Vue – Virtual University of Edinburgh

A multi-disciplinary virtual organisation exploring the potential of virtual worlds for e-learning, research, collaboration & outreach related to the University of Edinburgh

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The Vue group is a virtual educational and research institute bringing together all those interested in the use of virtual worlds for teaching, research and outreach related to the University of Edinburgh.

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See more pictures in the Vue Gallery...

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Wednesday, November 28, 2007

Heriot Watt University is a neighbour of Vue
Last changed Nov 28, 2007 15:01 by Austin Tate

We welcome our colleagues at Heriot Watt University who now have a region to the North of Vue. It will be used initially to teach multimedia to 4th Year and MSc students.

Posted at 28 Nov @ 2:58 PM by Austin Tate | 0 comments

Trans----~Formation
Last changed Nov 26, 2007 14:53 by Austin Tate

Richard Brown, Austin Tate, Julian Wagstaff and Ai Austin are pleased to announce "Trans----~Formation" a multi-media virtual world art installation now on show in "The Vault@Vue".

http://www.ppl.ed.ac.uk/~ai/trans----~formation.htm

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- Development & Alumni
- Information Services
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  - Library and Collections
- School of Informatics
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  - Edinburgh-Stanford Link
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  - HCRC/ICCS
- School of Education
  - MSc in e-Learning
  - Higher & Community Education
  - Child Development
- Management School
- School of Arts, Culture & Environment

Coming Soon
- Disability Office
- Geosciences
- School of Medicine
- Divinity
- Contextual Theology
- Corporate Communications & PR
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Vue Uses of Virtual Worlds

• **Now**
  – Awareness, Recruitment & Promotional Activities
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    • MSc in Design & Digital Media
    • MSc in e-Learning
    • Management School Courses

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  – Disability awareness
  – Arts Informatica & InSpace Link
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Next Steps

- Greater use of Vue Wiki, Vue Web becomes Simple Portal
- Externally managed and dynamically generated content
- Multiple Virtual Worlds & Locally hosted regions/grids
- Rich Media Usage & 24/7 Vue TV, Vue Radio
- VATAR – Training events, tutorials, etc
- VRPA Democratisation process – mid-2008
- Further Vue Community Workshops
Vue in the News