The New Websites of the 21st Century

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New websites with fabulous collaborative potential emerge almost every day. Here are a few of my favorites for linking together people.

FURL

Furl.net allows you to "clip" web pages. In other words, you actually save the page you are viewing into your account. The complete page...yep, that's right. These clippings are completely searchable according to the keywords you supply when you do the clipping. As with any 21st Century WebTool, a Furl.net account comes with an RSS feed, so you can publish what you clip. People who subscribe to your feed are called your Furlmates. How cool is that?

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Dave's Furl RSS Feed: http://www.furl.net/members/djakes/rss.xml.

Furl Tutorial available in Collaboration

del.icio.us

It doesn't stop with Furl. Get a del.icio.us account and start saving those bookmarks or favorites. These can be organized by tags. Guess what? Yes, it too produces an RSS feed, so people can see what you bookmark.

See Dave's del.icio.us account and Dave's feed. Available at jakesonline.org in Collaboration

See a similar Website: spurl.net. Save a favorite into spurl and it can go directly into del.icio.us. Will it ever end...

FLICKR

Flickr is a social collaborative site for sharing photography. Create tags and link to others with similar interest to build community centered arount photography.

You know Dave has a Flickr account. Get it at Jakesonline.org in Collaboration.

Go to page to collect RSS feed.

CO-LINK

Co-link is a system for collaborative hyperlink building. Imagine a section of text, with hyperlinks like normal. However with Co-link, those hyperlinks can have multiple links to Web sites, and...any user can add a link to the work in a passage. Unfortunately, you have to load it on a server, but can an easy access version be far behind?

Click on english version>Click on demo in menu bar.

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