Target Everyone

Expanding your audience with the JavaScript API

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Presentation Outline

Part 1 – Geospatial Curriculum Enhancement

- Project Overview
- Goals
- Education Trends
- Technical Requirements
- Available Frameworks
- Why Esri JavaScript
- Project Outcome

Part 2 – Demonstration Our JavaScript Viewers

- Esri JavaScript Viewer
- Dojo, Dijits and Widgets
- Html 5 Content
- Custom Tools
Geospatial Curriculum Enhancement

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- **Research Team**
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- **Project Partners**
  Lehigh University, Broughal Middle School, Nitschmann Middle School, Esri, National Science Foundation

- **Environmental Literacy and Inquiry (eli)**
- **Create Web-based Geospatial tools to enhance Middle School Science Curriculum**
- **Help Students Better Understand Earth’s Tectonic Processes**
- **Facilitate Geospatial Analysis, Map Visualization, and Data Manipulation**
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• Encourage Widespread Adoption
• Remove Technical Hurtles
• Simple Intuitive Interface
• Enable Development of Geospatial Thinking Skills
• Innovative Web-Based Viewer
• Engage Middle School Students
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- Away from Desktop Applications
- Towards Laptop or Tablet
- Bring Your Own Device (BYOD)
- Mix of Mac, iOS, Windows, Android
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• Operating System
  - Windows
  - Mac
  - iOS
  - Android

• Devices (Mobile First)
  - Desktop
  - Laptop
  - Tablet
  - Phone

• Browser Independent
  - Firefox, Internet Explorer, Chrome, Safari...etc.
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- Adobe Flash/Flex
  - Esri Flex API
  - Adobe Air
- Microsoft Silverlight
- JavaScript Map Control
  - Google API
  - Open Layers
  - Esri API
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• Users
  - Device/OS/Browser Independent
  - Simple Browser Based
  - No Plugin or Installer
  - Looks Cool
  - Intuitive Interface

• Development
  - Lots of Samples and Examples
  - Well Documented
  - Open Development
  - Innovative Applications
  - Leverage Our Investment
  - ArcGIS, ArcMap, Server
  - Host Everything on Lehigh Servers

LEHIGH UNIVERSITY
Six Geospatial Web Applications that provide the framework for Classroom Investigations

1. Geohazards and Me: What geologic hazards exist near me?
2. How do we recognize plate boundaries?
3. How does thermal energy move around the Earth?
4. What happens when plates diverge?
5. What happens when plate move sideways past each other?
6. What happens when plates collide?
Demonstration
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- Base Map Gallery
- Legend and Dynamic Layers
- Address Geocode Service
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- Animated Controls
- Pre-Configured Style Sheets
- Widgets Drawing, Measuring, Undo
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- HTML 5 Canvas (export map)
- Embed Video Content
- Browser Geolocation
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- Query Map
- Swipe Tool
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• Elevation Profile Tool
• Interaction With Chart
Thank You

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