Transliteracies Project: Overview

• **Year 1** (2005-2006)
  • Inaugural all-hands conference
  • Research Clearinghouse started

• **Year 2** (2006-2007)
  • Research Working Groups started
    • History of Reading Group
    • New Reading Interfaces Group

• **Year 3** (2007-2008)
  • Social Computing Group started  (in collaboration with CITS, Communication, Computer Science, Bren, etc.)

• **Year 4** (2008-2009)
  • White Papers from the three research working groups
  • Initial technological & educational program development

• **Year 5** (2009-2010 - terminal year)
  • Summary White Paper  Extramural grant proposal(s)
Transliteracies Project: Current Idea Space

State-of-art online text projects
- NORA
- MONK
- Web-based Text-Mining and Visualization for Humanities Digital Libraries Project
- EVINCE
- Public Knowledge Project (esp. “reading tools”)
- CommentPress
- Etc.

Social Computing
- [See UCSB Social Computing Group’s IGERT Proposal]

Relevant Visualization Approaches
- Text visualizations
- History Flow Visualization
- UCSC WikiTrust Color (Demo)
- Social Graphs
- Many Eyes
- PhotoSynth
- OpenLazlo
- Etc.

History of Reading
- History of the book
- History of social authoring and reading

Sweet Spot
Transliteracies Project: Draft for Year 4 Plan [v 2.0]

Supervision/contributions by Transliteracies research groups (History of Reading, New Reading Interfaces, Social Computing) and Bluesky. (Also: involvement of faculty & grad students from other UC campuses and Ray Siemen's group in Canada)

Research reports / technical analyses of a chosen *canon* of state-of-art online text projects and related approaches:

**Canon (example)**
- NORA / MONK
- NINES Collex
- Web-based Text-Mining and Visualization for Humanities Digital Libraries Project
- Public Knowledge Project (*"reading tools")
- History Flow Visualization
- WikiTrust Color Project
- CommentPress

Bluesky Research Blog (ed. Pablo Colapinto)

Social Computing Idea Contest:
Ideas, demos, scenarios, short stories by category—e.g.:
- SC and Scholarship
- SC and Online Reading
- SC and Social Action
- SC and Trust
- SC and Quality of Life

Workshops of Transliteracies research groups (c. Jan. 29-30, synched with UCSB workshop on Interactive Digital Multimedia):  
- Individual research group workshop agendas
- But also common critique/brainstorming catalyzed by results of previous research reports and contest

Social Computing Group IGERT Proposal

Social Computing Group White Paper (written by Alan and Bluesky based on IGERT proposal)

History of Reading Group White Paper

New Reading Interfaces Group White Paper

Possible collaboration with Web Science Research Initiative (liaison: Monica Bulger)

Possible collaboration with Canadian HCI-Book/INKE

Participation of Ray Siemen's HCI-Book/INKE group in Canada
Transliteracies Project: Toward a Demo

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Message from Mary S.

Here's an interesting reference to Charles Brockden Brown's fever.

P.S. Go six bookcases back...