Atendants:
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Educational Visitor (doraapfelbaum)/ Sophieclea: Natalie Nussli
Dodge Threebeards: Greg Perrier
Vic Michalak: Phill Youngblood
Chantal (nymf.hathaway)
kulioh: Kevin Oh
Jesaurus (jes.cobalt): Jes Stannard

**Agenda- to be discussed today**

- Members to be invited.
- Target, Strategy, Basic components, Priority of the project.
- Detail of components and existing resources.
- Next Action Items
[08:14] Greg: several people told me they are interested
[08:14] Vic: We can look at SC roster to see if there are others
[08:15] Greg: and Phelan Corrimal of Rockcliff and VWBPE should be invited
[08:15] Greg: not sure he has time
[08:16] Greg: Loren Chrononaiia of VSTE is interested
[08:16] Greg: Aevalle Galicia of Caledon is interested
[08:16] Greg: Clowey Greenwood of NMU is interested
[08:17] Greg: she used to run Biome
[08:15] Greg: not sure he has time
[08:18] Greg: Beth Ghostraven is involved in many ed groups and is interested
[08:19] Greg: and Helena Kiama of the Univ of N. Georgia is interested
[08:19] Yan: ok
[08:19] Chantal: What a huge list Dodge
[08:19] Vic: (I can type what you say, if needed)
[08:19] Greg: we might invite someone from ISTE, Spiff Whitfield would be the person
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- To whom?
  - Specific training like Safety procedure in Lab experiments, Nursing ....
  - Experience opportunity or social participation for students in difficult situation (Special education)
  - Education opportunity by volunteer lecturer (Open School)

[08:20] Vic: (Yan: So I move to next slide... Overview...)

[08:22] Vic: (Yan: talking about goals... specific training... special ed students social participation... volunteer lecturer training..)

[08:22] Greg: yes

[08:23] Natalie: We have been working with special education teachers.

[08:24] Vic: (Yan: SL affords us an opportunity for this type of education...)

[08:26] Yan: http://www.coedu.usf.edu/we/

[08:26] Vic: (Yan: This is educational lesson plan database...)

- Strategy and Basic components?
  - Conviction of VW affordance and challenges
  - Reduce technical difficulties
    - by tutorials, volunteer supporters, newcomer support sims
  - Basic teaching skill- Lecture, tour guide, management....
  - Field tour for educational places
  - Sharing Lesson Plans
Yan: [http://www.coedu.usf.edu/we/lesson-plans.html](http://www.coedu.usf.edu/we/lesson-plans.html)

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Natalie: The list of lesson plans is a great resource. Thank you.

Yan: how do you think these basic components?

Greg: I think we will need a basic overview of how educators can use VWs

Vic: What kinds of education do you envision/think about?

Greg: the different ways we use it

Yan: yes there is variety

Greg: it took me years to learn that

Yan: It is better to set some use-case

Chantal: it takes materials too... we might provide those

Greg: could have some sample educational builds, to illustrate how they are used

Chantal: What I also learned by the new educators in sc... it helps to visit a variety of presentations at sc to see how others are doing it

Yan: Do you say about typical demonstration of education?

Greg: yes i think that will be helpful

Vic: VWBPE presentations and past SC presentations provide good examples... but some students need more 'hands-on' activities, which requires a different model

Yan: what is typical?

Greg: could have some different educational activities and show how they are used

Greg: how students interact with the builds

Yan: there are many lectures

Vic: 'Typical' varies... Depends on whether it is 'teacher-centered' (info -->) or 'student-centered' (more self learning)

Chantal: and would it be wise to use machinima for these examples Dodge is referring to?

Greg: yes , good idea Chan

Natalie: yes, machinima would be very helpful

Chantal: tutorial of what Dodge is suggesting

Chantal: by film

Chantal: you can create media on a prim here

Vic: Machinima can have subtitles maybe also?

Chantal: sure

Chantal: you can edit as much as you like

Greg: and they have voice also

Yan: choose typical education demo from YouTube is next action item

Chantal: and a pause button

Yan: can you recommend samples?

Chantal: I have none Yan

Greg: might need to make them

Yan: till next meeting
Chantal: we will need to create those for you
Greg: I have a few
Chantal: yes
Greg: but aimed at helping students
Yan: We need to make some typical education models
Yan: scenario
Chantal: yes
Greg: http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=VI8ThkvFQMo&feature=related
Greg: there is one
Vic: https://machinima4meremortals.wordpress.com/machinima-resources-for-educators/
Chantal: field trip examples... projects for creating, how to present etc
Yan: who make the scenario?
Chantal: Thanks Dodge and Vic 😊
Vic: Machinima for Educators link... have not reviewed this
Vic: But it seems like a lot of good ideas...
Vic: ...and examples
Chantal: yes great link
Greg: could collect lessons learned and discuss those
Natalie: We have often showed this video https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=mIwFGqg2rPU to pre-service teachers so they get an idea of what their students can learn in SL.
Yan: Action Item 1: gathering machinima or propose scenario
Greg: there is a lot of experience out there in ed in VWs
Chantal: Thank you, Dora 😊
Natalie: And this one too: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=KQ7Yiv_glPk
International Spaceflight Museum:
Please open ‘Nearby Chat’ / 周辺チャット’を開いてください。
*** International Spaceflight Museum
by Non-profit organization ***
Contents:
World Rockets, Space Shuttle, International Space Station, Planetary Exploration.
YouTube: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=M0liNM2xk-w and https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=JjfZ0imm6U4
Please click for teleport:
http://maps.secondlife.com/secondlife/Spaceport%20Alpha/60/89/22 for the destination.
http://slurl.com/secondlife/Spaceport%20Alpha/115/127/451 for "International Space Station"
http://maps.secondlife.com/secondlife/Spaceport%20Alpha/80/56/571 for "Interplanetary Exploration"
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- **Priority of the project**
  - 1st: Self learning tutorial at one place with TP portal
  - 2nd: Collaboration with existing newcomer support sims
  - 3rd: Lesson plan database
  - 4th: Regular Workshop for educators
  - 5th: Education oriented Technical support volunteers network

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*** Have a Nice Trip ♪ ***

[08:42] Chantal: 😊 wow Yan
[08:43] Greg: yes I see it, nice

[08:45] Vic: (Yan: next slide... priorities of the project... step-by-step since we are so busy...)

[08:46] Japanese support:

Please open ’Nearby Chat’ / 周辺チャット’を開いてください。

Please click for teleport:
http://slurl.com/secondlife/Davros/64/104/2507 for 'Support Staff Japan'
http://maps.secondlife.com/secondlife/MeltingDots/186/56/26 for 'MelSupport'

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[08:46] Chantal: oh
[08:46] Jes: 😊
[08:46] Greg: aah, [orientation regions in different languages](https://example.com/)
[08:46] Chantal: You found different language sims 😊
[08:46] Jes: awesome
[08:46] Chantal: HI5 😊
[08:47] Vic: Nice!
[08:48] Chantal: Good idea
[08:49] Chantal: [the group itself should be able to provide in your point 5](https://example.com/)
[08:49] Yan: how about this slide?
[08:50] Chantal: [meaning point 5 can be done by teachers asking in the teacher group](https://example.com/)
[08:51] Greg: on the second point, I think developing a collaboration with Caledon Oxbridge would be good
[08:51] Greg: Carl Metropolitan would be the person to contact there
[08:51] Vic: Caledon has been around SL since the beginning I think
[08:51] Chantal: Good tip, Dodge
[08:52] Greg: yes they have an excellent newcomer orientation
[08:53] Greg: Would it be useful to ask LL for a free region to develop for this, or is there enough room here?
[08:53] Yan: We need to involve many collaborators
[08:53] Yan: Chantal please
[08:53] Chantal: How much room do we need?
[08:53] Vic: hahaha... free region? Never hurts to ask though...
[08:54] Yan: aha
[08:54] Chantal: we have an entire sim of course...
[08:54] Greg: I think we could get one, if the request is worded right
[08:54] Yan: depend on how to use
[08:54] Chantal: a free region is not useful... it only allows avatars under the age of two weeks
[08:55] Greg: yes it would not be a gateway region
[08:55] Greg: that is too restrictive
[08:56] Greg: your free prims are low, so could be a problem
[08:56] Chantal: thats because the sim is divided already... we have more than one parcel. we can adjust those as we like... as long as sc keeps the lecture hall and epidaurus
[08:57] Greg: ok
[08:58] Chantal: I never realized that Yan
[08:58] Yan: Already there are 150 textures 512x256 for education portal
[08:59] Greg: when I get back from Africa (29 May) I can develop a draft proposal to LL for a free region. If we get it great, if not no loss.
[08:59] Yan: so tutorial panel or YouTube on a prim need more 200 panels
[08:59] Chantal: That would be awesome Dodge
[08:59] Greg: that is my fear, that we will max out the prims here
[08:59] Yan: it become texture reading time problem
[09:00] Chantal: Read Dodge's words Yan
[09:00] Yan: You say about...
[09:00] Chantal: extra land to kill the prim problem
[09:01] Chantal: Dodge will give it a try at LL
[09:01] Yan: https://docs.google.com/document/d/1z2Yvg5Ih8AiZy1WH20Y_Euv7D9Yhzy5n5HCmYVsRXOY/edit?usp=sharing
[09:01] Greg: because there are many things to add,
[09:02] Greg: if LL says no, we can consider linking with another group that has a sim, say VSTE,
and put half here and half there

[09:02] Yan: Prim number is not problem. Number of Textures or YouTube on a prim is problem.

[09:02] Chantal: Understood Yan... but an extra sim will give the tutorial less lag and more space, we can at least try

[09:02] Greg: sadly I need to leave in 10 minutes

[09:03] Vic: You can put multiple textures on a prim... six sides or more...

[09:03] Chantal: yes but the textures itself lag the sim Vic, Yan explained

[09:03] Vic: Okay...

[09:04] Jes: Thanks 😊

[09:04] Chantal: for Jes

https://docs.google.com/document/d/1z2Yvg5Ih8AiZy1WH2OY_Euv7D9Yhzysn5HCmYVsRXOY/edit

[09:05] Chantal: I would suggest two former linden mentors to include

[09:05] Jes: Thank you Chant 😊

**Detail of components and existing resources**

- Natalie and Kevin’s papers
- Greg’s Experiences
- Newcomer support sims in various languages
- Lesson Plan Database - [http://www.coedu.usf.edu/we/](http://www.coedu.usf.edu/we/)
- Education communities
- Education Portal

[09:06] Greg: I am a member of VSTE

[09:06] Yan: ISTE, VSTE, VWBPE, Science Circle, Educators Roundtable

[09:06] Greg: they meet each Monday at 5 pm PDT

[09:06] Chantal: yes there is no proper list any more... like Scilands ran in the past

[09:06] Greg: there are a few, but not many


[09:07] Chantal: this was useful

https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/1MhDxysT4aKG0l1p04T_BGtsDIhx7P1kXrrY6Ucwdmz4/pub
Next Action Items

- Natalie and Greg’s presentation at next meeting
- Invite important collaborators
- Collect demo machinima
- Dialogue with Education communities
- .......

[ 09:08] Greg: okay
[ 09:08] Natalie: Would you like me to tell the group about our workshops?
[ 09:08] Greg: will have to be in June for me
[ 09:09] Greg: and should we invite others?
[ 09:09] Greg: no, i will not be available until after 29 May
[ 09:09] Jes: I am available always, any time will suite me
[ 09:10] Vic: I will be available in May but gone in first part of June
[ 09:10] Greg: sorry, but out of country and out of SL
[ 09:10] Chantal: I think the owners should invite those in their network to join the group... so Yan can invite them all by a notice
[ 09:10] Vic: New Zealand in June! 😊
[ 09:10] Natalie: I will be available in May and June.
[ 09:10] Chantal: after June 15th
[ 09:10] Greg: that works for me Chan
[ 09:10] Yan: Please TP to VSTE
[ 09:10] Greg: I am often at VSTE, good group
[ 09:11] Chantal: now?
[ 09:11] Yan: now
[ 09:11] Chantal: ok
[ 09:11] Greg: and has a mandate for educator orientation
[ 09:11] Greg: I must go,
[ 09:11] Greg: nice meeting
[ 09:11] Greg: take care all
[ 09:11] Yan: thanks Dodge

[09:11] Second Life: Teleport completed from
http://maps.secondlife.com/secondlife/The%20Science%20Circle/38/172/22

[09:14] Chantal: Let me explain what is the problem with these places and why they do not work: EMPTY, no people around to welcome and guide... will not work.

[09:15] Jes: true that

[09:15] Chantal: Goes for our initiative as well... as long as visitors find the place empty...they are gone again.

[09:16] Vic: Have to be strong 'self-learners' to explore on their own... not all students are like that.

[09:16] Chantal: so what we do need... to give that little extra... is people on the tutorial place... 24/7 would be best.

[09:17] Chantal: I found 13 students/sc professionals for the gateway, among them 2 former linden mentors... we should ask them too.

[09:18] Yan: combination of self-learning function and 24/7 support.


[09:18] Yan: ok

[09:18] Jes: 😊

[09:18] Yan: then time to sleep

[09:18] Chantal: 😊

[09:18] Yan: thank you for good comments

[09:19] Chantal: You too Yan, awesome work again 😊

[09:19] Yan: I'll read chat log again

[09:19] Jes: Yes, credits to you Yan 😊

[09:19] Chantal: You know you can receive the sc award twice, right? :))))

[09:19] Jes: it's a great start

[09:19] Natalie: Yes, I agree. Thank you for your fabulous work.

[09:19] Vic: Yes... First Life is calling me... This is a good start and want to be involved. Thanks for leading this effort, Yan!

[09:19] Jes: 😊

[09:19] Yan: ahaha

[09:19] Chantal: Waves at Vic, have a lovely day 😊

[09:19] Yan: welcome award lol


[09:19] Jes: and deserved seems like

[09:19] Chantal: :))) you do great Yan 😊 you keep amazing me

[09:20] Vic: Bye bye!

[09:20] Chantal: Bye 😊

[09:20] Natalie: Have a great morning, afternoon or night, depending on your time zone. Bye.

[09:20] Yan: I need Vic participation
[09:20] Yan: can you?
[09:20] Chantal: Waves at Dora 😊
[09:20] Vic: Yes, of course....
[09:20] Yan: I'll invite again to Google Group
[09:20] Natalie: waves to everyone
[09:20] Chantal: ok logs off too
[09:20] Vic: Thank you...
[09:20] Yan: good
[09:21] Chantal: Sleep well Jes and Yan 😊
[09:21] Yan: see you again