The (mobile) network society

What are the transformative effects of wireless communication technologies in everyday lives?

Activity:

Each group is responsible for:
- explaining / defining the topic
- giving examples (from book + personal life)
- show advantages / disadvantages.
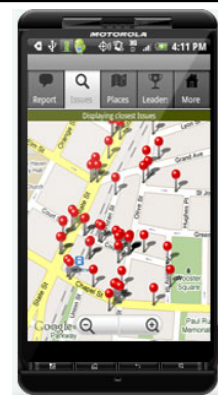- point out anything interesting that you didn't know.

Discussion: 15 minutes

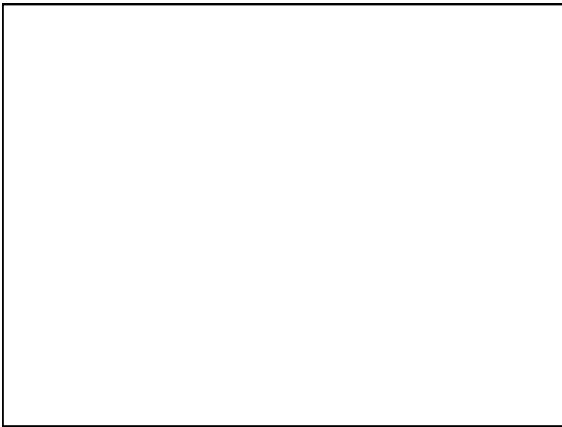

SeeClickFix (game-like elements)

FixMyStreet

iTransitBuddy

Free Wireless Movement
Magic Bike

Airport Tracking
Spopos

Social concerns

"More often than not, perceptions of threat are exaggerated in narrative accounts from both media coverage and interpersonal channels. Yet, as the history of communication technology shows, public perceptions contribute significantly to policy-making processes and to the formation of usage patters in the long run." (p. 114)

Health concerns

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Explanation

Movies about cell phones

Holllywood	"Ghost in the phone"
- *Denise calls up*, USA (1995) - *Cellular,* USA (2004) - *Love Message*, China (2005) - *Shoji*, China (2004)	-*Phantom Call,* Hong Kong (2000) -"Samurai Cellular" in *Tales of the Unusual,* Japan (2000) -*999.9999*, Thailand (2002) -*Phone*, South Korea (2002) -*One Missed Call*, Japan (2004)