

NoteBoard

Academic Social Network

Share Yours, View Others



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Past work

◆ Research was done into six systems:

- GradeGuru
- NotesCut
- Notes4Uni
- NoteSolution
- Moodle
- ShareNotes



Why would University of Bath students need and benefit from NoteBoard?

◆ The survey we conducted showed us that:

- 83% of people would find a note sharing website useful
- 41% of people found their Moodle experience average
- 40% of people said they would upload their lecture notes weekly
- Population of 30 students (mainly from Computer Science degrees at the University of Bath)

Top features

- ◆ **Able to view notes with a document viewer (Scribd)**
- ◆ **Able to upload notes in a variety of formats**
- ◆ **User profiles**
- ◆ **Rewards System**
- ◆ **Moderator facilities**



Implementation

- ◆ **System designed from scratch using HTML, PHP, JavaScript and CSS.**
- ◆ **Free online storage website (0sites)**
- ◆ **MySQL was chosen to store data and manipulate data, and 0sites offered a free MySQL database server.**

System demonstration

Summary and future work

- ◆ **The first possibility is to expand the system to other academic institutions**
- ◆ **Liaise with departments and faculties to restrict content and moderate it**
- ◆ **Further development after evaluation analysis (analytical and empirical evaluation)**

Q&A

◆ Any questions?