Tietotieteen vuosikymmen
se mennyt... ja se tuleva

Ilkka Tuomi
Tämä nyt tosin on ehkä hieman
persoonallinen näkökulma

The story, fourteen
years after...
14 vuotta sitten...

- In 1992, Nokia went through a major upheaval, and Nokia Telecommunications changed its management.
  - Mikko Kosonen was appointed as developer of the NTC strategy, and his responsibilities included information systems. Tuomo Huhtanen was nominated as the head of IT in NTC. Nokia was thinking of integrating information systems across its business units (NTC, NMP, NCE, ...)
  - It was impossible to send email from one business unit to another, except with 7-bit ascii.
- In early summer 1992, Tuomi gave a public lecture on organizational modeling and corporate strategy. After the lecture, Tuomo Huhtanen pointed out that there might now be some possibility to do innovative IS within Nokia. Tuomi was given the opportunity to be a "fly on the wall" to develop some ideas on how to use IS in NTC.
Enter knowledge management ...

• In Autumn 1992, NRC set up the first Notes server and started to do some tests with patent abstracts and business news that were processed from downloaded Ascii files using Perl. The resulting demonstrations were shown to NMP and NTC, and developed into pilot project plans.
  • One pilot was for *Global Tendering* (as a "next-generation" logistics system). Another pilot was an information and collaboration environment for business intelligence, also known as *Strategy Information Refinery*.
  • Based on these early pilots, Nokia Research Center set up a *Collaboration Competence Centre* with NMP and NTC.
  • "The main function of the CCC is to help BUs in ensuring that potentially critical and high value collaboration technologies are taken into use in BUs at the right time."
  • …yes, we played with Mosaic, too.
Collaboration Competence Centre

• From the beginning, social is part of the story

  • "In addition, skillful introduction of information system support for collaboration requires emphasis and understanding of social and human aspects of information systems and organisational development”

• "...the competence centre can define its domain of activity as:

  Information technology supported collaboration, with emphasis on better use, re-use and refining of internal and external knowledge, for geographically distributed and dynamic groups”

Project Steering Group Minutes, 1994
Mitä siis opimme?
The knowledge society, by the rapid improvement of all instruments of production, by the immensely facilitated means of communication, draws all individuals, organizations, and institutions, even the most barbarian, into constant revolution.
The Third Globalization, Driven by Global Communications

"before the jet plane and cheap communications, there were no real multinational corporations"

Investment cost of transatlantic cable per minute of use

- The first transatlantic cable: 36 simultaneous calls
- 500 simultaneous calls available across the Atlantic
- Europe linked to the Internet
- World Wide Web
- 37,000 transatlantic circuits added in 1992
I

1. Scientists and innovators create technological opportunities
2. Entrepreneurs see the profit potential of technological opportunities and grab them
3. Followers swarm in and erode profits
   • In the process, investments are made in the emerging technologies, and industry and market structure change

   (Theory of Economic Development, 1912)

II

• Big corporations become main investors in technology creation

   (Capitalism, Socialism and Democracy, 1943)
“Schumpeter” III-IV

III

• A global sphere of financing emerges
• Venture capitalists become an important engine of re-engineering
• Investments “swarm” to fastest growing industries
• Options are invented
• Big corporations try to renew by acquisitions, innovation management, and internal venturing

IV

• Internet changes the balance between labor and capital
• Mature industries live in Schumpeter II (+III)
• New businesses emerge in Schumpeter III
• Social institutions are adapted to Schumpeter II, except in the Silicon Valley
“Schumpeter” V

- Collective production of technology and experience
  - open source SW, blogs, social software with images, music, games…
- Loosely coupled to economic investments and interests
- Requires broadband networks
- “Symbiotic economy”
- New rules for competition
- New “medieval villages” of the Internet
Towards the New Economy of Meaning

- The social and cultural infrastructure is becoming increasingly important
- Diversified communities interact across global networks
- Value is created by communications that produce meaningful social interactions
- The traditional epistemology of the information processing paradigm (objective, empirical, universal) will be replaced by a new epistemology
  - It will be based on theories of social construction, hermeneutic phenomenology, linguistic genres, communities of practice, situated & distributed cognition, socio-cultural activity theory…
- The design of future ICT architectures and applications will require new types of knowledge and new types of collaboration across scientific disciplines
The social foundation of knowing and knowledge creation

- M. Bakhtin (1930’s): linguistic “genres” and “chronotype”
- L. Fleck (1935): “thought communities”
- D. Schön (1983): “communities of reflective practitioners”
- Y. Engeström (1987): “activity systems”

Knowledge is practice-related and activity-oriented
- articulated in a social process,
- learned through socialization,
- reflected in the conceptual systems that are used in interpreting the world,
- partially embedded in material and technical artifacts,
- and often not explicitly articulated
Dialogi Ikujiro Nonakan kanssa

• Tuomi: How did you end up with the concept of ba? How and why is it so important in knowledge creation? What is the historical origin of this concept in your thinking? It was not in the first book *The Knowledge Creating Company*. Yet you mention Nishida several times in it. Does your philosophy of knowledge creation start with the Kyoto school and did the concept of ba come from there?

• Nonaka: I will try to explain as much as I can. About the concept of ba.

• In 1995 it is clear that we didn’t talk about the concept of ba. But after my field research it occurred to me that the SECI process does not occur in a vacuum. It occurs in a specific context. Knowledge is in a sense information in a context. It is contextual, that’s why it generates meaning. From there I introduced the concept of ba. Our definition of the concept of ba is a shared context in motion. Knowledge needs context. Without context to specify time, place and relationship with others it’s just information. Ba is a context that is shared by participants to create meanings. Participants understand the context of others and oneself and through interaction create the context. Hence it’s constantly moving. The key to understand the context is interaction. It does not reside in one’s mind, contexts are shared and created through interaction. That’s the basic idea I tried to introduce.
"Universal resource indicator" (URI) ei voi viitata asioihin, joihin ei voi viitata.

Hiljaiseen tietoon, esimerkiksi, on hankala viitata.

Polanyi:

• "... the functional structure of from-to knowing includes jointly a subsidiary ‘from’ and the focal ’to’. But this pair is not linked together on their own accord. The relation of a subsidiary to a focus is formed by the act of a person who integrated one to the other. The from-to relation lasts only so long as a person, the knower, sustains this integration.”

• "...Such integration cannot be replaced by any explicit mechanical procedure...It can only be lived, can only be dwelt in.”

Mikä on tämän merkitys ...
And God made the beast of the earth after his kind, and cattle after their kind, and every thing that creepeth upon the earth after his kind

- 1:24. Ja Jumala sanoi: "Tuottakoon maa elävät olennot, kunkin lajinsa mukaan, karjadelämät ja matelijat ja metsäelämät, kunkin lajinsa mukaan". Ja tapahtui niin:

- ja sama uuden käännöksen mukaan:
Mikä siis on tämän merkitys …
Location Matters:
The founders of Silicon Valley semiconductor firms

Price per Megabyte

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Produced by WGBH Boston, 1992.


Individual Program Descriptions

1. Unit I
   Vocabulary: cognates, family members.
   Grammar: ser, articles and gender, possession.
Lonelygirl15 and Daniel have a party

The New York Times

Eve and Daniel as they appeared in an episode of Lonelygirl15 on June 27

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"Pensioner becomes latest YouTube star"

Will Head, vnunet.com 15 Aug 2006

An old age pensioner has become the latest star of teen-oriented video sharing site YouTube.

'Peter', who goes by the username Geriatric1927, is a 78 year-old widower from England who promises "geriatric gripes and grumbles".

His first video has been viewed over 850,000 times since it was uploaded on 5 August.

"I got addicted to YouTube. It's a fascinating place to go to see all the wonderful videos young people have produced. So I thought I'd have a go at doing one myself," Peter said in his first video.

Over 14,000 people have subscribed to Peter's video feed and he is ranked among the top users currently on the site. His video feed is the third most subscribed to in the history of YouTube.
Personalize

Keep track of your favorites:
- Subscribe to users and tags—have videos delivered
- Start a Favorites list
- Categorize favorites with Playlists
- Browse Categories to find new and interesting uploads

Show me more

Commune

Interact and share with other users:
- Join Groups with common interests
- Comment on and rate videos
- Send messages
- Share private videos with friends and family

Show me more

Create

Broadcast your videos worldwide:
- Upload and tag your creations
- Email them to friends
- Link to your video from any website
- Embed your video in selected websites

Show me more

Don't Just Watch, Dive In

Take control of YouTube! When you register, you can create a personal video collection, hook into the YouTube community, and share your work with the world.

Register Now

Sign me up!
But the story counts…

- Lonelygirl15 on YouTube, 4.2 million viewers
The Lonelygirl That Really Wasn’t

By VIRGINIA HEFFERNAN and TOM ZELLER Jr.
Published: September 13, 2006

A nearly four-month-old Internet drama in which the cryptic video musings of a fresh-faced teenager became the obsession of millions of devotees — themselves divided over the very authenticity of the videos, or who was behind them or why — appears to be in its final act.

The woman who plays Lonelygirl15 on the video-sharing site YouTube.com has been identified as Jessica Rose, a 20-ish resident of New Zealand and Los Angeles and a graduate of the New York Film Academy. And the whole project appears to be the early serialized version of what eventually will become a movie.

Matt Foremski, the 18-year-old son of Tom Foremski, a reporter for the blog Silicon Valley Watcher, was the first to disinter a trove of photographs of the familiar-looking actress, who portrayed the character named Bree in the videos. The episodes suggested Bree was the home-schooled
Skype

Press releases

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Hardware: OSDL's Mobile Linux Initiative
Posted by Cmr1Taco on Tuesday October 18, @12:12PM
from the and it fits in the palm of your hand dept.
Robin writes: "The Open Source Development Labs has introduced a new initiative to
accelerate the adoption of Linux in the mobile market by providing a forum for
device manufacturers, network operators, and application developers. Like the
OSDL's other working groups, the MLI will provide a forum for creating
requirements specifications based on existing implementations and invest in existing
and new mobile Linux projects to identify and fill gaps in the open source operating system's
functionality."

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IT: Office + OpenDocument, Never Say Never
Posted by Cmr1Taco on Tuesday October 18, @11:36AM
from the I'll-believe-it-when-I-see-it dept.
barryfied writes: "There's a blog entry by Andy Updegrove at ConsortiumInfo.org
that says Microsoft has officially stated to him that support of OpenDocument in
MS Office could happen. Microsoft sent the statement in response to an article
Updegrove wrote called Massachusetts and OpenDocument: A Brave New
World?"

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