Cage Match: The Massive Open Online Course (MOOC) Debate

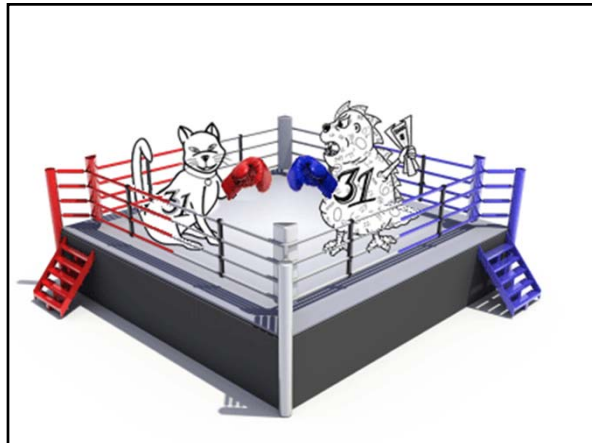Chuck (Big Blue) Severance,
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Sparty vs. Bucky?

Or is it Wolverines vs. Hoosiers?

CageMatch
ROUND ONE

Cage Match Round #1

1. **90 percent drops?** (Ala exercise bikes)
2. **In love with stickers?**
3. **The death of OER?**
4. **Disruption or sputtering?** (End of MOOCS?)
5. **cMOOCs and xMOOCs?**
6. **The for-profit professor?** (Dr. Chuck OL)
7. **"Fly by" office hours?**
8. **Locate in Gartner hype cycle?**
9. **MOOC stalkers and trolls?**
10. **MOOC2Degree vs. MOOCs as Plug-in?**

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THE CONVERSATION

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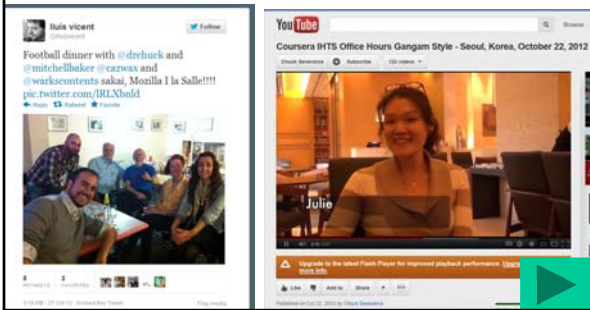

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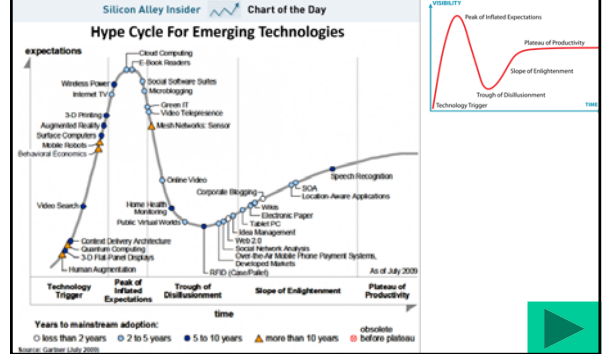
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#9. MOOC Stalkers and Trolls?

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Who Won Round One?
(Hold up Blue or Red cards)

CageMatch
ROUND TWO

Cage Match Round #2
1. **Auto, Peer, Self, etc.** (Grading/Assess)
2. **MOOCs = Khan Academy?**
3. **Business Plans** (sell enrollment data?)
4. **Job, no job?** (A pity party for the Prof?)
5. **Yelp for MOOCs?**
6. **MOOCs spontaneously combusting?**
7. **Want some MOOC with your TV Dinner?**
8. **Remedial MOOCs or PD MOOCs?**
9. **Panic or Hysteria?**
10. **1 Billion Learners Served** (EdX by 2023?)

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Providers of Free MOOC's Now Charge Employers for Access to Student Data

By Jeffrey R. Young

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BUSINESS-PLAN

#4. Job, no job?
(A pity party for Profs?)

THE CONVERSATION

I need job

Pity Party

#5. Yelp for MOOCs?

A+ Grade My Course
free online course ratings and reviews

coursetalk

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MOOC

#8. Remedial MOOCs or PD MOOCs?

Next step for MOOCs: Helping with remedial math
UW-La Crosse developing free online math course to boost students' proficiency

PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT
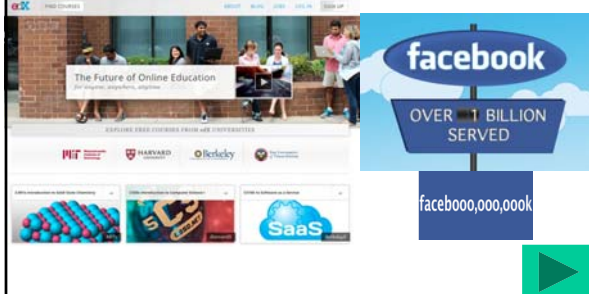
COLLEGE

#9. Panic or Hysteria?

Something New in Shock-thriller Education
EdUCKA presents An Infinite Scale Production

MOOC HYSTERIA

starring
Stanford University
University of Virginia
<insert your institution here>
Produced by Daphne Koller
Directed by Sebastian Thrun

**#10. 1 Billion Learners Served
(EdX by 2023?)**

Who Won Round Two?
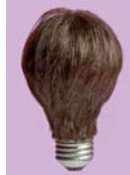(Hold up Red or Blue cards)

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**ROUND THREE:
AUDIENCE ROUND**

Ok, Who Won Round Three?
(Hold up Red or Blue cards)

**Poll:
Any light bulbs going off in
your head so far…?**

A. Yes definitely
B. Maybe
C. No

Stop and Share:
Three Words from this session!

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