students
By Kathleen Gray and Robin Erb, USA TODAY, October 6, 2009

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Triple Learning Technology
Convergence of "WE-ALL-LEARN"
2. Pages: The availability of free educational content and resources (OER—Open Educational Resources).
3. Participatory Learning Culture: A move towards a culture of open access to information, international collaboration, and global sharing.

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Perhaps those learning online are akin to the alien archaeologists in the 2008 movie, *Indiana Jones and the Kingdom of the Crystal Skull*. We are seeking the knowledge nuggets of our planetary past and present. As Indy said, "Their treasure wasn’t gold, it was knowledge. Knowledge was their treasure." If that is true for us as well, then today pretty much all the world’s known treasures can be found online.

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Tim Berners-Lee, MIT
Steve Jobs, Apple

Brewster Kahle, the Internet Archive

Jeff Bezos, Amazon

Marlise Mayer leads the company's product management efforts on search products - web search, images, news, blogs, products maps, street view, Google Earth, Google Trends, Google Scholar, Google Health, Google Local and news. She joined Google in 1999 as Google's first female engineer and led the user interface and web server teams of that team. Her efforts have included designing and developing Google's Maps, Google Scholar, and improving more than 200 applications and products on Google.com.
David Wiley, BYU

Chuck Dziuban

George Siemens, Athabasca Univ.

Tom Reeves imitating Samson. I'm glad to report the museum did not collapse.

John Breen

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Seymour Papert, MIT Media Lab

Shephen Heppell, Notschool.net, the ULTRALAB

John Seely Brown

Henry Jenkins
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http://www.coe.uh.edu/iSMART/Teacher/FAQ/AboutUs/AboutUsEng.pdf
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You see the big picture. You find the connections. Make it official - become iSMART.

Jen Chauvot and Mimi Lee, Univ of Houston

Adventure Learning, GeoThentic, GoNorth (National Geographic)
(Aaron Boering, Univ of Minnesota)

Jeff Lebow, World Bridges
Mobile Learning
(April 23, 2009, USA Today)
Stanford Professor Ge Wang plays the Ocarina, 99 cent application that turns iPhone into a flute; made nearly $800,000. Now out is the sequel, the Leaf Trombone World Stage)
'One Laptop Per Child' program collides with reality
GEOFFREY YORK, Toronto Globe and Mail, Oct 15, 2009
Shulan, Khondum Gyabak (Univ. of Texas at El Paso)

Flickr Co-Founders, Caterina Fake and Stewart Butterfield

Stephen Downes

Jay Cross
Teaching With Twitter, Chronicle of HE, Jeffery Young
November 23, 2009,
Sugato Chakravarty, a professor of computer science and retailing at Purdue University, has welcomed Twitter into the lecture hall, even though the service isn't
students engage in back-channel discussions. The questions submitted via hashtag for
the professor and guest speakers are projected for all the students to see.
This book is an attempt to reveal a wide range of learning options in front of you while also offering you a framework to make sense of them. As the Grail Knight said in the 1989 movie, *Indiana Jones and the Last Crusade,* "choose wisely." If you do, WE-ALL-LEARN. The world is now open to you!

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