

Filesharing workshop

- Brief history of filesharing software
- LimeWire walk-through
- Bittorrent walk-through
- Legal, ethical, and political issues

History of filesharing - porn driven innovation

- Usenet
- Napster
- Kazaa
- Direct connect
- Emule
- Limewire
- Bittorrent

LimeWire

- limewire.com/download/
 - Mainly used for sharing single music files and porn

Bittorrent

- Protocol (many different clients)
- Decentralized, chunks of information
- Anonymous
- Not easily traceable
- Powerful for very large files

How to download a film

- Go to a torrent site like thepiratebay.org, mininova.org, isohunt.com
- Search, find and download the torrent file
- Open the file in a torrent client like Azureus for Windows or Transmission for Mac

Bergmanbits.com

- "For good or worse, we now live in the time of the great distributed networks where all of us have the powers of communication and creation at our hands. Despite Bergman, lets not wish the time of mass media back, but let it silently pass away with a final gasp."

Web 2.0

- Social, user driven
- Del.icio.us
- Flickr
- Blogs
- RSS
- Last.fm

Good copy, bad copy

- Film..