

# TweetChat #DCTH - 07/15/10



[107designs](#) [@Jennison](#) Honored to have you listening in, Jennison! I'd be glad to take your poll. :) [#dcth](#) -8:45 PM Jul 15th, 2010



[scottsampson](#) [@kristofcreative](#) Just checked out your app - Very nicely done! I know a couple of marketing folks that might find that interesting! [#DCTH](#) -8:43 PM Jul 15th, 2010



[Jennison](#) Enjoyed the [#DCTH](#) chat around accessibility. I invite you to take part in my poll on accessibility testing <http://bit.ly/cw2S5I> -8:43 PM Jul 15th, 2010



[scottsampson](#) [@107designs](#) You too mate. And it'd be my pleasure! [#DCTH](#) -8:42 PM Jul 15th, 2010



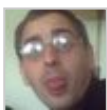
[107designs](#) [@scottsampson](#) Nice to meet you! Let's hook up and chat some other time about [#a11y](#) stuff. [#dcth](#) -8:41 PM Jul 15th, 2010



[jesskupferman](#) Come back soon! RT [@scottsampson](#): Cheers for the opinions and chat people - Its been enlightening, and a pleasure! [#DCTH](#) -8:41 PM Jul 15th, 2010



[kristofcreative](#) HUGE thanks to everyone on their feedback - very helpful. [#dcth](#) -8:41 PM Jul 15th, 2010



[scottsampson](#) Cheers for the opinions and chat people - It's been enlightening, and a pleasure! [#DCTH](#) -8:40 PM Jul 15th, 2010



[azzcatdesign](#) [@scottsampson](#) :) [#dcth](#) -8:40 PM Jul 15th, 2010



[107designs](#) Yep, take care everybody! :) [#dcth](#) -8:39 PM Jul 15th, 2010



[scottsampson](#) [@azzcatdesign](#) hah! such cheek! lol Cya Cath :) [#DCTH](#) -8:39 PM Jul 15th, 2010



[karimacatherine](#) RT [@kristofcreative](#): There's come a point where you have to realize it won't be perfect and you need to stop editing - Joan Rivers [#dcth](#) -8:39 PM Jul 15th, 2010



[jesskupferman](#) Bye all! Love these sessions. [#DCTH](#) -8:39 PM Jul 15th, 2010



[JazzikinsWS](#) Bye everyone. Have a good weekend. See you next week! [#dcth](#) -8:39 PM Jul 15th, 2010





[nicholastalks](#) Later everyone! If you're in the Calgary area (YYC) - Yahoo!  
[#stampede](#) [#dcth](#) -8:39 PM Jul 15th, 2010



[jesskupferman](#) Ironic! RT [@kristofcreative](#): There comes a point where you have to realize it won't be perfect and you need to stop editing - Joan Rivers [#DCTH](#) -8:39 PM Jul 15th, 2010



[kristofcreative](#) [@azzcatdesign](#) You'll notice I didn't put that in quotes ;) [#dcth](#) -8:38 PM Jul 15th, 2010



[azzcatdesign](#) [@DCTH](#) Bye, Chad. Thanks! Bye Everyone (even Scott)! [#dcth](#) -8:38 PM Jul 15th, 2010



[JazzikinsWS](#) RT [@azzcatdesign](#): [@kristofcreative](#) says the woman who's had how many facial procedures? LOL [#dcth](#) -8:38 PM Jul 15th, 2010



[scottsampson](#) RT [@azzcatdesign](#): [@kristofcreative](#) says the woman who's had how many facial procedures? // LMAO [#DCTH](#) -8:37 PM Jul 15th, 2010



[jesskupferman](#) [@107designs](#) Yes! It's so true about target. I did a site for 50+, it wasn't that "pretty" but darn it, they could read that text! [#DCTH](#) -8:37 PM Jul 15th, 2010



[azzcatdesign](#) [@kristofcreative](#) says the woman who's had how many facial procedures? [#dcth](#) -8:37 PM Jul 15th, 2010



[107designs](#) [#Q5](#) Do the right thing, even when no one is looking, you know? :)  
[#axs](#) [#a11y](#) [#dcth](#) -8:37 PM Jul 15th, 2010



[DCTH](#) RT [@kristofcreative](#): There comes a point where you have to realize it won't be perfect and you need to stop editing - Joan Rivers [#DCTH](#) -8:37 PM Jul 15th, 2010



[azzcatdesign](#) [@107designs](#) 'Target Demographic' vital. Currently working on retirement homes site...different than latest site, for sure! [#dcth](#) -8:37 PM Jul 15th, 2010



[kristofcreative](#) There's come a point where you have to realize it won't be perfect and you need to stop editing - Joan Rivers [#dcth](#) -8:36 PM Jul 15th, 2010



[DCTH](#) Ok ladies & Gentleman, that's about our time. Thank you all for coming tonight! Bring a friend next week? Stay creative. [#DCTH](#) -8:36 PM Jul 15th, 2010



[scottsampson](#) [@107designs](#) amen brother. [#DCTH](#) -8:36 PM Jul 15th, 2010



[azzcatdesign](#) [@ScottSampson](#) I'm a rowdy painting major! [#DCTH](#) -8:36 PM Jul 15th, 2010





[107designs](#) [#Q5](#) The real truth is that no site can be 100% accessible to all (yet). We can only try to do our best for the target demographic. [#dcth](#) -8:35 PM Jul 15th, 2010



[scottsampson](#) [@azzcatdesign](#) quiet down and go back to your photoshop lol [#DCTH](#) -8:35 PM Jul 15th, 2010



[jesskupferman](#) [@DCTH](#) Whee! Thanks! [#DCTH](#) -8:35 PM Jul 15th, 2010



[scottsampson](#) RT [@jesskupferman](#): Anyone here in [#DCTH](#) want to do a short creative pro survey? Doing a little research: <http://ht.ly/2cbZJ> [#DCTH](#) -8:35 PM Jul 15th, 2010



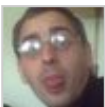
[jesskupferman](#) [@scottsampson](#) Gee thanks! [#DCTH](#) -8:35 PM Jul 15th, 2010



[azzcatdesign](#) [@scottsampson](#) \*loud choking sound\* :P [#dcth](#) -8:34 PM Jul 15th, 2010



[DCTH](#) [@jesskupferman](#) I filled it out :D [#DCTH](#) -8:34 PM Jul 15th, 2010



[scottsampson](#) [@jesskupferman](#) I jest of course. I know dozens of designers, and on the whole, you're not a bad bunch :) [#DCTH](#) -8:33 PM Jul 15th, 2010



[azzcatdesign](#) RT [@jesskupferman](#): [@scottsampson](#) KNEW it [#dcth](#) -8:33 PM Jul 15th, 2010



[nicholastalks](#) [@scottsampson](#) haha as a trained fine artist, I know the diff between art and design. [#dcth](#) -8:33 PM Jul 15th, 2010



[scottsampson](#) <http://bit.ly/dphd7C> the debate that prompted the question :) [#DCTH](#) -8:33 PM Jul 15th, 2010



[nicholastalks](#) [@jesskupferman](#) Absolutely. Graphic design has to work. [#dcth](#) -8:33 PM Jul 15th, 2010



[jesskupferman](#) [@scottsampson](#) KNEW it [#DCTH](#) -8:33 PM Jul 15th, 2010



[jesskupferman](#) [#Q5](#) What good is a pretty site that's hard to use? What good is an accessible site that's hideous to look at? [#DCTH](#) -8:32 PM Jul 15th, 2010



[scottsampson](#) Glad to see so many creatives agreeing that accessibility is important. Here I was thinking all designers were just pixel jockies lol [#DCTH](#) -8:32 PM Jul 15th, 2010





[jesskupferman](#) [@ScottSampson](#) All coders are if I had to generalize. And I think the rep is that we're more worried with looks, but really we're not. [#dcth](#) -8:32 PM Jul 15th, 2010



[nicholastalks](#) [#Q5](#) There's a reason for book covers and well tailored suits. [#dcth](#) -8:31 PM Jul 15th, 2010



[107designs](#) [#Q5](#) Although, part of accessibility may include color contrast testing for low vision users, so that's also a consideration [#dcth](#) -8:30 PM Jul 15th, 2010



[azzcatdesign](#) [#Q5](#) I may be mixing up accessible and usable. But all is part of whole. [#dcth](#) -8:30 PM Jul 15th, 2010



[jesskupferman](#) [#Q5](#) agree with [@107designs](#) - I hate when a site doesn't have one or the other. [#DCTH](#) -8:29 PM Jul 15th, 2010



[nicholastalks](#) [@107designs](#) I agree. If you're designing a site that doesn't function, hang it on the wall. [#dcth](#) -8:29 PM Jul 15th, 2010



[DCTH](#) RT [@jesskupferman](#): Anyone here in [#DCTH](#) want to do a short creative pro survey? Doing a little research: <http://ht.ly/2cbZJ> [#DCTH](#) -8:28 PM Jul 15th, 2010



[jesskupferman](#) [#Q5](#) Interesting Q from a coder.... [#DCTH](#) -8:28 PM Jul 15th, 2010



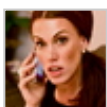
[azzcatdesign](#) [#Q5](#) Pretty stops when it interferes w/accessible. But \*pretty\* is part of HOW accessible something may be. [#dcth](#) -8:28 PM Jul 15th, 2010



[JazzikinsWS](#) [#Q5](#) Accessibility always comes first. If you can't use it, it doesn't matter how good it looks. [#dcth](#) -8:28 PM Jul 15th, 2010



[107designs](#) [#Q5](#) imho there's no need to compromise. Sites can be accessible to assistive technologies no matter what the design looks like. [#dcth](#) -8:28 PM Jul 15th, 2010



[CartneyWV](#) RT [@DCTH](#): Early bird takes the worm... [#DCTH](#) -8:28 PM Jul 15th, 2010



[jesskupferman](#) Anyone here in [#DCTH](#) want to do a short creative pro survey? Doing a little research: <http://ht.ly/2cbZJ> [#DCTH](#) -8:28 PM Jul 15th, 2010



[scottsampson](#) [@DCTH](#) to expand: Is there ever an occasion when it's OK to ignore accessibility in favour of aesthetics? [#DCTH](#) -8:28 PM Jul 15th, 2010



[azzcatdesign](#) [@nicholastalks](#) How did the Fire Marshall not shut us down? [#dcth](#) -8:27 PM Jul 15th, 2010





[nicholastalks](#) [@azzcatdesign](#) holy fire hazard LOL my art school had a stairwell that permanently smelled of pot and aerosol! [#dcth](#) -8:27 PM Jul 15th, 2010



[DCTH](#) [#Q5](#) [@scottsampson](#) Aesthetics vs accessibility - where do you draw the line with "prettyness" [#DCTH](#) [#DCTH](#) -8:27 PM Jul 15th, 2010



[DCTH](#) Early bird takes the worm... [#DCTH](#) -8:27 PM Jul 15th, 2010



[scottsampson](#) [@DCTH](#) Aesthetics vs accessibility - where do you draw the line with "prettyness" [#DCTH](#) -8:26 PM Jul 15th, 2010



[DCTH](#) Time for one more question. Send them to me now and I'll pick one. Ready? Go. [#dcth](#) -8:25 PM Jul 15th, 2010



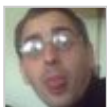
[107designs](#) [@jesskupferman](#) [@azzcatdesign](#) :D [#dcth](#) -8:23 PM Jul 15th, 2010



[scottsampson](#) [@107designs](#) Certainly looks it - thanks for the heads up :) [#DCTH](#) -8:23 PM Jul 15th, 2010



[107designs](#) [@scottsampson](#) Yeah, but pixlr is better, imho [#dcth](#) -8:23 PM Jul 15th, 2010



[scottsampson](#) RT [@DCTH](#): Math: the reason graphics designers arent architects or engineers. At least per this guy :D LOL [#DCTH](#) -8:23 PM Jul 15th, 2010



[azzcatdesign](#) [@nicholastalks](#) It's amazing the roof never blew off the art bldg. Every locker had combustibles and many students smoked! [#dcth](#) -8:22 PM Jul 15th, 2010



[JazzikinsWS](#) YUP! RT [@DCTH](#): Math: the reason graphics designers arent architects or engineers. At least per this guy :D [#dcth](#) -8:22 PM Jul 15th, 2010



[jesskupferman](#) I was always ok in "art" but not drawing or painting. Collages, ceramics, and sometimes I'm a snappy dresser. ;) [#DCTH](#) -8:22 PM Jul 15th, 2010



[DCTH](#) Math: the reason graphics designers aren't architects or engineers. At least per this guy :D [#dcth](#) -8:22 PM Jul 15th, 2010



[azzcatdesign](#) Life drawing is my favorite. Graphite, charcoal, conte. [#dcth](#) -8:21 PM Jul 15th, 2010



[nicholastalks](#) Actually i took math early in high school, also took art and drafting. [#dcth](#) -8:21 PM Jul 15th, 2010





[jesskupferman](#) Hilarious --->RT [@azzcatdesign](#): [@107designs](#) Dude...you EARNED your geekhood! [#DCTH](#) -8:21 PM Jul 15th, 2010



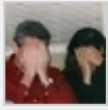
[kristofcreative](#) [@DCTH](#) Interesting. I was a big drafting fan too. [#dcth](#) -8:20 PM Jul 15th, 2010



[scottsampson](#) [@107designs](#) ah a bit like sumopaint in theory? [#DCTH](#) -8:20 PM Jul 15th, 2010



[nicholastalks](#) [@azzcatdesign](#) Mmm turps, yum!!! [#dcth](#) -8:20 PM Jul 15th, 2010



[mikeconaty](#) [@kristofcreative](#) Well, kind of, more like a stick-like figure with some sort of club-like blob near where his "hand" might be. [#DCTH](#) -8:20 PM Jul 15th, 2010



[nicholastalks](#) [@azzcatdesign](#) yea mainly acrylics. and emulsion and enamel. [#dcth](#) -8:20 PM Jul 15th, 2010



[azzcatdesign](#) [@107designs](#) Dude...you EARNED your geekhood! [#dcth](#) -8:20 PM Jul 15th, 2010



[azzcatdesign](#) [@nicholastalks](#) and lots of smelly mixed media! Turpentine fumes! [#dcth](#) -8:20 PM Jul 15th, 2010



[nicholastalks](#) [@scottsampson](#) hmm not sure, but learning perspective is essential. "art of drawing anatomy" Sanmiquel [#dcth](#) -8:19 PM Jul 15th, 2010



[DCTH](#) [@azzcatdesign](#) Funny! I rocked at Drafting. Passed that with flying colors. I tried to be too exact in drawing w/ rulers & stuff [#dcth](#) -8:19 PM Jul 15th, 2010



[107designs](#) [@azzcatdesign](#) I wasn't a design major; I was Physics/Math and ended up with Information Systems/Japanese. lol [#dcth](#) -8:19 PM Jul 15th, 2010



[kristofcreative](#) [@mikeconaty](#) You mean like stick figure with clubs? [#dcth](#) -8:19 PM Jul 15th, 2010



[azzcatdesign](#) [@nicholastalks](#) What kind of paint? I favored acrylics, oils and serigraphy. [#dcth](#) -8:19 PM Jul 15th, 2010



[DCTH](#) So, if I know I can't swim I don't go into the pool... [#dcth](#) -8:19 PM Jul 15th, 2010



[DCTH](#) Drawing Learning vs. Skill - Some have skill that others can never learn. I "tried" hours on end. Still not "amazing". cont... [#dcth](#) -8:18 PM Jul 15th, 2010





[kristofcreative @scottsampson](#) Drawing is abt learning to see shapes instead of objects. [#dcth](#) -8: 18 PM Jul 15th, 2010



[107designs @scottsampson](#) You should try out pixlr.com - it's all in the browser. [#dcth](#) -8: 18 PM Jul 15th, 2010



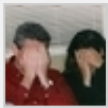
[azzcatdesign #Q3](#) Secret admission: I thought design major was for the students who couldn't draw. True draftsmen were \*more talented\* [#dcth](#) -8: 18 PM Jul 15th, 2010



[scottsampson](#) lol anyone know any good resources? I'd LOVE to be able to draw! [#DCTH](#) -8: 18 PM Jul 15th, 2010



[JazzikinsWS @nicholastalks](#) How can you say there's no such thing as talent?! [#dcth](#) -8: 18 PM Jul 15th, 2010



[mikeconaty #Q3](#) I have, what I call a primitive drawing style... like a Cro Magnon kind of primitive [#DCTH](#) -8: 18 PM Jul 15th, 2010



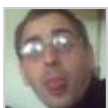
[nicholastalks @scottsampson](#) Firstly there's no such thing as talent, and it's a skill, yes you can learn. [#dcth](#) -8: 17 PM Jul 15th, 2010



[JazzikinsWS @scottsampson](#) It can be learned. I know an artist for Disney that couldn't draw stick figures when he started. Just takes dedication. [#dcth](#) -8: 17 PM Jul 15th, 2010



[kristofcreative @scottsampson](#) Not sure abt "artistic" ability, but anyone can learn to draw. [#dcth](#) -8: 17 PM Jul 15th, 2010



[scottsampson @nicholastalks](#) I'm 100% Linux, so even if I DID like photoshop, I couldn't use it lol. [#DCTH](#) -8: 17 PM Jul 15th, 2010



[nicholastalks #Q3](#). Yea I can draw. Painting grad, Fine Art. [#dcth](#) -8: 17 PM Jul 15th, 2010



[jesskupferman @DCTH: #Q3](#) I am too, but I always sorta feel like ...not an artist. [#DCTH](#) -8: 17 PM Jul 15th, 2010



[nicholastalks @scottsampson](#) ah yes, Gimp is very capable. I use in on Linux. On even odder occasions! [#dcth](#) -8: 16 PM Jul 15th, 2010



[scottsampson](#) can artistic talent/skill be learned do you think? or is it a natural ability only? [#DCTH](#) -8: 16 PM Jul 15th, 2010



[azzcatdesign @DCTH](#) no bitterness? :o [#dcth](#) -8: 16 PM Jul 15th, 2010





[DCTH #Q3](#) And I haven't had to draw a still life yet... Plus, I'm doing just fine in the design realm :D [#dcth](#) -8:16 PM Jul 15th, 2010



[JazzikinsWS @jesskupferman](#) lol. Thanks. I've always hated that I couldn't draw from my mind though. I think I need more practice. [#dcth](#) -8:15 PM Jul 15th, 2010



[DCTH #Q3](#) Little known fact: [@chadengle](#) had to repeat drawing II in college because the professor graded on end result instead of process :P [#dcth](#) -8:15 PM Jul 15th, 2010



[jesskupferman #Q3](#) For the record, I cannot draw. But I'm a good doodler. And I love Photoshop and Illustrator. [#DCTH](#) -8:15 PM Jul 15th, 2010



[107designs #Q3](#) \*Raises hand\* I can draw. [#dcth](#) -8:15 PM Jul 15th, 2010



[kristofcreative #Q3](#) I can draw. Enjoy it too. Just not a lot of time these days [#dcth](#) -8:15 PM Jul 15th, 2010



[azzcatdesign @JazzikinsWS](#) Yep. [#dcth](#) -8:15 PM Jul 15th, 2010



[scottsampson @nicholastalks](#) On the VERY odd occasion I have to make a graphic, I use [#gimp](#) [#DCTH](#) -8:15 PM Jul 15th, 2010



[jesskupferman @JazzikinsWS](#) I think it does! [#DCTH](#) -8:14 PM Jul 15th, 2010



[azzcatdesign @jesskupferman](#) I keep thinking I need to get back into fine art routine. There's a nice life drwng studio in Portland. Time... [#dcth](#) -8:14 PM Jul 15th, 2010



[JazzikinsWS @jesskupferman](#) I can draw, but not from my mind. I have to be able to look at an image of what I'm drawing. Does that count? [#dcth](#) -8:14 PM Jul 15th, 2010



[jesskupferman @DCTH](#) LOL! [#DCTH](#) -8:14 PM Jul 15th, 2010



[nicholastalks @scottsampson](#) well, yes of course. All tech questions are really. What do you use instead of PS? [#dcth](#) -8:14 PM Jul 15th, 2010



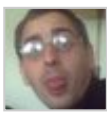
[DCTH #Q3 @JessKupferman](#) Who can draw and who can't? [#DCTH](#) -8:14 PM Jul 15th, 2010



[jesskupferman @azzcatdesign](#) I'm jealous! I think my fingers are always broken. No fine art skills. But I have good 'puter skills and a good eye. [#DCTH](#) -8:13 PM Jul 15th, 2010







[scottsampson](#) [@nicholastalks](#) I guess the only response to that would be "to each their own" :) [#DCTH](#) -8:12 PM Jul 15th, 2010



[scottsampson](#) [@jesskupferman](#) we've already covered my lack of artistic talent lol [#DCTH](#) -8:12 PM Jul 15th, 2010



[azzcatdesign](#) I can draw! BFA drawing & painting. Really old school stuff! [#dctH](#) -8:12 PM Jul 15th, 2010



[nicholastalks](#) [@scottsampson](#) Depends on your workflow. I'm not going to keep excusing myself just because I feel like being different. [#dctH](#) -8:11 PM Jul 15th, 2010



[jesskupferman](#) [@DCTH](#) YAY! That's an interesting Q to pose to the group. Who can draw and who can't? [#DCTH](#) -8:11 PM Jul 15th, 2010



[jesskupferman](#) AMEN BROTHER RT [@nicholastalks](#): I despise hammers, but if I'm hanging a picture, I'm not going to use anything else to drive in a nail! [#DCTH](#) -8:10 PM Jul 15th, 2010



[scottsampson](#) [@nicholastalks](#) lol true, but there are alternatives to photoshop - some of which are just as capable [#DCTH](#) -8:10 PM Jul 15th, 2010



[DCTH](#) [@jesskupferman](#) I can't draw to save my life either. It's ok :) [#dctH](#) -8:09 PM Jul 15th, 2010



[scottsampson](#) [@jesskupferman](#) of course you do lol. Most people do! [#DCTH](#) -8:09 PM Jul 15th, 2010



[nicholastalks](#) [@scottsampson](#) LOL I despise hammers, but if I'm hanging a picture, I'm not going to use anything else to drive in a nail! [#dctH](#) -8:09 PM Jul 15th, 2010



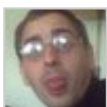
[jesskupferman](#) [@scottsampson](#) Bah ha! But I disagree. ;) [#DCTH](#) -8:08 PM Jul 15th, 2010



[azzcatdesign](#) [@107designs](#) :D [#dctH](#) -8:08 PM Jul 15th, 2010



[107designs](#) [@azzcatdesign](#) No, I'm not leaving... just thanking you for the ideas. :) [#dctH](#) -8:07 PM Jul 15th, 2010



[scottsampson](#) [@jesskupferman](#) photoshop = product of Satan lol. Like ALL adobe products :D [#DCTH](#) -8:07 PM Jul 15th, 2010



[jesskupferman](#) [@scottsampson](#) Photoshop = magic [#DCTH](#) -8:06 PM Jul 15th, 2010





[jesskupferman](#) Don't go Mike! Never get to see you online anymore. RT  
[@azzcatdesign](#): [@107designs](#) Leaving? Bye Michael! [#DCTH](#) -8:06 PM Jul 15th, 2010



[azzcatdesign](#) [@107designs](#) Leaving? Bye Michael! [#dcth](#) -8:05 PM Jul 15th, 2010



[scottsampson](#) [@jesskupferman](#) stick figures I can JUST about manage. And technical schematics. But can't do "prettifying", and I despise photoshop [#DCTH](#) -8:05 PM Jul 15th, 2010



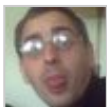
[107designs](#) kg\_creative [@azzcatdesign](#) [@nicholastalks](#) [@jesskupferman](#) Awesome, guys... thanks! [#dcth](#) -8:04 PM Jul 15th, 2010



[jesskupferman](#) [@scottsampson](#) If it makes you feel better, I can't draw. At ALL. Not even stick figures. I'm ok digitally though. [#DCTH](#) -8:04 PM Jul 15th, 2010



[azzcatdesign](#) [@kg\\_creative](#) [#Q2](#) True! [#dcth](#) -8:03 PM Jul 15th, 2010



[scottsampson](#) [@jesskupferman](#) :D Have less than zero artistic talent lol [#DCTH](#) -8:03 PM Jul 15th, 2010



[nicholastalks](#) [#Q2](#) i research all the competition, but not logo sites. I meditate more on the company and what they need the logo to portray. [#dcth](#) -8:03 PM Jul 15th, 2010



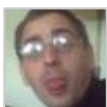
[107designs](#) [#Q2](#) I've seen a lot of logo theft lately (even had a piece of my art copied), so naturally I'd like to make sure I'm not doing it [#dcth](#) -8:03 PM Jul 15th, 2010



[jesskupferman](#) [@scottsampson](#) Ah ha! Makes sense now. [#DCTH](#) -8:02 PM Jul 15th, 2010



[kg\\_creative](#) [@azzcatdesign](#) Having said that, a trademark search is not a bad idea either. [#dcth](#) -8:02 PM Jul 15th, 2010



[scottsampson](#) [@jesskupferman](#) I'm a developer / code consultant lol [#DCTH](#) -8:02 PM Jul 15th, 2010



[kg\\_creative](#) RT [@azzcatdesign](#): [#Q2](#) Im afraid of too much research on logo sites. - > This. I compare complete designs after the fact, not before. [#dcth](#) -8:02 PM Jul 15th, 2010









[jesskupferman](#) [@scottsampson](#) What do you do? [#DCTH](#) -8:01 PM Jul 15th, 2010













[nicholastalks](#) [@jesskupferman](#) me too! Those alarms are really annoying. Love em!













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 [azzcatdesign](#) [@scottssampson](#) Just hangin' with the cool kids? [#dcth](#) -8:01 PM Jul 15th, 2010    






 [azzcatdesign](#) [#Q2](#) I'm afraid of too much research on logo sites. Leaves impression on me. OK AFTER I've got something going. [#dcth](#) -8:00 PM Jul 15th, 2010    






 [scottssampson](#) [@azzcatdesign](#) Seriously lol. I do not do design at all. EVER. That's what designers are for! [#Q2](#) [#DCTH](#) -8:00 PM Jul 15th, 2010    






 [jesskupferman](#) [@nicholastalks](#) I actually DO use my iPhone to wake myself up. It has a weekday alarm function. I use that thing for everything. [#DCTH](#) -7:59 PM Jul 15th, 2010    





 [nicholastalks](#) [@jesskupferman](#) [#Q2](#) Same here- just in reverse order! [#dcth](#) -7:59 PM Jul 15th, 2010    






 [jesskupferman](#) [@107designs](#) No worries! [#DCTH](#) -7:58 PM Jul 15th, 2010    






 [jesskupferman](#) [#Q2](#) - Logo Sauce, Logo Pond, Google Image Search, and prayer. [#DCTH](#) -7:58 PM Jul 15th, 2010    






 [107designs](#) [@jesskupferman](#) Hey, Jess! I didn't forget! ;) [#dcth](#) -7:58 PM Jul 15th, 2010    






 [azzcatdesign](#) [@scottssampson](#) ol! [#dcth](#) -7:58 PM Jul 15th, 2010    






 [coriemichele](#) RT [@DCTH](#): [#Q2](#) [@107designs](#) [@dcth](#) How do you go about researching a logo or design to make sure it's original enough? [#dcth](#) -7:58 PM Jul 15th, 2010    

 [nicholastalks](#) [@jesskupferman](#) LOL I use my calendar more and more because I'm likely to forget to get up in the morning if I dont schedule it. [#dcth](#) -7:57 PM Jul 15th, 2010    

 [scottssampson](#) [@DCTH](#) I pay a designer to do it for me :) [#DCTH](#) -7:57 PM Jul 15th, 2010    

 [kg\\_creative](#) [@kristofcreative](#) Your tweet reports app is awesome! (btw) [#dcth](#) -7:57 PM Jul 15th, 2010    

 [kristofcreative](#) I tend to b forgetful so not a fan of free trials that auto charge me if I forget to cancel [#dcth](#) -7:57 PM Jul 15th, 2010    

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to make sure it's original enough? [#dcth](#) -7:57 PM Jul 15th, 2010



[kristofcreative](#) [@jeffSanGeorge](#) Gotcha. [#dcth](#) -7:56 PM Jul 15th, 2010



[jesskupferman](#) [@nicholaStalks](#) Who, me? LOL [#DCTH](#) -7:56 PM Jul 15th, 2010



[scottsampson](#) [@jesskupferman](#) Imao [#DCTH](#) -7:55 PM Jul 15th, 2010



[jeffSanGeorge](#) [@kristofcreative](#) I guess Huge isn't accurate. anything that requires more than a single click, or email. [#dcth](#) -7:55 PM Jul 15th, 2010



[kristofcreative](#) In case the connection wasn't made, Q1 pertained to my TweetReports app - & loving your feedback! [#dcth](#) -7:55 PM Jul 15th, 2010



[kg\\_creative](#) [@kristofcreative](#) If it's useful, I don't mind. A reminder email saying "in 3 days you'll get billed, click here to cancel" wld be awsm [#dcth](#) -7:54 PM Jul 15th, 2010



[jesskupferman](#) [@scottsampson](#) Baby, I can ALWAYS get to a computer. LOL [#DCTH](#) -7:54 PM Jul 15th, 2010



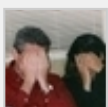
[azzcatdesign](#) [@NancySeeger](#) Bye. (I'm jealous!) Enjoy Event Apart. [#dcth](#) -7:54 PM Jul 15th, 2010



[jesskupferman](#) [@jeffSanGeorge](#) LOL What are you talking about? Not better. Just obsessively organized with the calendar. [#DCTH](#) -7:54 PM Jul 15th, 2010



[scottsampson](#) [@jesskupferman](#) lol ok fair point, but what if you CANT get to a computer in the week leading up to the cancellation cut-off? [#DCTH](#) -7:54 PM Jul 15th, 2010



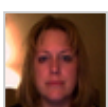
[mikeconaty](#) [@NancySeeger](#) See ya Nancy! [#DCTH](#) -7:54 PM Jul 15th, 2010



[NancySeeger](#) darn have to go but hey if anyone is going to [@aneventapart](#) DC I'll be there CHEERS [#dcth](#) -7:53 PM Jul 15th, 2010



[jesskupferman](#) [@scottsampson](#) Well technically, it's not forced. I can cancel. What drives me nuts is when it's hard to cancel. If it's easy, I'm ok.. [#DCTH](#) -7:53 PM Jul 15th, 2010



[NancySeeger](#) [@jeffSanGeorge](#) [@kristocreative](#) LOL needs an email from me to cancel - non automation : ) [#dcth](#) -7:53 PM Jul 15th, 2010



[jeffSanGeorge](#) [@JessKupferman](#) [#Q1](#) Your much better than me, I always forget!





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[kristofcreative](#) [@jeffSanGeorge](#) [@NancySeeger](#) What do you consider a huge barrier to canceling? [#dcth](#) -7:52 PM Jul 15th, 2010



[scottsampson](#) [@jesskupferman](#) yes but why should you have to? A trial should be just that - a trial. Not an intro with a forced continuation [#DCTH](#) -7:51 PM Jul 15th, 2010



[NancySeeger](#) Q1 sounds like everyone prefers the [@37signals](#) approach to signups although like most pm apps the lack of decent ics cal is a bummer [#dcth](#) -7:51 PM Jul 15th, 2010



[jesskupferman](#) [@107designs](#) Hey dude! [#DCTH](#) -7:50 PM Jul 15th, 2010



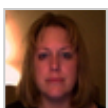
[jesskupferman](#) [#Q1](#) - I can be responsible for my own cancellations. I schedule them on the calendar when I sign up. [#DCTH](#) -7:50 PM Jul 15th, 2010



[ngassmann](#) Ditto RT [@cjgraphix](#): [#q1](#) [#dcth](#) If ur asking for my payment details to try you web app, I'm not trying your web app. Freemium model please. -7:49 PM Jul 15th, 2010



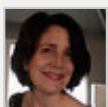
[jeffSanGeorge](#) [@NancySeeger](#) [#Q1](#) I'm with you, I can't stand huge barriers to cancel [#dcth](#) -7:48 PM Jul 15th, 2010



[NancySeeger](#) Q1 applies more to subscriptions but some of the cancellations are hard as heck to accomplish [#userunfriendly](#) [#DCTH](#) [#dcth](#) -7:47 PM Jul 15th, 2010



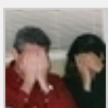
[ThadWillNotStop](#) [@107designs](#) important question. Have seen similar logos get to production too often. It's tough but we should def research more. [#dcth](#) -7:47 PM Jul 15th, 2010



[azzcatdesign](#) [@mikeconaty](#) Yep. Don't want to send out my billing info just for \$1. Wait till I know I want it. [#dcth](#) -7:46 PM Jul 15th, 2010



[107designs](#) Me too => RT [@cjgraphix](#): [#q1](#) If youre asking for my payment details to try you web app, Im not trying it. Freemium model please. [#dcth](#) -7:46 PM Jul 15th, 2010



[mikeconaty](#) [#Q1](#) Definitely no auto pay, but if you pay, even \$1, don't call it a free trial... I've already paid you. :-)) [#DCTH](#) -7:45 PM Jul 15th, 2010



[nicholastalks](#) [@cjgraphix](#) [#q1](#) i agree. [#dcth](#) -7:45 PM Jul 15th, 2010



[jeffSanGeorge](#) [#Q1](#) I prefer the "fremium" model with option to pay for the "next level" or after a time period [#dcth](#) -7:45 PM Jul 15th, 2010



[angbown](#) [#Q1](#) If the [@azzcatdesign](#) idea is on the table I would choose that. [#dcth](#)





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[scottsampson](#) RT [@cjgraphix](#): [#q1](#) [#dcth](#) If youre asking for my payment details to try you web app, Im not trying your web app. Freemium model please. [#DCTH](#) -7:44 PM Jul 15th, 2010



[NancySeeger](#) Oh my but its a tad sluggish on the API again : ( [#dcth](#) [#dcth](#) -7:44 PM Jul 15th, 2010



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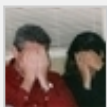
[nicholastalks](#) [#Q1](#) Free trial should be a free trial. I dont like negative billing - a local cable co got in trouble with that. [#dcth](#) -7:44 PM Jul 15th, 2010



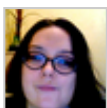
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[NancySeeger](#) DITTO RT [@azzcatdesign](#) [#Q1](#) like free trial w/auto cancel after 30 days if I don't pay. Just have it go away if I don't like it. [#dcth](#) [#dcth](#) -7:44 PM Jul 15th, 2010



[mikeconaty](#) [@azzcatdesign](#) [@NancySeeger](#) :- ) Sorry I went away for a bit, nothing fun. Fun is reserved for DCTH [#DCTH](#) -7:44 PM Jul 15th, 2010



[angbowen](#) [#Q1](#) I would much rather pay \$1 for a trial that I don't have to remember to cancel. [#dcth](#) -7:43 PM Jul 15th, 2010



[azzcatdesign](#) [#Q1](#) I like free trial w/auto cancel after 30 days if I don't pay. Just have it go away if I don't like it. [#dcth](#) -7:43 PM Jul 15th, 2010



[DCTH](#) [@NancySeeger](#) me is [@chadengle](#) and I am doing quite well. [#dcth](#) -7:42 PM Jul 15th, 2010



[nicholastalks](#) Oo i should be thinking up questions... hmmm... [#dcth](#) -7:42 PM Jul 15th, 2010



[DCTH](#) [@azzcatdesign](#) I'm here :P I need some Q's [#dcth](#) -7:42 PM Jul 15th, 2010



[DCTH](#) [#Q1](#) Web apps. Prefer paying \$1 for free trial w/ no auto payment at end, or getting a free trial that charges if you don't cancel? [#dcth](#) -7:42 PM Jul 15th, 2010



[DCTH](#) [#Q1](#) is coming up. It's long. Its from [@kristofcreative](#) [#dcth](#) -7:41 PM Jul 15th, 2010



[azzcatdesign](#) [@107designs](#) lol! Just trying to wake up Chad. [#dcth](#) -7:41 PM Jul 15th, 2010



[nicholastalks](#) [@scottsampson](#) sounds like a lethal dose to me lol [#dcth](#) -7:41 PM Jul 15th, 2010



[NancySeeger](#) [@mikeconaty](#) YEAH Mike is here - let the fun begin ; ) Sorry we drank all the beer before you got here [#DCTH](#) -7:41 PM Jul 15th, 2010



[107designs](#) [@azzcatdesign](#) Patiently, eh? [#dcth](#) -7:40 PM Jul 15th, 2010



[azzcatdesign](#) [@107designs](#) Howdy, Michael! We're \*patiently\* waiting for the Qs... ;- ) [#dcth](#) -7:38 PM Jul 15th, 2010



[nicholastalks](#) [@107designs](#) Hey Mr Seven! [#dcth](#) -7:38 PM Jul 15th, 2010



[scottsampson](#) [@nicholastalks](#) mainlined coffee, and clinical insomnia lol [#DCTH](#) -7:38 PM Jul 15th, 2010



[DCTH](#) [@ThadWillNotStop](#) oh no... Off with your head. [#dcth](#) -7:38 PM Jul 15th, 2010



[107designs](#) Hey, dcth friends! What's up? [#dcth](#) -7:38 PM Jul 15th, 2010



[nicholastalks](#) [@scottsampson](#) RedBull, coffee, Starbucks or pins in the eye? [#dcth](#) -7:38 PM Jul 15th, 2010



[scottsampson](#) [@azzcatdesign](#) I'm an anytime owl lol. 22 hour days are the norm :) It's still warm here, even though it's the middle of the damn night [#DCTH](#) -7:37 PM Jul 15th, 2010



[ThadWillNotStop](#) I would like three concepts. Complete designs. Tomorrow. No, I'm not kidding. [#dcth](#) -7:36 PM Jul 15th, 2010



[azzcatdesign](#) [@scottsampson](#) You ARE a night owl! 4:30 here and beautiful outside. [#dcth](#) -7:35 PM Jul 15th, 2010



[nicholastalks](#) It's 5:33 here... sunny Calgary AB (and 28C) [#dcth](#) -7:34 PM Jul 15th, 2010



[scottsampson](#) [@azzcatdesign](#) half past midnight lol [#DCTH](#) -7:34 PM Jul 15th, 2010





[azzcatdesign](#) [@scottssampson](#) What time is it there? [#dcth](#) -7:33 PM Jul 15th, 2010



[scottssampson](#) [@azzcatdesign](#) haha you're kidding right? Got at least another 4 hours before bed! [#DCTH](#) -7:33 PM Jul 15th, 2010



[nicholastalks](#) Everyone's good :) [#dcth](#) -7:33 PM Jul 15th, 2010



[azzcatdesign](#) [@scottssampson](#) lol! You're up late. :) [#dcth](#) -7:32 PM Jul 15th, 2010



[angbowen](#) I'm here but kind of bouncing between this, [#thesiswp](#), watching tv and cooking dinner lol [#dcth](#) -7:32 PM Jul 15th, 2010



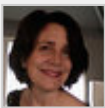
[border7](#) it's been a while! but happy to be here for [#dcth](#). how is everyone? -7:32 PM Jul 15th, 2010



[scottssampson](#) [@azzcatdesign](#) That's cos I was there :) Evening people [#DCTH](#) -7:31 PM Jul 15th, 2010



[nicholastalks](#) hey did anyone catch The Glades this week? Apparently 'everyones on Adobe 3.9 now' LOL [#dcth](#) -7:31 PM Jul 15th, 2010



[azzcatdesign](#) [@mikeconaty](#) We're quiet today. [#EDCTH](#) was hopping earlier. [#dcth](#) -7:29 PM Jul 15th, 2010



[DCTH](#) Little bit sluggish today it seems :) Maybe everyone else did what I did. "ITS THURSDAY?!?!?" [#dcth](#) -7:29 PM Jul 15th, 2010



[nicholastalks](#) hey 'cat! [#dcth](#) -7:29 PM Jul 15th, 2010



[azzcatdesign](#) [@nicholastalks](#) Hiya, Nick! [#dcth](#) -7:28 PM Jul 15th, 2010



[nicholastalks](#) Hallo all! [#dcth](#) -7:28 PM Jul 15th, 2010



[mikeconaty](#) OK, what did I miss so far? [#DCTH](#) -7:26 PM Jul 15th, 2010



[NancySeeger](#) [@DCTH](#) really excited - just registered today for [@aneventapart](#) in DC wahoo! How are YOU doing and who is YOU? ; ) [#DCTH](#) -7:22 PM Jul 15th, 2010







[kg\\_creative @DCTH](#) Hi ho! (lurking this afternoon) [#dctch](#) -7:20 PM Jul 15th, 2010



[DCTH @cjgraphix](#) It's ok. I understand :) [#dctch](#) -7:18 PM Jul 15th, 2010



[cjgraphix](#) Hello [#dctch](#)... I'll be battling subversion today, so if I randomly swear at you... it's not you, it's me. -7:18 PM Jul 15th, 2010



[azzcatdesign](#) Hellllooooo! [#dctch](#) -7:15 PM Jul 15th, 2010



[DCTH @NancySeeger](#) Hello! How's you? [#dctch](#) -7:06 PM Jul 15th, 2010



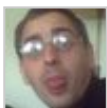
[NancySeeger @DCTH](#) Hi ho fellow [#DCTH](#) ers -7:02 PM Jul 15th, 2010



[DCTH](#) Bout 10mins out from ye old [#DCTH](#) everyone have some questions for tonight? -6:50 PM Jul 15th, 2010



[DCTH @nnes](#) you would be extremely welcome :) - if you are around at 7pm EST this evening then there is the traditional [#DCTH](#) :) [#EDCTH](#) -4:46 PM Jul 15th, 2010



[scottsampson @nnes](#) It's the earlier version of [#DCTH](#) - designed for europeans (hence the E) [#EDCTH](#) -4:35 PM Jul 15th, 2010



[DCTH @nnes](#) yes [@chadengle](#) broke it ;) [#EDCTH](#) is a weekly design/dev chat the same as [#DCTH](#) but set in a euro friendly timezone :) [#EDCTH](#) -4:35 PM Jul 15th, 2010



[DCTH](#) Thanks for a great little evening guys :D [#DCTH](#) is on at 7pm EST, so drop in if you can :D [#EDCTH](#) -4:27 PM Jul 15th, 2010



[DCTH @ngassmann](#) Welcome - :) just an earlier version for people closer to GMT who don't want to stay up for [#DCTH](#)... [#EDCTH](#) -3:45 PM Jul 15th, 2010



[ngassmann @dctch](#) what's the difference between [#edctch](#) and [#dctch](#)? -3:43 PM Jul 15th, 2010



[JaeChick](#) Assault by comic sans! RT [@sbolen](#): 1990's website watch: When was the last time this was updated? <http://is.gd/dsX3w> [#DCTH](#) -9:32 AM Jul 15th, 2010



[sbolen](#) 1990's website watch: When was the last time this was updated? <http://is.gd/dsX3w> [#DCTH](#) -9:22 AM Jul 15th, 2010





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