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*“Finally, and with that special degree of
condescension of which only the French
are capable, they spelled it out for me:
“MacDo-MacDonald’s you idiot.”*

~ nines

from My First Time as the Ugly American

JUSTIFICATION

Why do people share personal stories?

Why stories about first time experiences?

Why the Internet?

*“I don’t look at J when I tell him that
I’ve been thinking lately, and often,
of having a baby.”*

~modbean

from My First Time Wanting to Have a Baby



VS



DESIGN CHALLENGE

Not just how a *person* interacts with *technology*

BUT

How *people* interact with *people* through
technology

PROCESS



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Discovery

- Brainstorming
- Comparative Analysis
- User Interviews

Design

- Information Architecture
- Paper Prototyping & Testing
- Wireframes & Storyboards
- Visual Design

Implementation

- Iterative Development
- Tiered Diffusion
- Evaluation and Revision
"In Use"



TOMORROW: OUR SOLUTIONS

Faceted Browsing
Identity Management
Partitioning Space
and much more...

More Tomorrow:
10:45 | RM205

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“Down the road about 100 yards there was a man walking up the road. He was shirtless, shoeless, and carrying a rifle at his hip.”

~csimsy

from My First Time Having a Gun Pointed at Me

“I still felt pretty anxious. I wanted my lectures to be perfect so no student could ever detect that I didn’t know what I was talking about.”

~doctor_bob

from My First Time Teaching a Course