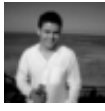


# TweetChat - 06/04/09

#DCTH



[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



[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



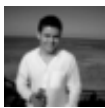
[MikeNGarrett](#) [#Q5](#) 2 weeks max upon completion. I also require 1/3-1/2 up front. [#DCTH](#) -8:29 PM Jun 4th, 2009



[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



[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



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



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



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



[iBlend](#) "Something is totally wack." [#DCTH](#) -8:23 PM Jun 4th, 2009



[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

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[iBlend](#) RT [@svgrob](#) [#Q12](#) I let them work with me again ;- ) haha exactly [#DCTH](#) -

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[iBlend](#) [#Q12](#) send a recommendation on linkedin or something... [#DCTH](#)

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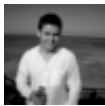


[DCTH](#) Great questions tonight! We're about to wrap up. Read any questions you might've missed at <http://bit.ly/19Hsg> & reply as you see fit. [#dcth](#)

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



[lydonator](#) Mmmm, Inexpensive 'porn' storage.....interesting ;P [#DCTH](#)

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[svgrob](#) [@DCTH](#) [#Q12](#) I let them work with me again ;- ) [#dcth](#)

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[countzeero](#) [#Q12](#) I don't thank them, except by producing the best possible work I can in return for their money [#dcth](#)

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[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



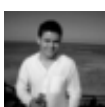
[countzeero](#) [#Q8](#) <http://ownage.countzeero.net> was my first WP blog! sadly being neglected at the moment but that will change - I promise... [#dcth](#)

-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



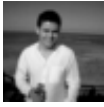
[countzeero @lydonator](#) welcome from a fellow [#dcth](#) virgin -8:11 PM Jun 4th, 2009



[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



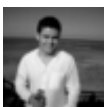
[iBlend #Q11](#) redesign credit limits! [#DCTH](#) -8:08 PM Jun 4th, 2009



[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) [#dctch](#) -8:06 PM Jun 4th, 2009



[maddisondesigns](#) [@DCTH](#) [#Q10](#) I resell hosting as well, for some extra income. [#dctch](#) -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 [#dctch](#) -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



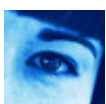
[bluelobsterart](#) [@DCTH](#) [Q10](#) [#dctch](#) I supplement freelancing with college teaching and one-day software workshops teaching. -8:03 PM Jun 4th, 2009



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



[bluelobsterart](#) [@DCTH](#) [Q9](#) [#dctch](#) 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



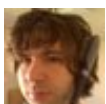
[bluelobsterart](#) [@DCTH](#) [Q8](#) [#dctch](#) <http://blulob.com> is my design blog; <http://dawnsbrain.com> is my old teaching blog. <http://nhsdesigns.com> is my class site. -8:01 PM Jun 4th, 2009



[svgrob](#) havin some serious loss of tweets in tweetchat tonight :( [#dctch](#) -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. [#dctch](#) -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](#) [#dctch](#) 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.jehnicfertheory.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.)? [#dctch](#) -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) [#dctch](#) -7:58 PM Jun 4th, 2009


 [bluelobsterart](#) [@DCTH](#) Q4 [#dctch](#) 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 [#dctch](#). 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 :) [#dctch](#) -7:56 PM Jun 4th, 2009


 [bluelobsterart](#) [@DCTH](#) Q1 [#dctch](#) 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! [#dctch](#) -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 [#dctch](#) -7:55 PM Jun 4th, 2009

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

 [bluelobsterart](#) [#dctch](#) 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



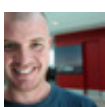
[tomsturge](#) [@DCTH](#) [#Q7](#) Viddler for a community aspect, allows commenting on videos [#dcth](#) -7:49 PM Jun 4th, 2009



[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



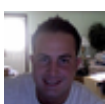
[theconstruct @DCTH #Q7](#) Umm Youtube? [#dctH](#) -7:41 PM Jun 4th, 2009



[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> [#dctch](#) -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 [#dctch](#) 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. [#dctch](#) -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 [#dctch](#) -7:26 PM Jun 4th, 2009



[sbolen](#) Tweekchat: the bane of my existence. [#DCTH #dctch](#) -7:25 PM Jun 4th, 2009



[nabrown78](#) I use OfficeTime...not really full accounting software, but handles time tracking, expenses, and invoicing nicely [#dctch](#) -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. [#dctch](#) -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 [#dctch](#) -7:25 PM Jun 4th, 2009



[DCTH #Q4](#): [@ryanscherf](#) asks: Freelancers, what's the best accounting software for invoices + expenses? [#dctch](#) -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 [#dctch](#) -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



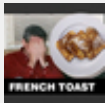
[theconstruct](#) @DCTH #Q2 The [#AIGA](#) owning up that [#crowdsourcing](#) might be a viable way to do business for "SOME" designers. They've given up [#DCTH](#) -7:22 PM Jun 4th, 2009



[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



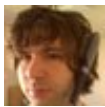
[rhdesign](#) #Q3 I actually have been getting MORE freelance quotes for design and SEO for companies trying to increase their business [#DCTH](#) -7:19 PM Jun 4th, 2009



[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



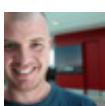
[MillerMosaicLLC](#) 4:12 PST and a tweet from 4:00 just popped up. [#DCTH](#) -7:13 PM Jun 4th, 2009



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



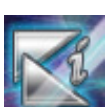
[designosophy](#) Oh, and Twitterfall seems to be working. [#dcth](#) -7:11 PM Jun 4th, 2009



[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

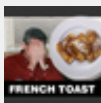


[keneticimages](#) [#Q1](#) I change my environment, take a walk, sit down with sketchpad or look thru my old drawings or designs. Then I am usually inspired [#dcth](#) -7:10 PM Jun 4th, 2009



[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



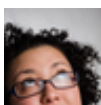
[theconstruct](#) [@designosophy](#) hi [#DCTH](#) -7:09 PM Jun 4th, 2009



[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



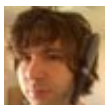
[rhdesign](#) [#Q1](#) Look online for inspiration; look at a lot though because just looking at one site for inspiration can lead to copying [#DCTH](#) -7:05 PM Jun 4th, 2009



[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



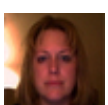
[DCTH](#) Let's get to Q&A! If you have a question you want to ask the [#design](#) community, send it to [@DCTH](#) and we'll ask it during tonight's [#DCTH](#) .rm -7:00 PM Jun 4th, 2009



[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



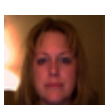
[NancySeeger](#) Hi All, I can't hang tonight, b'day w/hubby so off to his fav restaurant - viva la French Toast (quote from [@mikeconaty](#)) [#dcth](#) -6:58 PM Jun 4th, 2009



[adammcombs](#) [@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 ...." [#dcth](#)

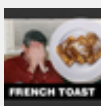




but the top 10 - who has time to check out 50? ; ) [#dcth](#) -6:57 PM Jun 4th, 2009



[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



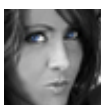
[DCTH](#) In 5 minutes we'll start Q&A. Please keep discussion to answering the questions asked. For unrelated chat, please remove the [#dcth](#) hashtag. -6:55 PM Jun 4th, 2009



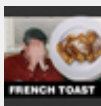
[tomsturge](#) \*Throws in towel and walks away\* [#dcth](#) -6:54 PM Jun 4th, 2009



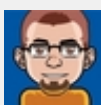
[cnc137 @darianedwards](#) Good luck on the speed resume creating. ;) Microsoft Word has some resume templates that you can use to get started. [#DCTH](#) -6:54 PM Jun 4th, 2009



[ljimadd](#) 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



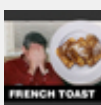
[iBlend](#) Is Jersey in the house?? [#DCTH](#) -6:53 PM Jun 4th, 2009



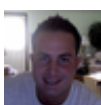
[cnc137 @tomsturge @bluepixeldesign](#) Going to have to check out <http://www.topify.com> & <http://followwatch.com> for reviewing Twitter followers. [#DCTH](#) -6:52 PM Jun 4th, 2009



[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



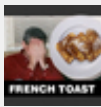
[breakfasttweets](#) The best of breakfast, brunch and lunch = PB&J sandwiches. I win [#dcth](#) <http://twitter.com/chriswallace/statuses/2035430759> -6:44 PM Jun 4th, 2009



[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



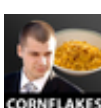
[mikeconaty @formula623](#) I'm not far from New Gunswick... haven't heard it called that in quite a while. :- ) [#DCTH](#) -6:42 PM Jun 4th, 2009



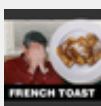
[cnc137](#) How do you review new followers before following them? Do you use a utility, website or look at their profile on <http://Twitter.com?> [#DCTH](#) -6:42 PM Jun 4th, 2009



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



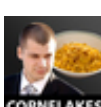
[tomsturge @cnc137](#) Tweetdeck, the web and Twibble(N95) on the move [#dcth](#) -6:41 PM Jun 4th, 2009



[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



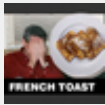
[chriswallace](#) PB&J FTW [#dcth](#) -6:38 PM Jun 4th, 2009



[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](#) Eh, 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



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



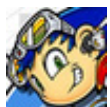
[formula623](#) [@mikeconaty](#) Then prepare to be assassinated. [#dcth](#) -6:36 PM Jun 4th, 2009



[iBlend](#) [@chriswallace](#) yeah man PBJ! [#DCTH](#) -6:35 PM Jun 4th, 2009



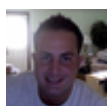
[MillerMosaicLLC](#) [@modbird](#) Free chat til the hour. [#DCTH](#) -6:35 PM Jun 4th, 2009



[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

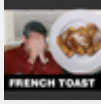




[svgrob @mikeconaty](#) it makes me laugh - I have had so many people try and kill me... mmm kinda makes ya paranoid... [#dctch](#) -6:33 PM Jun 4th, 2009



[PixlSequence](#) Wow tweetchat is freaking out on me - its actually just gone back an hour... [#dctch](#) -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! :( [#dctch](#) -6:33 PM Jun 4th, 2009



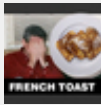
[DCTH RT @robbmajor](#): We messed up. If you applied for the [#Design](#) job at CRA prior to June 1, we didn't get your app. Please re-apply. [#dctch](#) -6:33 PM Jun 4th, 2009



[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? [#dctch](#) -6:32 PM Jun 4th, 2009



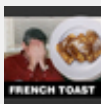
[mikeconaty @formula623](#) Yeah, the spy thing is mildly irritating... but then again so am I , so I figure it all works out in the end [#DCTH](#) -6:32 PM Jun 4th, 2009



[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 [#dctch](#) -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. [#dctch](#) -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/4w6p80> \*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



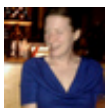
[svgrob](#) [@phlapjax](#) I think its ok actually! [#dcth](#) -6:28 PM Jun 4th, 2009



[dotconcepts](#) [@MillerMosaicLLC](#) - Tweetchat (and the search API) are acting like drunken pirates - wobble, wobble ARRRRRGH... [#dcth](#) -6:28 PM Jun 4th, 2009



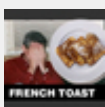
[fray](#) [@jenniferbourn](#) I'd fire them. [#dcth](#) -6:28 PM Jun 4th, 2009



[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

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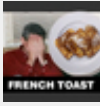
[phlapjax](#) meh. Hi guys and girls. Nice to see you but this format is frustrating. See you on the other side. [#DCTH](#) -6:27 PM Jun 4th, 2009



[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



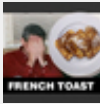
[phlapjax](#) Testing... Is it broken tonight? [#DCTH](#) -6:26 PM Jun 4th, 2009



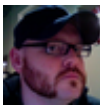
[PixlSequence @mikeconaty @divinefusion](#) blasted! you are correct, noble sir. [#dcth](#) -6:26 PM Jun 4th, 2009



[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



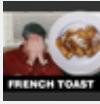
[robbmajor @chadengle](#) Stop talking. Go be with your lady. Enjoy the night off. [#dcth](#) -6:24 PM Jun 4th, 2009



[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 waaaaaaayyyy 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





[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 @PixISequence @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



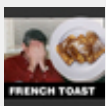
[cnc137](#) Design Community Twitter Hours have begun. 6-7pm ET = chat about design | 7-8pm ET = Q&A - <http://dcth.info> & <http://TweetChat.com> [#DCTH](#) -6:21 PM Jun 4th, 2009



[PixISequence @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



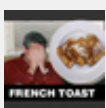
[iBlend @MillerMosaicLLC](#) check out thewebblend.com for free stuff [#DCTH](#) -6:19 PM Jun 4th, 2009



[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 @PixISequence](#) 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





[PixISequence](#) [@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



[svgrab](#) [@iBlend](#) haha eerm we have a PSD... lol <http://awesomevsawesome.com/> :) [#dcth](#) -6:17 PM Jun 4th, 2009



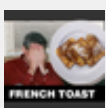
[modbird](#) [@Arbenting](#) oh let me look - tweet chat is slow...ill keep my eye out for it :) saw this one on my tweetdeck [#dcth](#) -6:17 PM Jun 4th, 2009



[PixISequence](#) [@modbird](#) Yeah I probably wouldn't have been admitting it was broken. :P [#dcth](#) -6:17 PM Jun 4th, 2009



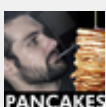
[MillerMosaicLLC](#) [@mikeconaty](#) How can it be broken already? [#DCTH](#) hasn't bee going on long enough for us to break it. [#DCTH](#) -6:16 PM Jun 4th, 2009



[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



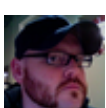
[divinefusion](#) [@mikeconaty](#) oh sorry, you are the french toast advocate...the waffle was the week before? [#dcth](#) -6:15 PM Jun 4th, 2009



[PixISequence](#) [@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

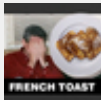


[MillerMosaicLLC](#) [@DCTH](#) Is there a place we can submit qs? [#DCTH](#) -6:14 PM Jun 4th, 2009



[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

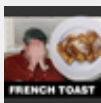




[mikeconaty](#) [@chriswallace](#) Avast Ye Matey! [#DCTH](#) -6:13 PM Jun 4th, 2009



[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



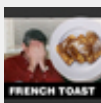
[modbird](#) [@iBlend](#) [@nabrown78](#) yay!! havent been able to partake in months... [#dcth](#) -6:12 PM Jun 4th, 2009



[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! :( [#dctch](#) -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 [#dctch](#) -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. [#dctch](#) -6:08 PM Jun 4th, 2009



[divinefusion](#) aloha everyone [#dctch](#) -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 [#dctch](#) :-( -6:08 PM Jun 4th, 2009



[svgrob](#) [@iBlend](#) HERRACY! [#dctch](#) -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. [#dctch](#) -6:05 PM Jun 4th, 2009



[nabrown78](#) Yeah tweetchat stinks man. Somebody needs to build a new twitter chat dealy [#dctch](#) -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> [#dctch](#) -6:03 PM Jun 4th, 2009



[formula623](#) Me thinks tweetchat is broken. [#dctch](#) -6:03 PM Jun 4th, 2009





[nabrown78](#) Heading to tweetchat.com to join [#dctch](#) design chat -6:01 PM Jun 4th, 2009



[dotconcepts](#) Heading to a [#design](#) chat at [#dctch](#) - 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? [#Dctch](#) -5:58 PM Jun 4th, 2009



[formula623](#) Joining [#dctch](#). You should too. [#dctch](#) -5:58 PM Jun 4th, 2009



[svgrob](#) Eeekk I need my brew!!!! [#dctch](#) -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



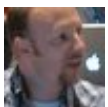
[iBlend](#) Hello everyone! [#Dctch](#) -5:56 PM Jun 4th, 2009



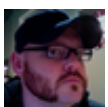
[PixISequence](#) RT [@DCTH](#) [#DCTH](#), Twitter's [#design](#) conversation, is about to begin! Join in at <http://bit.ly/AWGWB> Thursdays, 6-830PM ET .rm -5:55 PM Jun 4th, 2009



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[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 [#dctch](#) absences and you'll be in the principal's office, pal! -5:39 PM Jun 4th, 2009



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



[g33kguy @robertbanh](#) I'll miss you at [#dctch](#) 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



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[divinefusion](#) RT [@robertbanh](#): [#dctch](#) is coming up soon..... <---super soon -5:22 PM Jun 4th, 2009



[robertbanh](#) [#dctch](#) is coming up soon..... -5:19 PM Jun 4th, 2009



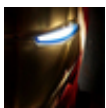
[iBlend @robertbanh](#) hey man I know I'm late, but congrats on the [#dctch](#) interview. Everyone check it out [@dctch](#) <http://tinyurl.com/nu8fzm> -5:14 PM Jun 4th, 2009



[nicdev](#) Missing out on [#dctch](#) 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 [#dctch](#) I am going to eat dinner with the lady friend. I will check in :P -5:12 PM Jun 4th, 2009



[g33kguy @PixISequence](#) We're going to miss [#dctch](#) tonight as we have family flying in from all parts USA. [#airtravel](#) -5:09 PM Jun 4th, 2009



[PixISequence](#) 53 minutes until [#dctch](#) 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





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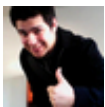
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