

**23snaps** parents save photos, videos, measurements and stories of their children 2012 **8tracks.com** Streaming user-curated playlists Academia.edu Social networking site for academics/researchers 2008 **About.me** social networking site 2009 Amazon **Amikumu** Language learners - is a cross-platform app for smartphones (Android and iOS) which can be used to find people nearby who speak or learn the same languages as the user 2017 **aNobii Books** 2006 **aSmallWorld** European jet set and social elite world-wide 2004 **Athlinks** Running, Swimming 2001 **Audimated.com** Independent music 2010 **Band.us**/ko is a mobile community application that facilitates group communication. Bebo General July 2005 **BibSonomy** is a social bookmarking and publication sharing system 2006 **Bigo.tv** is a live streaming platform owned by a Singapore-based Bigo Technology, which was founded in 2014 **BlackPlanet** is an African-American social networking service for matchmaking and job postings; it also has forums for discussion on political and social issues 2001 **Bored Panda** is a Lithuanian website that publishes articles about "lightweight and inoffensive topics". It was founded in 2009 **Busuu** Language learning community (headquartered in Madrid, Spain) 2008 **Buzznet** Music and pop-culture 2005 CafeMom Mothers December 2006 **Care2Green** living and social activism 1998 **CaringBridge** Not for profit providing free websites that connect family and friends during a serious health event, care and recovery 1997. **Chess.com** Chess players. **Classmates.com** School, college, work and the military 1995

**CouchSurfing** Worldwide network for making connections between travelers and the communities they visit. 2003

**Crunchyroll** Anime and forums. 2006 **Cucumbertown**

Networking for Cooks 2012 **Cyworld** General Popular in South

Korea 2009 **DailyStrength** Medical & emotional support community - Physical health, Mental health, Support groups 2007

**Delicious** Social bookmarking allowing users to locate and save websites that match their own interests September 2003

**DeviantART** Art community 2000 **Didlr** Described as "Twitter with pictures", Didlr is an online social network and drawing service that allows

users to draw and share 'didls' 2012 **Diasporafoundation.org** is a

nonprofit, user-owned, distributed Decentralized social network, privacy aware, general (open source). It consists of a group of

independently owned nodes which interoperate to form the

network 2010 **Discord** is a VoIP and instant messaging social platform. Users have the ability to communicate with voice calls,

video calls, text messaging, media and files in private chats or as part of communities called "servers" 2015 **Dol2day** Politic

community, Social network, Internet radio (German-speaking countries) 2000 **DontStayIn** Clubbing (primarily UK) 2000

**Draugiem.lv** General (primarily LV, LT, HU). **Elftown**

Community and wiki around Fantasy and sci-fi 2002 **English, baby!**

Students and teachers of English as a second language 2000

**Epernicus** For research scientist. eToro Social Investing, Finance 2007

**Experience Project Life** experiences Exploroo Travel Social Networking. Facebook General: Photos, Videos, Blogs, Apps. February 2004 **Faceparty General**. Popular UK. Faces.com Adult Social Network, Mainly UK & USA 2011 **Fark** is a news aggregator and an edited social networking news site, as well as a community website created by Drew Curtis that allows members to comment on a daily batch of news articles and other items from various websites. The site receives many story submissions per day and approximately 100 of them are publicly displayed on the site, spread out over the main page as well as topical tabs that are organized as entertainment, sports, geek, politics and business) 1999 **Filmow** Movies and TV Series 2009 **Flickr** Photo sharing, commenting, photography related networking, worldwide 2004 **Flipboard** Flipboard is a news aggregator and social network aggregation company based in Palo Alto, California, with offices in New York, Vancouver, and Beijing 2010 **Flixster** is an American social-networking movie website for discovering new movies, learning about movies, and meeting others with similar tastes in movies, currently owned by parent company Fandango 2006 **Fotki** Photo sharing, video hosting, photo contests, journals, forums, flexible privacy protection, friend's feed, audio comments and unlimited custom design integration 1998 **Fotolog** Photoblogging. Popular in South America and Spain 2002 **Foursquare** Location based mobile social network 2009 **Friendica** Distributed social network, federated, privacy aware, open source, general. It forms one part of the Fediverse, an interconnected and decentralized network of independently operated servers 2022

**Friendster General** is popular in Southeast Asia. No longer popular in the western world 2002 **Frühstückstreff** General July 2001 **Gaia Online** Anime and games. Popular in USA, Canada and Europe 2003 **Geni.com** Families, genealogy 2007 **Goodreads** Library cataloging, book lovers 2006 Goodwizz Social network with matchmaking and personality games to find new contacts. Global, based in France 2010 **hi5** General. Popular in Nepal, Mongolia, Thailand, Romania, Jamaica, Central Africa, Portugal and Latin America. Not very popular in the USA 2003 **Hub Culture** Global influencers focused on worth creation 2002 **imgur** is an American online image sharing and image hosting service with a focus on social gossip that was founded by Alan Schaaf in 2009 **Instagram** Is a photo and video sharing social networking service owned by American company Meta Platforms. The app allows users to upload media that can be edited with filters and organized by hashtags and geographical tagging 2010 **IRC-Galleria** is a social networking website in Finland. It was founded in December 2000 **Italki.com** Language learning social network italki is an online language learning platform which connects language learners and teachers through video chat. The site allows students to find online teachers for 1-on-1 tutoring with 100+ languages 2007 Kaixin001 General in Simplified Chinese; caters for mainland China users 2008

Last.fm is a music website using a music recommender system called "Audioscrobbler", Last.fm builds a detailed profile of each user's musical taste by recording details of the tracks the user listens to, either from Internet radio stations, or the user's computer or many portable music devices. This information is transferred ("scrobbled") to Last.fm's database either via the music player (including, among others, Spotify, Deezer, Tidal, MusicBee, SoundCloud, and Anghami) or via a plug-in installed into the user's music player. The data is then displayed on the user's profile page and compiled to create reference pages for individual artists 2002. **LibraryThing** LibraryThing is a social cataloging web application for storing and sharing book catalogs and various types of book metadata. It is used by authors, individuals, libraries, and publishers. Book lovers 2005 **LinkedIn** Business and professional networking 2003. **Listography** is a series of journals created by Lisa Nola and published by Chronicle Books. It is also a web application which allows users to create and share lists. Through list-making, users can shape an autobiography and create references for themselves and others.create references for themselves and others **LiveJournal** Blogging. Popular in Russia and among the Russian-speaking diaspora abroad. 1999 **Mastodon** is free and open-source software for running self-hosted social networking services. It has microblogging features similar to Twitter, which are offered by a large number of independently run nodes, known as instances, each with its own code of conduct, terms of service, privacy policy, privacy options, and content moderation policies 2016

**Medium** is an American online publishing platform owned by A Medium Corporation. The platform is an example of social journalism 2012 **MEETin** General Meetup (website) General. Used to plan offline meetings for people interested in various activities. (Closed 2021 but reopened on [Facebook](#)) **Microsoft Teams** is a proprietary business communication platform developed by Microsoft, as part of the Microsoft 365 family of products 2017 **MocoSpace** is a mobile social network. The features of the site are similar to other social networking sites. Features include mobile games, chat, instant messaging, eCards, and photos. Worldwide 2005 **Myspace** is a social networking service based in the United States. The site was the first social network to reach a global audience, and had a significant influence on technology, pop culture and music 2003 **Onlygames** offers online games for free and is available to players in five languages: Polish, English, French, German and Spanish (Year Launched?) **Nexopia** is a Canadian social networking website created in 2003, by 18-year old Timo Ewalds. It was designed for ages 14 and up, but was later lowered to 13. Users are able to create and design profiles, a friends list, blogs, galleries, and compose articles and forums. Interaction is accomplished through an internal personal messaging system, public user comments on profiles, blogs or through threads and posts on the forums 2012 **Notoverthehill.com** For baby boomers and mature internet users age 40 and beyond (Year founded Unknown) Orkut General. Owned by Google Inc - Popular in India and Brazil. **Papaly** is a cloud based personalized start page that is a bookmark manager for users. You're able to sync with multiple computers and platforms 2016

**PatientsLikeMe** Online community for patients with life-changing illnesses to find other patients like them, share their data with others, and learn more about their condition to improve their outcome 2006. **Partyflock** Dutch virtual community for people interested in house music and other electronic dance music 2001. **Pinterest** Online pinboard for organizing and sharing things you love 2011. **Playfire** Computer and video games (Is now @greenman gaming) **Qzone** General. In Simplified Chinese; caters for mainland China users. **Ravelry** is a free social networking service and website that functions as an organizational tool for a variety of fiber arts, including knitting, crocheting, spinning and weaving. Members share projects, ideas, and their collection of yarn, fiber and tools via various components of the site 2007

**ReverbNation** Social network for musician and bands 3006

**Sgrouples** (MeWe) is a global social media and social networking service owned by Sgrouples, a company based in Los Angeles, California. The site's interface has been described as similar to that of Facebook, although the service describes itself as the "anti-Facebook" due to its focus on data privacy 2012

**Sina Weibo** Social microblogging site in Mainland China 2009

**Skyrock** is a social networking site based in France that offers a free space on the web to allow its users to create blogs, add profiles, and exchange messages with other registered members. Social Network in French-speaking world 2002

**SoundCloud** Repository of original music pieces and networking.

**Stage 32** US-based social network and educational site for creative professionals in film, television and theater 2012

**StumbleUpon (Now Mix)** Stumble through websites that match users' selected interests. Tagged General 2004 **The Sphere** A Private Online Social Luxury Network with Exclusive Personalized Services 2008. **Therr** is a space to share content at various geographic locations and connect with other users while traveling the globe or even just walking around your local community 2018 **Travellerspoint** is a travel and social networking site for people who want to learn from or share experiences with other travellers. Members of the site participate through forums, blogs, photo galleries and a wiki travel guide, similar to Wikivoyage 2002 **Tribe.net** (A Mastodon Server now) In November 2022, a new Mastodon (software) server was brought up under the tribe.net domain name, <https://tribe.net/about>. Features [ edit] Anyone could register as a new tribe user, and then define their immediate network of friends, either by choosing from existing members or by inviting new members to join (Date founded Unknown) **Tumblr** Microblogging platform and Social Networking Website. **Twitter** Micro-blogging, RSS, an online social media and social networking service owned and operated by American company Twitter, Inc., on which users send and respond publicly or privately 280-character-long messages, images and videos known as "tweets". Registered users can tweet, like, 'retweet' tweets and direct message (DM), while unregistered users only have the ability to view public tweets. Users interact with Twitter through browser or mobile frontend software, or programmatically via its APIs 2006. **Wattpad** For readers and authors to interact & e-book sharing 2006

**We Heart It** Image-based social network focused on inspiration, expression, and creativity is an image-based social network. We Heart It describes itself as "A home for your inspiration" and a place to "Organize and share the things you love." [1] Users can collect (or "heart") their favorite images to share with friends and organize into collections. Users can access the site through a web browser or We Heart It's iOS and Android mobile apps 2008

**Yammer** Social networking for office colleagues 2008.

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