

Using Twitter for Professional Development Opportunities Chat

Francisca Goldsmith:u can also use second hashtag #profdev

Francisca Goldsmith:#headsetfear

Stanley Strauss:Breezy is an online radio station out of Germany, so there are some interesting breaks.

Francisca Goldsmith:danke

Stanley Strauss:Hello everyone. I'm in Claremont, CA, where it's headed up to 100F.

Stanley Strauss:How is it where you are?

Tracey Carter:A bit cool and overcast in Frederick, MD.

Francisca Goldsmith:90 in a part of CA where it *never* gets this hot--and still rising

Patricia Rodriguez:It is really blowing in Pomona and very hot.

ann:64 here in Sandpoint, ID

Margot Malachowski:Cloudy in Massachusetts, but warm 70s

Infopeople Project:only 95 in Long Beach CA

Sandra 2:89F in Research Triangle Park, NC

Liz:58 in seacoast new hampshire!

April 2:around 90 and humid here in NC

Darlene, King County Library System:I am in Issaquah, WA where is it supposed to get to 88 which is hot for us

Brenda Norris:58 and cloudy in Michigan City, Indiana

Barbara Biljan:spring snow showers in colorado springs

Darlene, King County Library System:Of course, I am freezing in my cubicle!

Pam:Heading toward the 80's in Portland, OR

Margot Malachowski:Time of year to remember cardigans for the AC

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Ann 2:Sunny and 57 in northern Wisconsin

Kathleen:Meridian Library, ID. high of 79 today, but very pleasant right now

Margie:Cloudy and cool about 60 in New Jersey

Tracey Carter:Yes :)

Infopeople Project:yes

Stanley Strauss:yes

vivian rutherford:Vivian Rutherford Waco, TX

Nefertari Guice:Solano County Library, Fairfield, CA hot @ 86 degrees and rising up to 97 today

Hong:Never argue with anyone on twitter

Marcie Hernandez:Social media trends are moving away from Facebook, toward twitter

WandaEdwards:Serves little purpose

Angela Strong:Sunny in Clifton Park NY in upstate NY near Albany

Holly:Hard to find the good stuff among all the noise.

Jamie Pouster:Popular right now.

Anita Jennings:Not useful

Darlene, King County Library System:twitter is a distraction during a training

Tracey Carter:You can connect with companies and organizations on Twitter.

Jamie M:People have accounts but don't use them.

April:up to date

Karen Gates:far reaching

April 2:things get buried easily

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Jinder Banwait:great way to communicate with people you may otherwise not be able to

Daniel:Great for social organization

Margot Malachowski:find news stories relevant to me

Cheryl Zobel:Can dominate your time. And also provide much up to the minute information.

Renee Welling:heard it's really fun

Yolanda Cardenas-Parra:too busy

Ann 2:College Students are using Twitter over Facebook

Angela Strong:Used heavily by young adults. I've seen it with my own eyes.

Brenda Norris:Real time News Stories and information.

Pam: Fun and addictive

Liz:great way to connect with people you admire

Miriam Herrell:time consuming

Michelle:useful for breaking news

Denise Anton Wright:great source for latest news

Nefertari Guice:sometimes feel pointless

Margie:Easily find latest news

Julie S.:About half of users subscribe to feeds but don't tweet themselves

Stanley Strauss:ALA Code of Ethics:
<http://www.ala.org/advocacy/proethics/codeofethics/codeethics>

Linda Andersen:Good for what's happening now.

Lacy:Organizational tool for those in conflict zones

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Stanley Strauss:PPT and Handouts for today's webinar are at:
<https://infopeople.org/civicrm/event/info?reset=1&id=401>

Margot Malachowski:OK what was the hashtag for the webinar?

Darlene, King County Library System:do you know if I can be logged into 2 twitter accounts at one time so I can select which account to send a tweet? i.e one for work, one for fun

Michelle:#ifpwebinars

Tracey Carter:#ifpwebinar #profdev

Stanley Strauss:#profdev

Tracey Carter:There are some apps that will allow you to be logged into multiple accounts at once, but if you're just logged in from the Twitter website I think you can only be logged into one account at a time.

Jamie M:Do you all tweet webinars? I have tried to get people to do it and have created hashtags for webinars and it never really took off. Just curious what you all think.

Liz:if you have the twitter app on your smart phone, it is fairly easy to switch back and forth between accounts

Darlene, King County Library System:I have had the same experience Jammie.

Tracey Carter:I do tweet webinars sometimes.

Tracey Carter:Although I'm more likely to tweet at a live conference or event.

Jamie M:Yes, I am more likely to tweet a live event as well or at a conference.

Sarah Lin:What if you dont' have a smartphone? How easy is it to use?

Jamie M:Or, maybe the people listening in to my webinars don't have Twitter accounts?

Liz:i find twitter very easy to use regardless of format

Tracey Carter:If I live tweet a webinar I usually use Twitter via a web browser open in another window or browser tab. It's still very easy without a smartphone.

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Sarah Lin:Do you check Twitter like you might check Facebook throughout the day?

Liz:i do, although i do find it harder to keep up with due to the amount of people i follow

Tracey Carter:I don't because I check my organization's Twitter page throughout the day so my own personal account suffers a little because of it.

Tracey Carter:But I think you'll certainly get more value from it if you check it more frequently otherwise it can be difficult to keep up with everything, but I don't mind missing out on conversations. I use it when I can and don't sweat it when I can't or don't :)

Darlene, King County Library System:Do you have your staff create twitter accounts using their work information so it can be used for professional development?

Leah Langby:Jamie, maybe the reason tweet more at live events is that people tend to be multi-tasking already while listening to a webinar, so maybe it's too hard to fit in tweeting (along with watching the circ desk or prepping for something else at the same time)

Stanley Strauss:<http://conference.ifla.org> - in Lyon, France.

Jamie M:Great point, Leah!

Darlene, King County Library System:When I did try tweeting while teaching an online class, I used my phone to create the tweets I would want to send during the class because I could save un-sent tweets. I could not write them while teaching.

Jamie M:I also notice at conferences that people tweet about the room, how crowded it is, or make general observations that aren't as relevant in a webinar, possibly?

Tracey Carter:Very true. When I was at CIL there was lots of chatter about the temperature of various conference rooms (some were sweltering and some were freezing!)

Tracey Carter:Probably not quite as applicable during a webinar ;)

Jamie M:Yes, Tracey! I also tweet my notes about other sessions I attend.

Jamie M:Maybe I just need to let the idea go....

Hong:yes

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Tracey Carter:I <3 Brain Pickings!

Tracey Carter:I wish I had more time to read all of the things posted there.

Stanley Strauss:<http://www.brainpickings.org>

Sarah Lin:What are the negative implications of just having one Twitter account and not one private and one public?

Stanley Strauss:<http://mashable.com>

Darlene, King County Library System:If you are not tweeting business tweets, nothing but if you are, then people will follow you based on that and then they will also see your tweets about crocheting, checking in, pictures of your cat...

Stanley Strauss:<https://twitter.com/infotweets>

Sandra 2:is infotweets in Spanish?

Tracey Carter:It showed up in English for me on Twitter.

Casey K:What happened at book expo? I missed what she said.

Rush:Also try @csleclips re public libraries in California

Margot Malachowski:local news reporters

Jamie Pouser:Texas Library Association

Tracey Carter:@MDLibraryAssoc Maryland Library Association

Kathleen:following my city is important

Pam:Question about starting a second Twitter account specifically for PD. Best to unfollow in personal Twitter and re-follow on PD account? Is there an app for that?
:)

Kathleen:also, a local news station

Merri Monks:YALSA

Jamie M:local stations

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Sandra 2:follow my city

Wanda Edwards:#georgialibs

April:local news station and local utilities for power outage notifications

Michelle:@CAStateLibrary

Sandra 2:State library of NC

Kathleen:c

Laurene Madsen:#akla

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Nefertari Guice:@coveredca

Cheryl Zobel:As a music selector, I follow local music venues and record stores. And many music feeds.

Cara:@stonca01

Darlene, King County Library System:@pctrainer

Merri Monks:@MerriMonks

Liz:@lizatnhpl

Marcie Hernandez:@mousie_nicole

Sarah:@sarahderinger88

Margot Malachowski:@margotmal

Tracey Carter:@ChaosLibrarian

Hong:@baibulao

Nefertari Guice:@solanolibrary

Ann 2:@annvogl

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Lacy:@lacythebookworm

Kayla:@kkasprak

Wanda Edwards:@wandaedwards

Casey K:@caseykralik

Denise Anton Wright:@DeniseDPI

Jamie Pouster:@yabooksandmore

Cammie:@CammieHardouin

Michelle:@sdmisha

Laurene Madsen:@geotechalaska

Sarah:I suggest @needalibraryjob

Kathleen:@gcaserotti

Darlene, King County Library System:@trainingMagUS

April:@BNBuzz

Brenda Norris:@mclpubliclibrar1

Hong:What's the presenter's twitter handle?

Darlene, King County Library System:@shawnachor

Nefertari Guice:@Barack Obama

Nefertari Guice:Hong

Michelle:Presenter's twitter handle is @FGoldsmith

Paula:@apaulawilson

Hong:thanks!

Stanley Strauss:<https://www.mediabistro.com>

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Hong:just followed her :)

Tracey Carter:Do you have a preference for URL shortener? Does one create shorter URLs than another?

Sandra 2:it is coming up in Spanish for me

Angela Strong:is there any library that uses twitter to communicate among its staff to keep them current on library info?

Hong:I use tinyurl

Michelle:no audio?

Patricia Rodriguez:no audio

Tracey Carter:I can hear someone typing on a keyboard but I don't hear any speaking.

Patricia Rodriguez:Can hear Jack

Cammie:we can here you.

Michelle:While we're waiting I'd like to plug #libchat which takes place on Wednesdays 8-9:30 Eastern time.

Infopeople Project:<https://surveymonkey.com/s/GZS2PMS>

Hong:thanks! Bye

Francisca Goldsmith:back on. please send?s

Margie:Thank you.