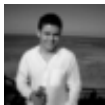# TweetChat - 06/04/09

#DCTH

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lydonator RT **@MikeNGarrett**: **#Q5** 2 weeks max upon completion. I also require 1/3-1/2 up front. **#DCTH** (I make them sign a prenup b4 I do owt :) -8:31 PM Jun 4th, 2009

DCTH The **#DCTH** team is: Founder Chad Engle **@chadengle**, Mike Dawson **@thedayafter**, Mike Conaty **@mikeconaty** & Robb Major **@robbmajor**. Show 'em love! -8:31 PM Jun 4th, 2009

MikeNGarrett **#Q9** I try not to use targets much because the user loses control of their experience at that point. **#DCTH** -8:30 PM Jun 4th, 2009

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countzeero **@dcth** It´s been very entertaining and mostly enlightening - look forward to **#dcth** -ing with you all next week… -8:30 PM Jun 4th, 2009

DCTH That'll do it for another fantastic **#DCTH**. Thanks so much for being a part! Don't forget to follow **@DCTH** & we'll see you next week! -8:30 PM Jun 4th, 2009

MikeNGarrett **#Q8** Anywhere from 2-10 sites. **#DCTH** -8:29 PM Jun 4th, 2009

MikeNGarrett **#Q5** 2 weeks max upon completion. I also require 1/3-1/2 up front. **#DCTH** -8:29 PM Jun 4th, 2009

MikeNGarrett **#Q3** Lucky to have found a job. My fiancée wasn't so lucky. She's still looking. **#DCTH** -8:27 PM Jun 4th, 2009

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bluepixeldesign Thanks for the answers everyone! I'll be back with more questions next week. I love Twitter if only for the design connections! **#DCTH** -8:27 PM Jun 4th, 2009

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lydonator **@svgrob** Damn, the API fair gets slammed on these twitterchats :S **#dcth** -8:26 PM Jun 4th, 2009

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iBlend **@DCTH** are we done with QA's tonight? **#DCTH** -8:25 PM Jun 4th, 2009

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svgrob **@bluepixeldesign** *hi-five* damn straight! lol **#Q12** **#DCTH** -8:24 PM Jun 4th, 2009

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iBlend "Something is totally wack." **#DCTH** -8:23 PM Jun 4th, 2009

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bluepixeldesign **@svgrob** **#Q12** Oooh… way too true! Bad clients don't get that "thanks". **#DCTH** -8:22 PM Jun 4th, 2009

svgrob @iBlend @maddisondesigns what can I say, I couldn't resist... lol #DCTH - 8:22 PM Jun 4th, 2009

lydonator RT @countzeero: #Q12 I don´t thank them, except by producing the best possible work I can in return for their money #dcth --> I ditto this -8:22 PM Jun 4th, 2009

iBlend RT @svgrob #Q12 I let them work with me again ;-) haha exactly #DCTH - 8:20 PM Jun 4th, 2009

iBlend #Q12 send a recommendation on linkedin or something... #DCTH -8:20 PM Jun 4th, 2009

DCTH Great questions tonight! We're about to wrap up. Read any questions you might've missed at http://bit.ly/19Hsg & reply as you see fit. #dcth -8:20 PM Jun 4th, 2009

bluewavemedia @kristofcreative I do that too #dcth ;) -8:19 PM Jun 4th, 2009

lydonator Mmmm, Inexpensive 'porn' storage.......interesting ;P #DCTH -8:15 PM Jun 4th, 2009

svgrob @DCTH #Q12 I let them work with me again ;-) #dcth -8:15 PM Jun 4th, 2009

countzeero #Q12 I don´t thank them, except by producing the best possible work I can in return for their money #dcth -8:15 PM Jun 4th, 2009

bluewavemedia @DCTH Q12 I give them a gift bag with a small bottle of champagne to celebrate the launch of a site #DCTH -8:15 PM Jun 4th, 2009

kristofcreative @DCTH #Q7 I highly reco Amazon S3 for file and video storage. It's not free (but very inexpensive). #dcth -8:14 PM Jun 4th, 2009

bluelobsterart RT @rhdesign: AGREED! #Q2 DCTH brought all of us designers together for design community chat on twitter :) #DCTH -8:14 PM Jun 4th, 2009

countzeero #Q8 http://ownage.countzeero.net was my first WP blog! sadly being neglected at the moment but that will change - I promise... #dcth -8:13 PM Jun 4th, 2009

DCTH #Q12: @rtdesign asks: If you are a freelancer, what do you do to thank your clients? Promotional item? Thank You card? #dcth -8:13 PM Jun 4th, 2009
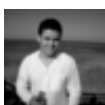
lydonator @dotconcepts Many thanks, good to be here #dcth -8:12 PM Jun 4th, 2009

kristofcreative **@DCTH** **#Q8** I run about 15 sites. Updating plugins can be a drag. Looking forward to using WordPress MU **#dcth** -8:11 PM Jun 4th, 2009

countzeero **@lydonator** welcome from a fellow **#dcth** virgin -8:11 PM Jun 4th, 2009

bluepixeldesign **@bluelobsterart** **#Q5** Ok, thanks. I've got a bunch overdue, most from trusted clients, but I'd still like to see the cash sooner… **#DCTH** -8:11 PM Jun 4th, 2009

countzeero **#Q11** I don´t think it is possible to redesign the greedy get rich quick attitudes that have led to the economic disaster **#dcth** -8:10 PM Jun 4th, 2009

lydonator Excellent, hello all **#DCTH** -8:10 PM Jun 4th, 2009

dotconcepts **@lydonator** howdy - welcome to **#dcth** -8:10 PM Jun 4th, 2009

MikeNGarrett **@DCTH** I'd redesign the process in which students are educated **#DCTH** -8:10 PM Jun 4th, 2009

svgrob **@DCTH** **#Q11** The banking system and the stock market lol :D (good question **@modbird**!) **#dcth** -8:10 PM Jun 4th, 2009

iBlend **@lydonator** tweetchat.com enter DCTH **#DCTH** -8:09 PM Jun 4th, 2009

bluelobsterart **@bluepixeldesign** Q5 **#dcth** - more like, "Just checking to see if you got my invoice on May ---." I don't use "outstanding" until 30 days. -8:09 PM Jun 4th, 2009

kristofcreative **@DCTH** I use a script and tag links with rel="external" + use css to auto add icons **#dcth** -8:08 PM Jun 4th, 2009

iBlend **#Q11** redesign credit limits! **#DCTH** -8:08 PM Jun 4th, 2009

svgrob **@lydonator** use the tweet search at the top of tweetdeck and insert **#dcth** :) -8:07 PM Jun 4th, 2009

svgrob Just like to pimp my mate **@lydonator** , hes a PHP type dude and new to twitter - show him some **#DCTH** love :D -8:06 PM Jun 4th, 2009

lydonator **@svgrob** How do I 'get in' **#dcth** -8:06 PM Jun 4th, 2009

DCTH **#Q11**: **@modbird** asks: what 1 thing (object/method) would you invent/

design/redesign to help turn the economy around (not political) #dcth -8:06 PM Jun 4th, 2009

maddisondesigns @DCTH #Q10 I resell hosting as well, for some extra income. #dcth -8:05 PM Jun 4th, 2009

svgrob @lydonator hey! :D get in #DCTH lol -8:04 PM Jun 4th, 2009

iBlend Fulltime job.. Ad space soon #DCTH -8:04 PM Jun 4th, 2009

svgrob @DCTH #Q10 I also get a small fee a month for helping in a forums #dcth -8:03 PM Jun 4th, 2009

bluepixeldesign @bluelobsterart #Q5 Just a quick "Just a reminder that this invoice is still outstanding…" ?? Or something more? #DCTH -8:03 PM Jun 4th, 2009

bluelobsterart @DCTH Q10 #dcth I supplement freelancing with college teaching and one-day software workshops teaching. -8:03 PM Jun 4th, 2009

svgrob @DCTH #Q10 I do host, although I am dropping it as soon as the contracts run out… cant be doing with it.#dcth -8:03 PM Jun 4th, 2009

bluelobsterart @DCTH Q9 #dcth I really don't bother with target=_blank any more. People should decide if they want to open in a new tab/window themselves. -8:02 PM Jun 4th, 2009

bluepixeldesign @dotconcepts #Q5 Ah… I've got it on the invoice but should definitely add it to the contract too. #DCTH -8:02 PM Jun 4th, 2009

**bluelobsterart** @DCTH Q8 #dcth http://blulob.com is my design blog; http://dawnsbrain.com is my old teaching blog. http://nhsdesigns.com is my class site. -8:01 PM Jun 4th, 2009

svgrob havin some serious loss of tweets in tweetchat tonight :(#dcth -8:01 PM Jun 4th, 2009

rhdesign #Q10 I have a full time job with @cyberregs: http://www.cyberregs.com and I do all my freelancing as side work #DCTH -8:01 PM Jun 4th, 2009
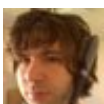
nymous #Q10 for a long time I was also a pedicab driver. Now, I just do web work on the side for trade. #dcth -8:00 PM Jun 4th, 2009

dotconcepts @bluepixeldesign But - its always in the contract, so no surprises for the client via the invoice ;) #Q5 #DCTH -8:00 PM Jun 4th, 2009

bluelobsterart @DCTH Q5 #dcth I ask clients to pay upon receipt. I typically give

15 days before I remind them. -8:00 PM Jun 4th, 2009

rhdesign #Q8 I also started building this site for my GF a while ago but havn't had time to go back and finish: http://www.jennifertheory.com/ #DCTH -7:59 PM Jun 4th, 2009

DCTH #Q10: @nabrown78 asks: What other sources of income do freelancers have (hosting, selling themes, affiliate income, etc.)? #dcth -7:59 PM Jun 4th, 2009

dotconcepts @bluepixeldesign #Q5 In the header http://twitpic.com/6mw0g (this is due on receipt, will say Net # otherwise) #dcth -7:58 PM Jun 4th, 2009

bluelobsterart @DCTH Q4 #dcth I've always used Quickbooks, but it's kind of overkill for the simply bookkeeping I do (mainly invoices.) -7:58 PM Jun 4th, 2009

bluelobsterart @DCTH Q3 #dcth. I lost my teaching job at the H.S. I decided to go back into freelancing. I'm optimistic, and old clients are enthusiastic. -7:57 PM Jun 4th, 2009

rhdesign #Q8 It has been almost 2 years since I have updated this portfolio http://www.rhdesignportfolio.com but i have another n the works #DCTH -7:57 PM Jun 4th, 2009
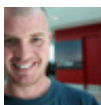
maddisondesigns @svgrob lol. Yeah, I'm sure lots of people in the same boat :) #dcth -7:56 PM Jun 4th, 2009

bluelobsterart @DCTH Q1 #dcth When I get designer's block, it helps to pull out the sketchbook and doodle. Or check out the latest designy stuff via RSS. -7:55 PM Jun 4th, 2009

DCTH RE: #Q8 Let's see some links to those personal/fun sites, y'all! #dcth -7:55 PM Jun 4th, 2009

countzeero #Q9 target_blank is often frowned upon - tbh though I tend to use it for my *own* stuff though -I Like to keep my visitors at my place #dcth -7:55 PM Jun 4th, 2009

bluepixeldesign @DCTH #Q9: Definitely. Never lose your own site. #DCTH -7:55 PM Jun 4th, 2009

bluelobsterart #dcth I just arrived. I hope ya'll don't mind if I go back and answer the earlier Qs. -7:54 PM Jun 4th, 2009

iBlend #Q9 yes I do unless you want them exiting your site #DCTH -7:54 PM Jun 4th, 2009

rhdesign #Q9 Absolutely, you don't ever want to help a visitor to straight up leave your website completely. #DCTH -7:53 PM Jun 4th, 2009

iBlend @bluepixeldesign it's a personal email #DCTH -7:53 PM Jun 4th, 2009

bluelobsterart @DCTH Q8 #dcth I have 2, not including my class website. I have had more in the past. -7:52 PM Jun 4th, 2009

bluepixeldesign @iBlend Do you use a form letter to remind them? Or make it personal? #DCTH -7:52 PM Jun 4th, 2009

DCTH #Q9: @MillerMosaicLLC asks: Should you use target_blank for external links? #dcth -7:52 PM Jun 4th, 2009

svgrob @maddisondesigns hehe yea I know that feeling :D #dcth -7:51 PM Jun 4th, 2009

sintaxera @countzeero nice. I like the idea of a discount for quick payment. I'll have to try that. #Dcth -7:51 PM Jun 4th, 2009

sbolen #Q5 #DCTH I was doing a net 30 on payment, but moved to a net 45 at the beginning of this year b/c of the economy. More appealing terms... -7:51 PM Jun 4th, 2009

iBlend @bluepixeldesign prob a month but I email 2 times a week and they get annoyed #DCTH -7:51 PM Jun 4th, 2009

countzeero #Q8 too many! not to mention the profile maintainance at Elance, LinkedIn and Co. less than 5 seconds ago #dcth -7:50 PM Jun 4th, 2009

bluepixeldesign @countzeero #Q5 Oooh... discount for fast payment... I likey! #DCTH -7:50 PM Jun 4th, 2009

maddisondesigns @DCTH #Q5 Yeah, I ask for 50% deposit as well, prior to performing any work. Used to be 30% but just recently increased it to 50. #dcth -7:50 PM Jun 4th, 2009

tomsturge @DCTH #Q7 Viddler for a community aspect, allows commenting on videos #dcth -7:49 PM Jun 4th, 2009

bluepixeldesign @iBlend #Q5 What's the longest you've gone unpaid and how do you follow up? #DCTH -7:48 PM Jun 4th, 2009

countzeero #Q5 50% up front and 50% on completion for new clients, return clients get 30 days with a 3% discount for payment within 7days #dcth -7:47 PM Jun 4th, 2009
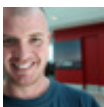
maddisondesigns @DCTH #Q5 I state 14 days on my invoices but I'm usually (way) too lenient if they're a little longer. #dcth -7:47 PM Jun 4th, 2009

theconstruct @DCTH 1(ONE) but if you count "maintaining" my online presence through the various fun social sites...11 (ELEVEN) #Q8 #dcth -7:46 PM Jun 4th, 2009

svgrob @DCTH #Q7 ermm I would use Vimeo of Viddler :) http://www.vimeo.com/ http://www.viddler.com/ #dcth -7:46 PM Jun 4th, 2009

iBlend #Q8 2 interactiveblend.com and thewebblend.com #DCTH -7:46 PM Jun 4th, 2009

bluepixeldesign @dotconcepts #Q5 How do you word when to get paid on your invoices? #DCTH -7:46 PM Jun 4th, 2009

rhdesign #Q5 I usually do half up front and half upon completion; depending on the type and size of the job. I give approx 30 days to pay #DCTH -7:45 PM Jun 4th, 2009

iBlend #Q5 I usually don't give a due date or fine them cause it turns clients off..I ask for 50% upfront and 50 in the end #DCTH -7:45 PM Jun 4th, 2009

DCTH #Q8: @rhdesign asks: How many websites do you create & maintain on average for personal or fun, separate from designing for clients? #dcth -7:44 PM Jun 4th, 2009

svgrob @DCTH #Q5 depends on who they are and how big the job is... I ask 50% deposit before work begins anyway. #dcth -7:44 PM Jun 4th, 2009
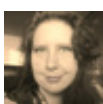
dotconcepts #Q5 Depends. Large corps get net 30, people who rub me wrong pay up front. Always, always clearly on the invoices. #dcth -7:43 PM Jun 4th, 2009

theconstruct @DCTH #Q7 Umm Youtube? #dcth -7:41 PM Jun 4th, 2009

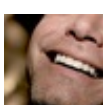**DCTH** #Q5 (Sorry, out of order): @bluepixeldesign asks: How long do you give clients to pay you? And do you mark this on your invoices? #dcth -7:41 PM Jun 4th, 2009

dotconcepts #Q7 YouTube. C'mon, even the Vatican is doing it... #dcth -7:40 PM Jun 4th, 2009

iBlend #Q7 goodluck with that.. #DCTH -7:40 PM Jun 4th, 2009

esquareda @DCTH #Q1 I browse @scrnshots for an hour and all designyness is restored #DCTH -7:40 PM Jun 4th, 2009

DCTH #Q7: @bluepixeldesign asks: Anyone know of a free host I can stick video files on to avoid bandwidth charges on my own hosting? #dcth -7:38 PM Jun 4th, 2009

designosophy RT @theconstruct: @DCTH #Q6 http://bit.ly/10hSf2 #dcth That's pretty cool. -7:37 PM Jun 4th, 2009

theconstruct @rhdesign let's hope so, I have a few magazines at home but of no help to him LOL #dcth -7:37 PM Jun 4th, 2009

bkmacdaddy Finally thought I was going to be here for all of #dcth, but I am getting next to nothing in refresh. Moving on - I'll try next week! Cheers -7:36 PM Jun 4th, 2009

DCTH Somehow #Q5 got lost in the fray. I'll post as soon as I find it. :D #dcth -7:36 PM Jun 4th, 2009

iBlend #Q6 nothing I can show from tweetie right now... Sorry #DCTH -7:35 PM Jun 4th, 2009

countzeero #Q6 not really a real annual report but certainly innovative...http://www.wolffolins.com/ge.php #dcth -7:35 PM Jun 4th, 2009

rhdesign @theconstruct Damn good find, I don't think he will get a better answer than that lol #dcth -7:35 PM Jun 4th, 2009
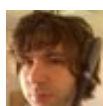
maddisondesigns @cnc137 I use paymo.biz for my time tracking. Works well. #dcth -7:34 PM Jun 4th, 2009

theconstruct @DCTH #Q6 http://bit.ly/10hSf2 #dcth -7:34 PM Jun 4th, 2009

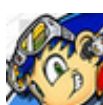**maddisondesigns** @DCTH Did we miss #Q5 or is just not appearing for me? #dcth -7:33 PM Jun 4th, 2009

nymous no Q5? #dcth -7:32 PM Jun 4th, 2009

DCTH #Q6: @BrandoNRG asks: I'm looking for the most innovative annual reports. Audi 2008 is a good example. Got more? #dcth -7:31 PM Jun 4th, 2009

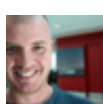**dotconcepts** #Q4 Simplifythis.com for invoicing, quickbooks for expenses #dcth -7:30 PM Jun 4th, 2009

cnc137 @DCTH #Q4 I have been looking into using: http://www.freshbooks.com, http://www.paymo.biz, and http://lessaccounting.com. #DCTH -7:30 PM Jun 4th, 2009

bkmacdaddy #Q4 I'm too embarrassed to say what I'm using. Pass. ;-) #dcth -7:30 PM Jun 4th, 2009

maddisondesigns @DCTH #Q4 I use Quickbooks. At the end of the financial year I just give my quickbooks file to my accountant so he can do his thang #dcth -7:30 PM Jun 4th, 2009

sbolen **@DCTH** **#Q4** I'm a big fan of MacFreelance. It's a really great app - http://tr.im/ntrH #dcth -7:30 PM Jun 4th, 2009

DCTH A Reminder: If you have a question you want to ask the #design community, send it to @DCTH without #dcth hashtag & we'll ask it tonight. .rm -7:30 PM Jun 4th, 2009

rhdesign **#Q4** I do not use accounting software myself but alot of my clients use quickbooks and I hear good things about it #DCTH -7:28 PM Jun 4th, 2009
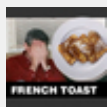
bluepixeldesign **@DCTH** **#Q4**: I just recently started using Billings and love it! Once you get onto the slips, it's great! #DCTH -7:28 PM Jun 4th, 2009

iBlend **#Q4** def go with quickbooks for mac #DCTH -7:27 PM Jun 4th, 2009

formula623 **#Q2**: The economy. When you have something killing media jobs left and right and causing logjams careerwise, it's big. #dcth -7:27 PM Jun 4th, 2009

mikeconaty **@DCTH** **#Q4** I use Quickbooks because it makes my tax accountant's life a wee bit easier, but there are some online things that look cool #DCTH -7:27 PM Jun 4th, 2009

countzeero **#Q4** I use a professional bookkeeper/accountant, just give her a ringbinder once a month and let her do her magic #dcth -7:26 PM Jun 4th, 2009

sbolen Tweetchat: the bane of my existence. #DCTH #dcth -7:25 PM Jun 4th, 2009

nabrown78 I use OfficeTime…not really full accounting software, but handles time tracking, expenses, and invoicing nicely #dcth -7:25 PM Jun 4th, 2009

formula623 **#Q1**: Books, internets, walk/drive around… there's too many things out there to ever really go dry. You just need the direction. #dcth -7:25 PM Jun 4th, 2009

madysondesigns Q3: As the only in-house designer at my company, I seem to be isolated for the most part- have seen a lot of coworkers laid off though #dcth -7:25 PM Jun 4th, 2009

DCTH **#Q4**: @ryanscherf asks: Freelancers, what's the best accounting software for invoices + expenses? #dcth -7:24 PM Jun 4th, 2009

theconstruct **@DCTH** **#Q3** Diversification. Designers turned writers, webdesigners turned coders, developers turned to IA #DCTH -7:24 PM Jun 4th, 2009

countzeero **#Q3** to be honest not really noticed it, been too busy doing my *own* thing. less than 5 seconds ago oops forgot the #dcth -7:23 PM Jun 4th, 2009

bkmacdaddy #Q3 My workload & client list has increased, not decreased. I think businesses are turning to online investments in desperation #dcth -7:22 PM Jun 4th, 2009
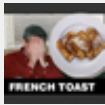
theconstruct @DCTH #Q2 The #AIGA owning up that #crowdsourcing might be a viable way to do business for "SOME" designers. They've given up #DCTH -7:22 PM Jun 4th, 2009

keneticimages #Q3 Well… improved my website/portfolio, aggressively quote on jobs, get more involved on Twitter! :) #dcth -7:22 PM Jun 4th, 2009

iBlend #q3 I'm more flexible with my rates #DCTH -7:22 PM Jun 4th, 2009

mikeconaty @DCTH #Q3 Take (almost) any gig in a storm… hustle hustle hustle… networking both on and off line… did I mention hustling? #DCTH -7:20 PM Jun 4th, 2009

madysondesigns Q1: Definitely working on something else helps- if you try to focus on something totally different, something will come to you. #DCTH -7:20 PM Jun 4th, 2009

dotconcepts #Q3 Spending a lot of time with repeat clients wanting to update/get ahead of competition #dcth -7:20 PM Jun 4th, 2009

rhdesign #Q3 I actually have been getting MORE freelance quotes for design and SEO for companies trying to increase their business #DCTH -7:19 PM Jun 4th, 2009

keneticimages RT @dotconcepts: #Q2 the impending demise of IE6 #dcth… I second that! WooHoo! -7:19 PM Jun 4th, 2009

designosophy Okay, twitterfall has failed. TweetChat seems to be updating here & there. None of the posts I made through twitterfall are showing up #dcth -7:19 PM Jun 4th, 2009

nymous #Q3 Took on real estate clients because they are throwing money around like crazy to keep from sinking. #dcth -7:18 PM Jun 4th, 2009

fredyatesiv @DCTH we're not Q3 #dcth -7:18 PM Jun 4th, 2009

rhdesign @dotconcepts I second that #dcth -7:17 PM Jun 4th, 2009

madysondesigns Evening all! Glad to finally make it this week, looking forward to the Qs! #dcth -7:17 PM Jun 4th, 2009

DCTH #Q3: @pixel_jockey asks: How are designers coping w/ the economic downturn/job loss? #dcth -7:17 PM Jun 4th, 2009

dotconcepts **#Q2** the impending demise of IE6 **#dcth** -7:17 PM Jun 4th, 2009

rhdesign **#Q2** DCTH brought all of us designers together for design community chat on twitter :) **#DCTH** -7:17 PM Jun 4th, 2009

bkmacdaddy **#Q1** turn the music up loud. read a book. do something else. walk away for a bit & come back. draw/sketch/doodle. **#dcth** -7:17 PM Jun 4th, 2009

svgrob **@DCTH** **#Q1** I step away from the computer - read or do something completely different :) **#dcth** -7:16 PM Jun 4th, 2009

dotconcepts **@bkmacdaddy** just frustration - search api is only working in spurts **#dcth** -7:15 PM Jun 4th, 2009

darianedwards **@hollyhagen** Sometimes taking a nap and work miracles. Also taking time to think quietly.. **#dcth** -7:14 PM Jun 4th, 2009

iBlend **#Q2** I'm sure this isn't what you're asking, but MY event would be buying my mac book pro! **#DCTH** -7:13 PM Jun 4th, 2009

bkmacdaddy hello all - just got home. What'd I miss? **#dcth** -7:13 PM Jun 4th, 2009

MillerMosaicLLC 4:12 PST and a tweet from 4:00 just popped up. **#DCTH** -7:13 PM Jun 4th, 2009

MillerMosaicLLC **@DCTH** **#Q1** Work on a personal design project that's just for fun. **#DCTH** -7:12 PM Jun 4th, 2009

designosophy Oh, and Twitterfall seems to be working. **#dcth** -7:11 PM Jun 4th, 2009

maddisondesigns **@DCTH** **#Q1** Usually like leave it 4 a bit. Gives u a chance 2 clear ur head & come back to it later, with possibly a fresh approach **#dcth** -7:11 PM Jun 4th, 2009

svgrob **@DCTH** I step away from the computer - read or do something completely different :) **#dcth** -7:10 PM Jun 4th, 2009
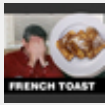
keneticimages **#Q1** I change my environment, take a walk, sit down with sketchpad or look thru my old drawings or designs. Then I am usually inspired **#dcth** -7:10 PM Jun 4th, 2009

darianedwards Q1: Sketching is good too, I'd put on a movie and get the sketch pad and draw out whatever comes to mind, words, font ideas, graphics **#dcth** -7:09 PM Jun 4th, 2009

mikeconaty #Q1 Depending on the time of day... loud music you haven't heard before and/or food therapy (make something good) #DCTH -7:09 PM Jun 4th, 2009

nabrown78 @robertbanh Yes - If I'm working on a website, best thing to do for me is get away from the web for a bit #dcth -7:09 PM Jun 4th, 2009

theconstruct @designosophy hi #DCTH -7:09 PM Jun 4th, 2009

countzeero whip out the Moleskin, grab my (black) fineliner, plug the earphones in and get on with *it*... #dcth -7:09 PM Jun 4th, 2009

DCTH #Q2: @sunwuking asks: What's the most significant event in design of the past year? #dcth -7:09 PM Jun 4th, 2009

hollyhagen #Q1 i don't know, but timely question. I'm experiencing major designer's block at this exact moment. love to hear your responses #dcth -7:08 PM Jun 4th, 2009

designosophy Okay, I think that Twitter hates Thursdays. There are continually problems with the API. Tweetchat is not refreshing. #dcth -7:08 PM Jun 4th, 2009

iBlend #Q1 play video games.. Eating always helps me too! #DCTH -7:08 PM Jun 4th, 2009

dotconcepts #Q1 Look through my gia-mongous list of design gallery websites, unless its really bad, then I pull out watercolors and paint #dcth -7:07 PM Jun 4th, 2009

darianedwards #Q1: What to do when you get a case of designer's block? Watch a good movie, comedies work well for getting ideas going. #dcth -7:07 PM Jun 4th, 2009

rhdesign @designosophy I like that answer to #Q1 lol #dcth -7:06 PM Jun 4th, 2009

bluepixeldesign @nymous LOL! That's just what I was going to say, minus the bathroom part... though that's true. ;) I go for a walk or surf the 'net. #DCTH -7:06 PM Jun 4th, 2009

cnc137 @fray I can only use Tweetie on my Dell Mini 9 running Mac OS X. I use TweetDeck on my Windows Vista desktop PC. #DCTH -7:05 PM Jun 4th, 2009

designosophy #Q1 I usually start sketching. It's like I've got a little creative person trapped in my head and he can only speak thru drawing. #dcth -7:05 PM Jun 4th, 2009

robertbanh @DCTH #Q1: i take a walk. get outside. look around. disconnect from the web. #dcth -7:05 PM Jun 4th, 2009

nabrown78 Put pencil to paper. Get some ideas out, no matter how crappy they are. Also brainstorm related words and concepts #Q1 #dcth -7:05 PM Jun 4th, 2009

gabediaz Guess the search is fubared again. Missing #dcth : (-7:05 PM Jun 4th, 2009

rhdesign #Q1 Look online for inspiration; look at a lot though because just looking at one site for inspiration can lead to copying #DCTH -7:05 PM Jun 4th, 2009

theconstruct @DCTH #Q1 Drink! Well actually, stop, step away and clear your mind, preferably by going outside. You can't always force it out. #DCTH -7:05 PM Jun 4th, 2009

maddisondesigns Morning DCTH'ers. joining a little late today. #dcth -7:04 PM Jun 4th, 2009

nymous #Q1 I walk away and do something else. You wouldn't try to use the bathroom if you didn't actually have to go. #dcth -7:04 PM Jun 4th, 2009

countzeero hi all, my first time here tonight... not quite sure what to expect :) #dcth #dcth -7:04 PM Jun 4th, 2009

designosophy Greetings, all. #dcth -7:03 PM Jun 4th, 2009

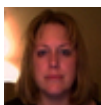**DCTH** Let's get to Q&A! If you have a question you want to ask the #design community, send it to @DCTH and we'll ask it during tonight's #DCTH .rm -7:00 PM Jun 4th, 2009

formula623 I don't know how Q&A is gonna work with TweetShat going so slow. #dcth -6:58 PM Jun 4th, 2009

**fray** Tweet chat is being wonky... I will be refreshing the twitter search to keep along... #DCTH -6:58 PM Jun 4th, 2009

NancySeeger Hi All, I can't hang tonight, b'day w/hubby so off to his fav restaurant - viva la French Toast (quote from @mikeconnaty) #dcth -6:58 PM Jun 4th, 2009

adammccombs @mikeconaty I wish, I think I'll have to miss #DCTH this week, I have been swamped this week. : (-6:57 PM Jun 4th, 2009

iBlend @DCTH hey it's back! For now... #DCTH -6:57 PM Jun 4th, 2009
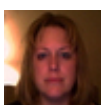
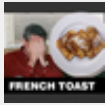**NancySeeger** @nabrown78 ooh so agree, I would rather not see the "50 best ...."

but the top 10 - who has time to check out 50? ;) #dcth -6:57 PM Jun 4th, 2009

DCTH @iBlend If I'm not mistaken, the issue is w/ Twitter's search API & not w/ TweetChat itself. @BrooksBennett may know more about that. #dcth -6:56 PM Jun 4th, 2009

mikeconaty @fray Excellent response because b-b-b-b-b-b-b-b-b-b-b-b-b-b bb bbb bbbird bird, bbird is the word papa ooo mow mow etc. #DCTH -6:55 PM Jun 4th, 2009

fray @cnc137 I look at their profile and then their website if they have one. No profile, no follow. #DCTH -6:55 PM Jun 4th, 2009

DCTH In 5 minutes we'll start Q&A. Please keep discussion to answering the questions asked. For unrelated chat, please remove the #dcth hashtag. -6:55 PM Jun 4th, 2009
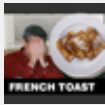
tomsturge *Throws in towel and walks away* #dcth -6:54 PM Jun 4th, 2009

cnc137 @darianedwards Good luck on the speed resume creating. ;) Microsoft Word has some resume templates that you can use to get started. #DCTH -6:54 PM Jun 4th, 2009
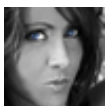
ljmadd sorry I'm missing #dcth this week also!! I'll def be in next week - I just have a TON of unpacking to do right now :(Have fun!! -6:54 PM Jun 4th, 2009

mikeconaty @iBlend Hellz Yeah! #DCTH -6:53 PM Jun 4th, 2009

fray @mikeconaty The bird is the word. hehehe #DCTH -6:53 PM Jun 4th, 2009

iBlend Is Jersey in the house?? #DCTH -6:53 PM Jun 4th, 2009

cnc137 @tomsturge @bluepixeldesign Going to have to check out http://www. topify.com & http://followwatch.com for reviewing Twitter followers. #DCTH -6:52 PM Jun 4th, 2009

fray @cnc137 I love Tweetie. But it doesn't work at home, non-Intel, non-leopard... #DCTH -6:51 PM Jun 4th, 2009
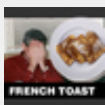
mikeconaty @fray Hey Fray, whaddya say? Wowo, di I just type that? Sorry. What's the word? #DCTH -6:51 PM Jun 4th, 2009

iBlend What is going on here? </tweetchat> Broken! #DCTH -6:51 PM Jun 4th, 2009

fray **@nabrown78** I unfollowed several of those people today. **#DCTH** -6:50 PM Jun 4th, 2009

cnc137 **@nabrown78** I look at their tweets on their Twitter profile on **http://Twitter.com** & also look at their website if they have one. **#DCTH** -6:49 PM Jun 4th, 2009

bluepixeldesign **@nabrown78** Reasons for unfollowing: no personality (all RTs or long lists), or too much personality (no substance). **#DCTH** -6:49 PM Jun 4th, 2009

fray **@modbird** I would redesign airplanes and cars for better transportation and comfort. **#DCTH** -6:49 PM Jun 4th, 2009

nabrown78 **@formula623** Yeah it's a tough call. People post useful links, but some days I see the same "50 best whatever" list posted ad nauseum **#dcth** -6:49 PM Jun 4th, 2009

bluepixeldesign **@formula623** "random posts as opposed to blatant RT" Absolutely! I don't love the lists either... 30 Photoshop Tutorials... no time!! **#DCTH** -6:48 PM Jun 4th, 2009

fray Howdy people. :] **#DCTH** -6:48 PM Jun 4th, 2009

tomsturge Tweetchat FAIL once again **#dcth** -6:47 PM Jun 4th, 2009

modbird **@DCTH** ill be checking back to see if anyone solves the worlds problems after yoga :).... peace **#dcth** -6:47 PM Jun 4th, 2009

modbird **@DCTH** Q: what 1 thing (object/method) would you invent/design/redesign to help turn the economy around(not political) **#dcth** **#easyquestion** -6:46 PM Jun 4th, 2009

SashaHalima **@DCTH** enjoy Design Chat tonight! Sorry, I can't make it, hope everyone learns something amazing, useful & networks! :) **#DCTH** -6:46 PM Jun 4th, 2009

nabrown78 What's the most common reason for unfollowing someone? "Unfollow"... that doesn't even seem like a real word **#dcth** -6:46 PM Jun 4th, 2009

formula623 **@mikeconaty** Jersey gets a bum rap IMO. Most of the state is nice and it has killer produce. It's not all urban blight. **#dcth** -6:45 PM Jun 4th, 2009

bluepixeldesign **@cnc137** Topify is great for a quick review of new followers! **#DCTH** -6:45 PM Jun 4th, 2009

darianedwards **@cnc137** I know and that's what I was afraid of. It looks like I'm gonna have to whip something up though. **#dcth** -6:45 PM Jun 4th, 2009

svgrob **@mikeconaty** Im with you... lol #dcth -6:45 PM Jun 4th, 2009

formula623 **@cnc137** I usually check out what they are posting. Quality, not quality. I kinda like random posts as opposed to blatant retweeting. #dcth -6:45 PM Jun 4th, 2009

tomsturge **@cnc137** I use topify and FollowWatch #dcth -6:44 PM Jun 4th, 2009

cnc137 **@tomsturge** I forgot, I use Twittelator Pro - http://www.stone.com/Twittelator/ on my iPhone when I am out and about. #DCTH -6:44 PM Jun 4th, 2009

dotconcepts **@cnc137** A website that grabs bio/recent tweets; then click-through to twitter if I'm unsure #dcth -6:44 PM Jun 4th, 2009

breakfasttweets The best of breakfast, brunch and lunch = PB&J sandwiches. I win #dcth http://twitter.com/chriswallace/statuses/2035430759 -6:44 PM Jun 4th, 2009

nabrown78 **@cnc137** I check out their twitter page as well as their website if they have one listed #dcth -6:43 PM Jun 4th, 2009
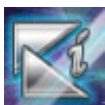
darianedwards **@theconstruct** Ok good idea, thanks. #dcth -6:43 PM Jun 4th, 2009
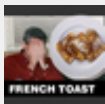
mikeconaty **@formula623** I'm not far from New Gunswick... haven't heard it called that in quite a while. :-) #DCTH -6:42 PM Jun 4th, 2009

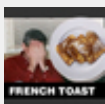**cnc137** How do you review new followers before following them? Do you use a utility, website or look at their profile on http://Twitter.com? #DCTH -6:42 PM Jun 4th, 2009

keneticimages **@modbird** LOL... How could you choose Yoga over #dcth? Hmmmph! ;) -6:42 PM Jun 4th, 2009

tomsturge **@cnc137** Tweetdeck, the web and Twibble(N95) on the move #dcth -6:41 PM Jun 4th, 2009

mikeconaty **@chriswallace** LOL, no, it's FTFTW! Ohhhh wait... http://bit.ly/3LX3MW we can all get along. :-) #DCTH -6:41 PM Jun 4th, 2009

dotconcepts **@theconstruct** not the way I'd pick to spend an evening #dcth -6:40 PM Jun 4th, 2009

tomsturge **@chriswallace** Oh Peanut Butter and Jelly right? #dcth -6:40 PM Jun 4th, 2009

formula623 **@mikeconaty** Yes. My old roommate was from New Gunswick. But its not Killadelphia. #dcth -6:40 PM Jun 4th, 2009

modbird **@DCTH** oh the pressure! ok..you're on! #dcth -6:40 PM Jun 4th, 2009

cnc137 Which Twitter client do you use or do you just use http://Twitter.com? I use TweetDeck, Tweetie, and the website depending on my mood. #DCTH -6:39 PM Jun 4th, 2009

darianedwards **@mikeconaty** Hey thanks man. I'm super excited!! #dcth -6:39 PM Jun 4th, 2009

modbird **@keneticimages** yoga :P (no offense) #dcth -6:39 PM Jun 4th, 2009

chriswallace PB&J FTW #dcth -6:38 PM Jun 4th, 2009

DCTH **@modbird** You should send a mind-blowingly awesome question to @DCTH that we'll bring out during the Q&A tonight while you're yoga-ing. #dcth -6:38 PM Jun 4th, 2009

modbird **@nabrown78** oh no worries, i just have to get used to the schedule… usually i take an earlier yoga class… #dcth -6:38 PM Jun 4th, 2009
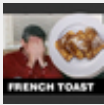
mikeconaty **@svgrob** I blame the Granola and Muslix gangs. never did trust those guys. :-) #DCTH -6:38 PM Jun 4th, 2009

theconstruct **@darianedwards** community involvement, non-profit work, organization memberships, awards, events attended, seminars or workshops #DCTH -6:38 PM Jun 4th, 2009

modbird **@MillerMosaicLLC** i know, i know @chriswallace reminded me….dont mind me im senile #DCTH -6:38 PM Jun 4th, 2009

theconstruct At the counsel of my developers, I delved deeply into WP mods, php and CSS by just darn doing it. Up until 3am :(#DCTH -6:37 PM Jun 4th, 2009

darianedwards **@theconstruct** Any ideas on what to add besides my skills because I have no work experience? #dcth -6:37 PM Jun 4th, 2009
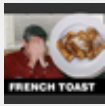
keneticimages **@modbird** Looks like you'll have to choose between yoga or #dcth …. :) -6:37 PM Jun 4th, 2009

nabrown78 **@modbird** Maybe it would be better to have question period first and chat after? #dcth -6:37 PM Jun 4th, 2009

mikeconaty **@formula623** Ehhh, get in line… I am from NJ… it's like a walk in the park for me. :-D #DCTH -6:37 PM Jun 4th, 2009

cnc137 **@darianedwards** I would recommend having a resume also, but I don't know if you will have time to create a decent one in one evening??? #DCTH -6:37 PM Jun 4th, 2009

fray **@jenniferbourn** Also find a replacement (if needed) asap to get the work covered. #dcth -6:36 PM Jun 4th, 2009

tomsturge This is a pretty strange refresh time to have http://twitpic.com/6mopt #dcth -6:36 PM Jun 4th, 2009

modbird **@chriswallace** ooh i forgot about the new format….silly me…not been able to participate since the formatswitch :) #imanoldnag #dcth -6:36 PM Jun 4th, 2009

cjmadigan **@DCTH** hi, it doesn't appear you are following me. would love it if you did :) #nofollow #dcth -6:36 PM Jun 4th, 2009

formula623 **@mikeconaty** Then prepare to be assassinated. #dcth -6:36 PM Jun 4th, 2009

iBlend **@chriswallace** yeah man PBJ! #DCTH -6:35 PM Jun 4th, 2009

MillerMosaicLLC **@modbird** Free chat til the hour. #DCTH -6:35 PM Jun 4th, 2009

cnc137 **@chriswallace** I see your new avatar with "PB & J" in TweetDeck. #DCTH -6:35 PM Jun 4th, 2009

chriswallace **@modbird** No, it's just chat time. Questions start in 25 minutes… #dcth -6:34 PM Jun 4th, 2009

iBlend Who's going to see the Hangover tomorrow night? Looks hilarious #DCTH -6:34 PM Jun 4th, 2009

modbird um are we gonna get to a topic here anytime soon? (taps fingers…) i have to go to yoga in 10 minutes…tap..tap..tap #dcth -6:34 PM Jun 4th, 2009

chriswallace Is my new avatar showing up? #dcth -6:33 PM Jun 4th, 2009

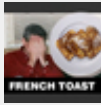**svgrob** **@mikeconaty** it makes me laugh - I have had so many people try and kill me... mmm kinda makes ya paranoid... #dcth -6:33 PM Jun 4th, 2009

PixlSequence Wow tweetchat is freaking out on me - its actually just gone back an hour... #dcth -6:33 PM Jun 4th, 2009

mikeconaty **@darianedwards** Hey congrats! I'd suggest at least having a printed resume.. empty handed could look like unprepared to the interviewer #DCTH -6:33 PM Jun 4th, 2009

svgrob **@phlapjax** I think you is right! :(#dcth -6:33 PM Jun 4th, 2009

DCTH RT **@robbmajor**: We messed up. If you applied for the #Design job at CRA prior to June 1, we didn't get your app. Please re-apply. #dcth -6:33 PM Jun 4th, 2009

esquareda **@DCTH** - gunna miss #DCTH tonight, as I am readying myself for the Eric Meyer interview tonight. Send us questions to ask him **@CreativeXpert** -6:33 PM Jun 4th, 2009

**tomsturge** **@ChadEngle** You had much time to get the DCTH Tweetchat safety net sorted? #dcth -6:32 PM Jun 4th, 2009
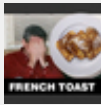
mikeconaty **@formula623** Yeah, the spy thing is mildly irritating... but then again so am I , so I figure it all works out in the end #DCTH -6:32 PM Jun 4th, 2009

theconstruct **@darianedwards** NO! bring SOMETHING. SPECIALLY if it's not on your site. They may not ask to see it but better safe than.. #DCTH -6:31 PM Jun 4th, 2009

phlapjax **@svgrob** how about that. It was def. stuck there for a minute. #DCTH -6:31 PM Jun 4th, 2009
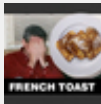
mikeconaty **@modbird** LOL, it's all such a blur, we could actually be in brunch for all I know. :-) But Tuna Sandwich isn't as cool for avatars #DCTH -6:30 PM Jun 4th, 2009

chriswallace The best of breakfast, brunch and lunch = PB&J sandwiches. I win #dcth -6:30 PM Jun 4th, 2009

DCTH We wanna follow everyone in DCTH. Visit http://doesfollow.com & see if we're following you. If not @ reply us with #nofollow hashtag. #dcth -6:30 PM Jun 4th, 2009

MillerMosaicLLC **@dotconcepts** Where's the Twitter donation box? #DCTH -6:30 PM Jun 4th, 2009

theconstruct RT **@vegasgeek**: Conan O'Brien's new set looks like the Super Mario

Mushroom Kingdom: http://bit.ly/4w6p8O *LOL #DCTH -6:30 PM Jun 4th, 2009

iBlend @darianedwards Haha prob not.. Draw one up.. #DCTH -6:29 PM Jun 4th, 2009

PixlSequence @tomsturge haha there you are! #dcth -6:29 PM Jun 4th, 2009

darianedwards I got my 1st Web Design interview tomorrow, I have no resume but they really dug my portfolio site. Is it ok to go in empty handed? #dcth -6:29 PM Jun 4th, 2009

tomsturge @mikeconaty @PixlSequence And dont you forget it lol #DCTH -6:29 PM Jun 4th, 2009

breakfasttweets @mikeconaty @madbrad....um so we are still on 1st breakfast?? ugh. #DCTH http://twitter.com/modbird/statuses/2035405851 -6:28 PM Jun 4th, 2009

svgrob @MillerMosaicLLC lol dunno :S it seems a little slow... #dcth -6:28 PM Jun 4th, 2009

modbird @mikeconaty @madbrad....um so we are still on 1st breakfast?? ugh. #DCTH -6:28 PM Jun 4th, 2009

theconstruct @antonea good evening there :) #DCTH -6:28 PM Jun 4th, 2009

svgrob @phlapjax I think its ok actually! #dcth -6:28 PM Jun 4th, 2009

dotconcepts @MillerMosaicLLC - Tweetchat (and the search API) are acting like drunken pirates - wobble, wobble ARRRRRGH... #dcth -6:28 PM Jun 4th, 2009
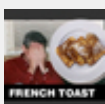
fray @jenniferbourn I'd fire them. #dcth -6:28 PM Jun 4th, 2009

phlapjax I didn't mean format, I meant condition. my apologies. (I happen to really like the new format.) #DCTH -6:28 PM Jun 4th, 2009

ChadEngle #followfriday @robbmajor for sure? Great guy, shares good/funny stuff, designer beast & is driving #dcth 2night. Go. Follow. -6:28 PM Jun 4th, 2009

mikeconaty @MillerMosaicLLC I'm not sure where I would fit in. :-) #DCTH -6:28 PM Jun 4th, 2009

**formula623** **@mikeconaty** I can't figure out how that spy jobbie works. **#dcth** -6:27 PM Jun 4th, 2009

phlapjax meh. Hi guys and girls. Nice to see you but this format is frustrating. See you on the other side. **#DCTH** -6:27 PM Jun 4th, 2009

darianedwards **@mikeconaty** Cool, thanks.. Ok so I gotta get down with French Toast then lol **#dcth** -6:27 PM Jun 4th, 2009

MillerMosaicLLC Did TweetChat just freeze or what? **#DCTH** -6:26 PM Jun 4th, 2009
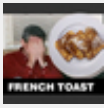
mikeconaty **@modbird** As **@madbrad** would say, first we have to move through second breakfast, brunch and then on to first lunch. :-) **#DCTH** -6:26 PM Jun 4th, 2009
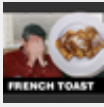
phlapjax Testing... Is it broken tonight? **#DCTH** -6:26 PM Jun 4th, 2009

PixlSequence **@mikeconaty** **@divinefusion** blasted! you are correct, noble sir. **#dcth** -6:26 PM Jun 4th, 2009
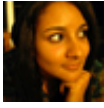
theconstruct Having **@fleurdeleigh** take some pics of me here in vegas. Any requests? **#DCTH** -6:25 PM Jun 4th, 2009

mikeconaty **@formula623** Let's hope not... although all the spy stuff is kinda like Mafia Wars on FB... loads of extra tweetage **#DCTH** -6:25 PM Jun 4th, 2009
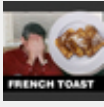
robbmajor **@chadengle** Stop talking. Go be with your lady. Enjoy the night off. **#dcth** -6:24 PM Jun 4th, 2009

antonea Good evening everyone! **#dcth** -6:24 PM Jun 4th, 2009

modbird just a general question....when are we gonna be done w/ breakfast and move on to lunch? just wonderin... **#dcth** -6:24 PM Jun 4th, 2009

mikeconaty **@darianedwards** A DCTH food fight of sorts... that somehow got waaaaaaaaaaaaaaaaayyyyyyy out of hand. :-) French Toast RULES FTFTW! **#DCTH** -6:23 PM Jun 4th, 2009

MillerMosaicLLC **@mikeconaty** Twitter is going to have to spilt into two. Twitter for Celebrities and Twitter for people who think they're cool. **#DCTH** -6:23 PM Jun 4th, 2009

DCTH For those new to **#dcth** & those who haven't been here in a while, here's our

format: 6-7 ET= Chat, 7-830 ET= Q&A. More: http://bit.ly/gUXfp -6:22 PM Jun 4th, 2009

modbird @Arbenting yeah i didnt see u :(i followed your lead on asking twitter how ot fix it ..... wonder why yours is not working.. #dcth -6:22 PM Jun 4th, 2009

formula623 @mikeconaty agreed. This might become similar to myspace. #dcth - 6:22 PM Jun 4th, 2009

MillerMosaicLLC @DarianEdwards @iBlend Thanks #DCTH -6:22 PM Jun 4th, 2009
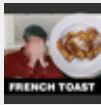
mikeconaty @PixlSequence @divinefusion I'm pretty sure that his whollyness @tomsturge is the lord of Corn Flakes. #DCTH -6:22 PM Jun 4th, 2009

ChadEngle Woowoo! #dcth all the way!! Do it big @robbmajor :) -6:21 PM Jun 4th, 2009

**darianedwards** Whats the Pancakes, French Toast Avatars all about?? #dcth #dcth - 6:21 PM Jun 4th, 2009

cnc137 Design Community Twitter Hours have begun. 6-7pm ET = chat about design | 7-8pm ET = Q&A - http://dcth.info & http://TweetChat.com #DCTH -6:21 PM Jun 4th, 2009

PixlSequence @modbird LOL! Perfect. #dcth -6:20 PM Jun 4th, 2009

modbird @DCTH well then....get to it....times a wasting #dcth -6:20 PM Jun 4th, 2009
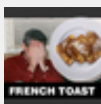
**mikeconaty** @MillerMosaicLLC I blame all the Joe Jonas crap for breaking Twitter. #DCTH -6:20 PM Jun 4th, 2009

iBlend @MillerMosaicLLC check out thewebblend.com for free stuff #DCTH -6:19 PM Jun 4th, 2009

darianedwards @MillerMosaicLLC Depends on the kind of business but maybe a floral pattern texture or maybe even a light grunge would work #dcth #dcth -6:19 PM Jun 4th, 2009

modbird @PixlSequence ha ha :) yeah, maybe not...hows this: ive been ignoring you guys4 wks but decided to grace u w/ my presence 2day :P #dcth -6:19 PM Jun 4th, 2009
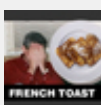
mikeconaty @DCTH Woo hoo, Robb's running the asylum! #DCTH -6:19 PM Jun 4th, 2009

PixlSequence **@mikeconaty** **@divinefusion** I think the waffle-advocate was sir **@tomsturge** **#dcth** -6:18 PM Jun 4th, 2009

iBlend I leave work just in time for chatting. I'm in the car 90% of **#DCTH** -6:18 PM Jun 4th, 2009

JaredWoods If you are a 'design' person, then you should be looking at **#dcth** now for tips, tricks and great design discussion! -6:18 PM Jun 4th, 2009

MillerMosaicLLC Anyone have some glass textures on hand? Otherwise, I'm off to search some sites. **#DCTH** -6:18 PM Jun 4th, 2009

DCTH The great **@chadengle** has the night off to be w/ his lady. I, **@robbmajor**, will be taking the helm in his stead. **#dcth** -6:17 PM Jun 4th, 2009

dotconcepts hrmph - nothing like having search go bonkers right on schedule for **#dcth** **#dcth** -6:17 PM Jun 4th, 2009

svgrob **@iBlend** haha eerm we have a PSD... lol **http://awesomevsawesome. com/** :) **#dcth** -6:17 PM Jun 4th, 2009

modbird **@Arbenting** oh let me look - tweet chat is slow...ill keep my eye out for it :) saw this one on my tweetdeck **#dcth** -6:17 PM Jun 4th, 2009

PixlSequence **@modbird** Yeah I probably wouldn't have been admitting it was broken. :P **#dcth** -6:17 PM Jun 4th, 2009
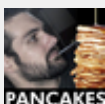
MillerMosaicLLC **@mikeconaty** How can it be broken already? **#DCTH** hasn't bee going on long enough for us to break it. **#DCTH** -6:16 PM Jun 4th, 2009
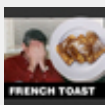
mikeconaty Me thinks the search API is a bit on the borked side... again, just in time for **#DCTH** -6:15 PM Jun 4th, 2009
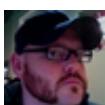
divinefusion **@mikeconaty** oh sorry, you are the french toast advocate...the waffle was the week before? **#dcth** -6:15 PM Jun 4th, 2009

PixlSequence **@mikeconaty** 'ello sir! You haven't missed much. Oh, the meaning of life was revealed, but that's it. **#dcth** -6:14 PM Jun 4th, 2009

MillerMosaicLLC **@DCTH** Is there a place we can submit qs? **#DCTH** -6:14 PM Jun 4th, 2009

robbmajor We messed up. If you applied for the Graphic **#Design** job at CRA prior to June 1, we didn't receive your application. Please re-apply. **#dcth** -6:14 PM Jun 4th, 2009
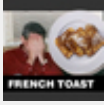
mikeconaty @chriswallace Avast Ye Matey! #DCTH -6:13 PM Jun 4th, 2009

robertbanh I have to eat dinner. Brb #dcth -6:13 PM Jun 4th, 2009

mikeconaty @divinefusion Now what's all this about? #DCTH -6:13 PM Jun 4th, 2009

modbird joining you guys for a bit b/4 yoga :) looks like they finally fixed my twitter (ooh that sounds bad, huh?) #dcth -6:13 PM Jun 4th, 2009

chriswallace Hello ye dcth scallewags #dcth -6:12 PM Jun 4th, 2009

nabrown78 @DCTH Huh, gotcha. Well poor Twitter...so popular and yet no one is paying them anything! #dcth -6:12 PM Jun 4th, 2009

MillerMosaicLLC Design help please: What kind of texture works with a business website header? #DCTH -6:12 PM Jun 4th, 2009
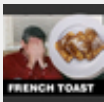
modbird @iBlend @nabrown78 yay!! havent been able to partake in months... #dcth -6:12 PM Jun 4th, 2009

rhdesign @brandonacox Your family is with you every day, #DCTH is only but once a week. Sacrifices... -6:11 PM Jun 4th, 2009

divinefusion @iBlend thats because @mikeconaty is missing (=waffle) want the psd file? #dcth -6:11 PM Jun 4th, 2009

mikeconaty Allo, allo, allo, so what have I missed? #DCTH -6:11 PM Jun 4th, 2009

nabrown78 @modbird 10-4 modbird. Tweetchat is super slow but I see your tweet #dcth -6:11 PM Jun 4th, 2009

MillerMosaicLLC OOps, I missed the beginning of #DCTH #DCTH -6:11 PM Jun 4th, 2009

brandonacox Gonna miss #dcth again... family time. You guys have fun. -6:11 PM Jun 4th, 2009

formula623 I think tweetchat refreshes every 5 minutes #fail #dcth -6:11 PM Jun 4th, 2009

iBlend **@modbird** hey how's it going? I see your tweet… **#DCTH** -6:11 PM Jun 4th, 2009

divinefusion **@madbrad** no! come back! :(**#dcth** -6:10 PM Jun 4th, 2009

iBlend **@madbrad** what's up man? **#DCTH** -6:09 PM Jun 4th, 2009

iBlend **@svgrob** haha I see you're a pancake guy. What do I do to join the cult? I haven't seen one waffle! **#DCTH** -6:09 PM Jun 4th, 2009

modbird um…this is a test…can one of you let me know if you can see my tweets in tweetchat or twitter search for dcth? :)thx **#dcth** -6:08 PM Jun 4th, 2009

PixlSequence Aye - I've been having a quite a bit of issues with twitter in general. I still can't unfollow people. **#dcth** -6:08 PM Jun 4th, 2009

divinefusion aloha everyone **#dcth** -6:08 PM Jun 4th, 2009

theconstruct RT **@DCTH**: Welcome to **#DCTH**! Free chat is from 6-7PM ET. Chat about anything design-related this hour. Then at 7 we'll begin Q&A. .rm -6:08 PM Jun 4th, 2009

madbrad Missing yet another **#dcth** :-(-6:08 PM Jun 4th, 2009

svgrob **@iBlend** HERRACY! **#dcth** -6:06 PM Jun 4th, 2009

DCTH Something certainly doesn't seem to be quite right with Twitter right now. We'll try to tough it out and have a fantastic discussion. **#dcth** -6:05 PM Jun 4th, 2009

nabrown78 Yeah tweetchat stinks man. Somebody needs to build a new twitter chat dealy **#dcth** -6:05 PM Jun 4th, 2009

DCTH Welcome to **#DCTH**! Free chat is from 6-7PM ET. Chat about anything design-related this hour. Then at 7 we'll begin Q&A. .rm -6:05 PM Jun 4th, 2009

creativecurio **@DCTH** if you want to make a little announcement, there's a big business expo in OC, CA tonite. Details: http://tinyurl.com/pwqbb3 **#dcth** -6:03 PM Jun 4th, 2009

formula623 Me thinks tweetchat is broken. **#dcth** -6:03 PM Jun 4th, 2009

nabrown78 Heading to tweetchat.com to join #dcth design chat -6:01 PM Jun 4th, 2009

dotconcepts Heading to a #design chat at #dcth - Join in: http://bit.ly/AWGWB -5:59 PM Jun 4th, 2009

iBlend I'm not sure what I like more.. Can we mix pancakes and waffles? #Dcth -5:58 PM Jun 4th, 2009

formula623 Joining #dcth. You should too. #dcth -5:58 PM Jun 4th, 2009

svgrob Eeekk I need my brew!!!! #dcth -5:58 PM Jun 4th, 2009

svgrob RT @DCTH: #DCTH, Twitter's #design conversation, is about to begin! Join in at http://bit.ly/AWGWB Thursdays, 6-830PM ET .rm -5:58 PM Jun 4th, 2009

DCTH RT @pixelhandler: Whats w/ the 'pancakes' label on everyone's avatars? #DCTH **You'll have to talk to @robertbanh for an anwer to that one. -5:57 PM Jun 4th, 2009
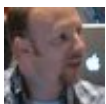
iBlend Hello everyone! #Dcth -5:56 PM Jun 4th, 2009

PixlSequence RT @DCTH #DCTH, Twitter's #design conversation, is about to begin! Join in at http://bit.ly/AWGWB Thursdays, 6-830PM ET .rm -5:55 PM Jun 4th, 2009

DCTH #DCTH, Twitter's #design conversation, is about to begin! Join in at http://bit.ly/AWGWB Thursdays, 6-830PM ET .rm -5:55 PM Jun 4th, 2009

pixelhandler @DCTH whats with the 'pancakes' label on everyone's avatars ? #DCTH -5:54 PM Jun 4th, 2009
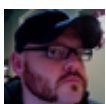
robbmajor Time for me to brew a cup of tea and get ready to host tonight's #DCTH, Twitter's biggest #design conversation. Join in: http://bit.ly/b6GDm -5:53 PM Jun 4th, 2009

svgrob RT @DCTH: Join us for #DCTH, Twitter's biggest #design conversation. Tonight and every Thursday 3-5.30PM PST (GMT-4) http://bit.ly/eabvi .rm -5:49 PM Jun 4th, 2009

rhdesign @DCTH How many websites do you create and maintain on average for personal or fun; separate from designing for clients (Q for #DCTH) -5:44 PM Jun 4th, 2009

divinefusion RT @DCTH: Join us for #DCTH, Twitter's biggest #design conversation. Tonight and every Thursday 3-5.30PM PST (GMT-4) http://bit.ly/

eabvi .rm -5:39 PM Jun 4th, 2009

DCTH @nicdev We'll let it slide this time. But too many unexcused #dcth absences and you'll be in the principal's office, pal! -5:39 PM Jun 4th, 2009

DCTH @g33kguy We'll miss you at #dcth. Say hi to the family from us! -5:38 PM Jun 4th, 2009

g33kguy @robertbanh I'll miss you at #dcth man. Carry on the pancake torch for all of us! #breakfastrevolution -5:36 PM Jun 4th, 2009

modbird RT @DCTH: Join us for #DCTH, Twitter's biggest #design conversation. Tonight and every Thursday 6-8:30PM ET(GMT-4) http://bit.ly/eabvi .rm -5:32 PM Jun 4th, 2009

DCTH Join us for #DCTH, Twitter's biggest #design conversation. Tonight and every Thursday 6-8:30PM ET(GMT-4) http://bit.ly/eabvi .rm -5:30 PM Jun 4th, 2009

divinefusion RT @robertbanh: #dcth is coming up soon......<---super soon -5:22 PM Jun 4th, 2009

robertbanh #dcth is coming up soon...... -5:19 PM Jun 4th, 2009

iBlend @robertbanh hey man I know I'm late, but congrats on the #dcth interview. Everyone check it out @dcth http://tinyurl.com/nu8fzm -5:14 PM Jun 4th, 2009

nicdev Missing out on #dcth to go to #atlanta #php users group meet up. I wish they both didn't happen on Thursdays. -5:13 PM Jun 4th, 2009

ChadEngle Big ups to @robbmajor for running #dcth I am going to eat dinner with the lady friend. I will check in :P -5:12 PM Jun 4th, 2009
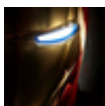
g33kguy @PixlSequence We're going to miss #dcth tonight as we have family flying in from all parts USA. #airtravel -5:09 PM Jun 4th, 2009

PixlSequence 53 minutes until #dcth a-go-go!! -5:07 PM Jun 4th, 2009

iBlend What's something you want to ask a designer? Tell @DCTH and we'll ask 2000+ designers tonight at #DCTH http://bit.ly/eabvi -5:04 PM Jun 4th, 2009

TheWebBlend What's something you want to ask a designer? Tell @DCTH and we'll ask 2000+ designers tonight at #DCTH http://bit.ly/eabvi .rm -5:04 PM Jun 4th, 2009

kidoimages RT @DCTH: Designers of all flavors, Twitter's design conversation, #DCTH is tonight 6-830PM ET (GMT-4). More info: http://bit.ly/eabvi .rm -4:37 PM Jun

bluepixeldesign Going to try and check out the #DCTH chat today. 3-5pm PST. http://dcth.info/faqs/ -4:37 PM Jun 4th, 2009

SashaHalima RT @DCTH Designers of all flavors, Twitter's design conversation, #DCTH is tonight 6-830PM ET (GMT-4). More info: http://bit.ly/eabvi .rm -4:35 PM Jun 4th, 2009

theconstruct RT @DCTH: Designers of all flavors, Twitter's design conversation, #DCTH is tonight 6-830PM ET (GMT-4). More info: http://bit.ly/eabvi .rm -4:33 PM Jun 4th, 2009

MikeNGarrett RT @DCTH: Designers of all flavors, Twitter's design conversation, #DCTH is tonight 6-830PM ET (GMT-4). More info: http://bit.ly/eabvi .rm -4:33 PM Jun 4th, 2009

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kidoimages RT @joshhemsley: ATT. DESIGNERS: Tune in to #DCTH tonight from 6-8:30pm EST for some great design related discussions. -4:17 PM Jun 4th, 2009

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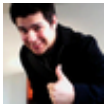
joshhemsley ATT. DESIGNERS: Tune in to #DCTH tonight from 6-8:30pm EST for some great design related discussions. -4:07 PM Jun 4th, 2009