

# Reading and Learning with Any Device

University Content for E-Books and E-Readers

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# E-Books – Definition I

- E-books for digital libraries
  - Includes all readable or download documents (books, online news, papers, magazines ...) offered by an online library portal or similar institution.
    - Format usually PDF, other text formats
    - Interactivity: restricted by PDF, low or not given
    - Multimedia: restricted by PDF
    - Advantage: availability, online, can be searched

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# E-Books – Definition II

- E-books for e-readers

Devices for the consummation of special formatted digitalized books.

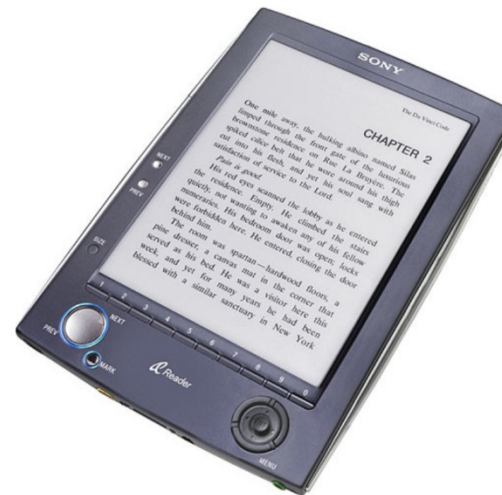
- Formats: EPUB, Mobipocket, DjVu, others
- Interactivity: Low or not given; EPUB adjusts automatically to display size
- Multimedia: Low; Amazon Kindle can play MP3
- Advantage: display with low energy consumption; EPUB bases on XML



[www.seriouslygeek.com](http://www.seriouslygeek.com)



<http://www.ebookreader-vergleich.de>



<http://theguybrarian.wordpress.com>



<http://scr3.golem.de>

# E-Books – Definition III

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- **E-books created with authoring tools**

Creation of individual interactive, multimedia content that very often follows didactical backgrounds and course structure

- **Formats:** For Browsers (HTML, XML ...), SCORM, special formats
- **Interactivity:** flexible, usually very high
- **Multimedia:** usually very high
- **Advantage:** may be converted to other formats inclusively EPUB for e-readers
  
- Often embedded or part of a LMS (Learning Management System)
- User creates content
- Many possibilities of different authoring tools



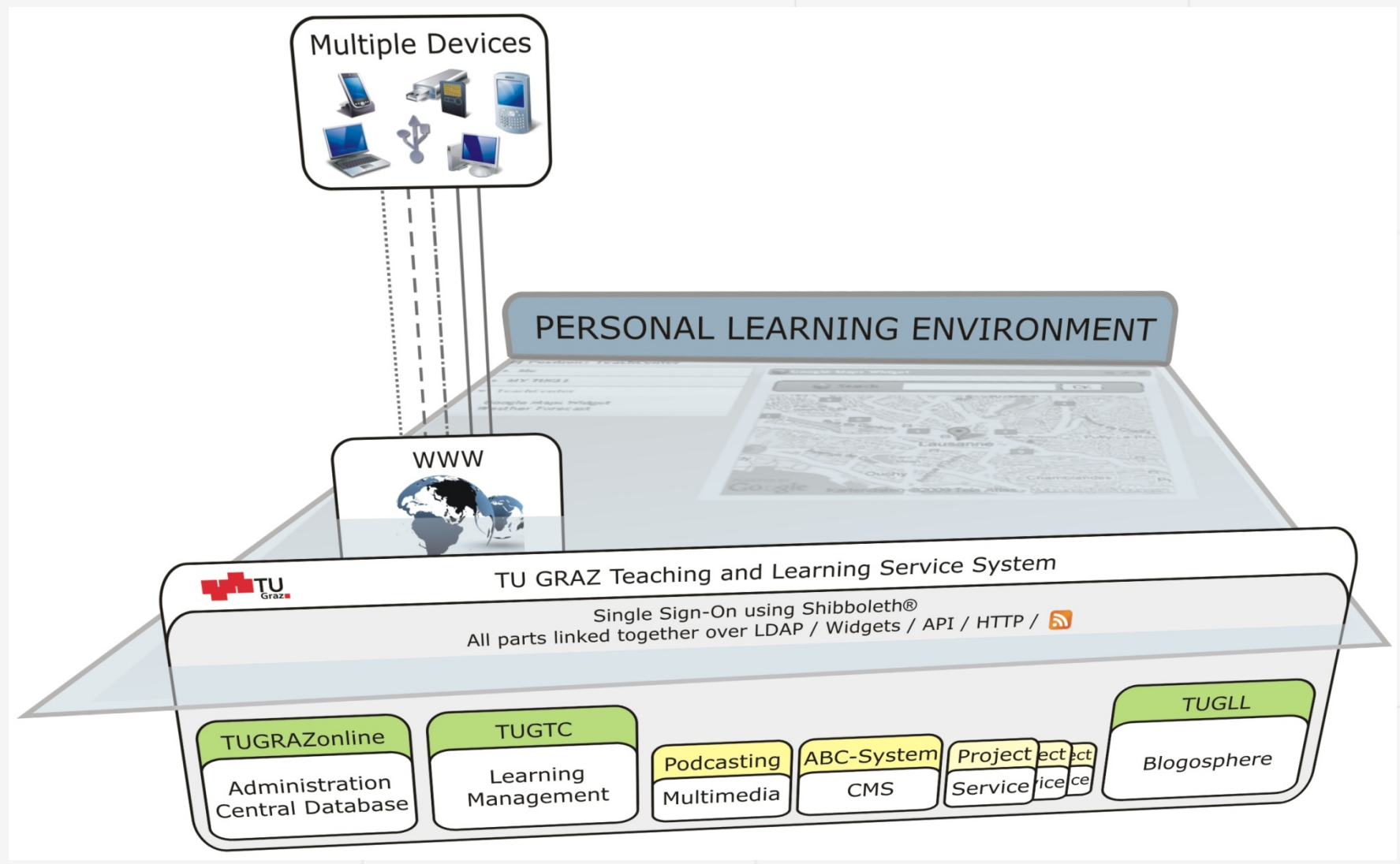
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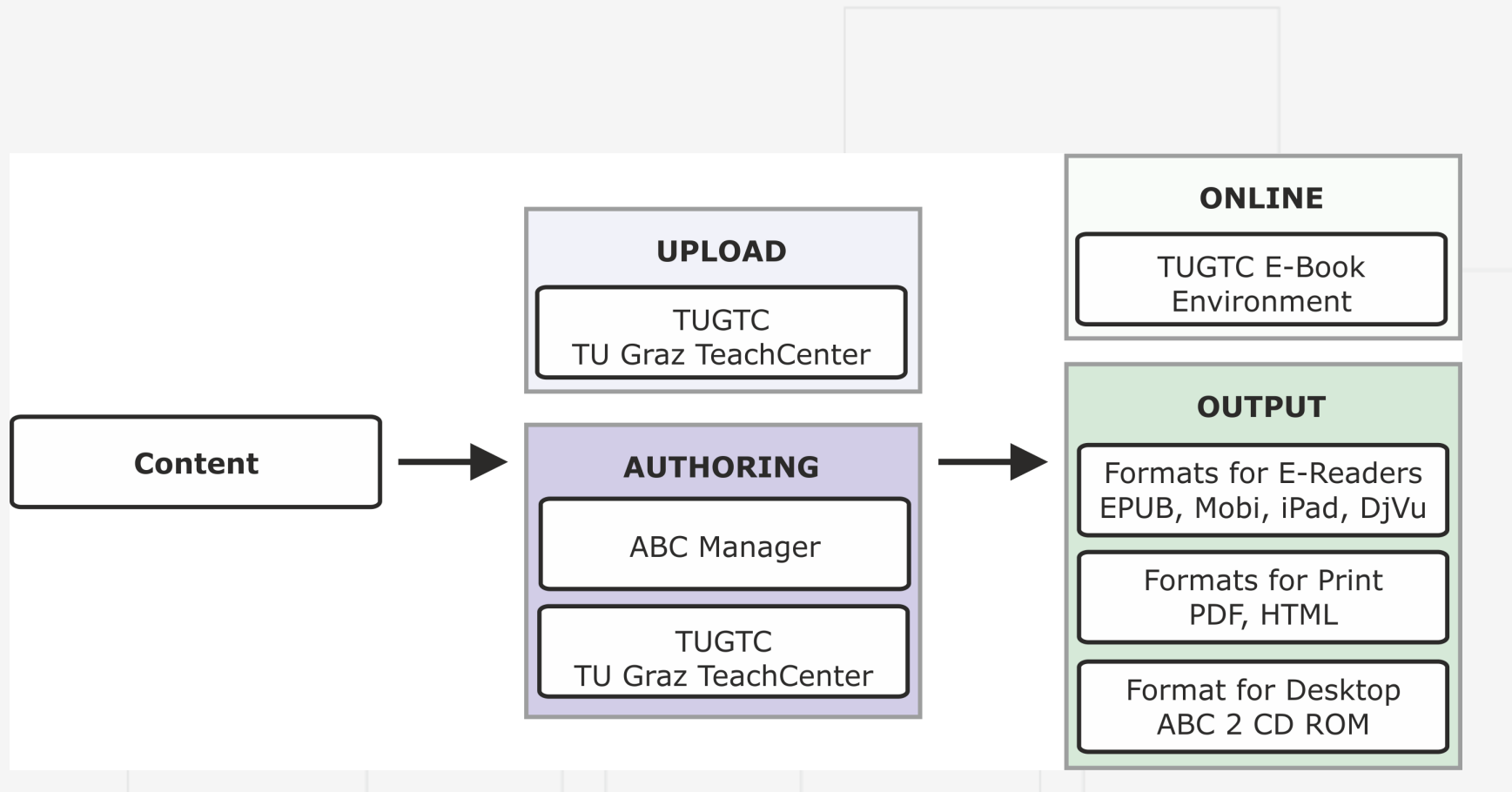
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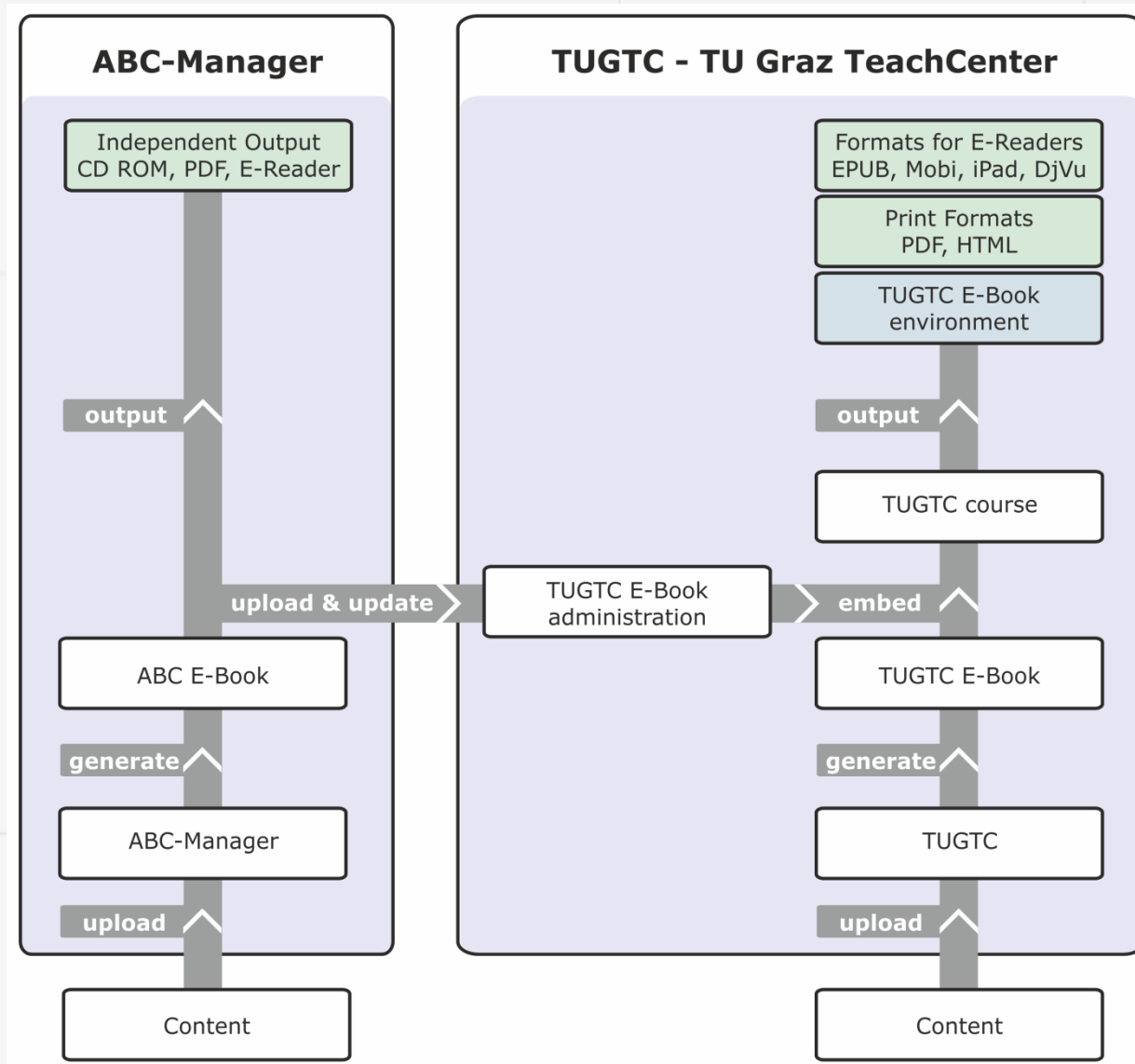
# TU Graz Teaching and Learning Service System



# E-Book and E-Reader at TU Graz - Overall



# E-Book and E-Reader at TU Graz - Workflow



# The TU Graz ABC-Manager

- Online authoring tool for e-books
- <http://ebook.tugraz.at/abc/>

The screenshot displays the TU Graz ABC-Manager interface, which is used for creating and managing e-books. The interface is organized into several main sections:

- Navigation:** Located at the top, it includes menus for 'Hauptmenü', 'Screens', 'Courses', 'Output', 'E-Book', 'Hilfe', 'Kursinhalte', and 'Kurseinstellungen'.
- Content Preview:** On the left side, there are three preview windows:
  - PageRank Example 7: Google Bombing:** Shows a graph and associated code.
  - Video\_qrtxt\_Verbesserungen\_H263:** Displays a QR code and text about video improvements.
  - Video\_pictxt\_MPEGKompression\_1:** Shows a diagram of video frames and text about MPEG compression.
- Course Management:** The central area is divided into two main sections:
  - Neuer Kurs (New Course):** Shows a hierarchical tree structure for a course titled 'Multimediale Informationssysteme I (MMI)'. The tree includes folders like 'Vorlesungsskriptum', 'Internet', 'Informationssysteme', 'Suchmaschinen', 'Geschichte', 'Einteilung', 'Einteilung von Suchmaschinen', 'Indexsuchdienste', 'Katalogsuchdienste', 'Metasuchmaschine', 'Agents', 'Recommendation Systems', 'Reihung von Suchergebnissen', 'Suche nach Multimediadaten', 'Markup Languages', 'Digital Images', 'Digital Audio', 'Einführung', 'Digitale Darstellung von Tönen', 'Audio\_pictxt\_AD\_Wandlung\_1', 'Audio\_tbltxt\_AD\_Wandlung\_2', 'Audio\_pictxt\_AD\_Wandlung\_3', 'Kompression', 'Akustikmodell', 'Kompression', 'Digital Video', and 'Web 2.0'.
  - Bestehender Kurs (Existing Course):** Shows a list of existing courses, including 'Quick Start e-Learning 2.0 (EMweb2)' with sub-items like 'E-Learning 2.0', 'Rollout', 'RSS', 'Abstract', 'Weblogs Eng', 'Wikis Eng', 'WIKI Eng', 'Wikipedia Eng', 'Wiki Systems', 'Bauwiki', 'Podcasting Eng', 'Web 2.0 Live Eng', and 'e-Learning an der TU'.

# TU Graz - TeachCenter

- LMS of TU Graz (Learning Management System)
- <http://tugtc.tugraz.at>

Anonymous Student

LOGIN | MAP | MY COURSES  
DIARY

TeachCenter  
★★★★★ [Total:17/Average:4.2]

TASKS  
 Erste Schritte mit dem TeachCenter  
 Lehrveranstaltung

RECENT CHANGES  
● Evaluierung Podcasting -03.09.2010  
● Content Manager -31.08.2010  
● preview.jpg -30.08.2010  
● Demo Meinungsfrage -16.08.2010

ADDITIONAL TOOLS  
 Recent Visitors (0)  
 Personal Files (12.08.2009)  
 Content Manager (31.08.2010)  
 Course Community (1)  
 Tutoring (26.08.2009)  
 Course Library  
 Opinion Poll  
 Glossary (07.08.2009)  
 Programming (29.04.2010)  
 Calendar (17.02.2010)

September 2010  
Su Mo Tu We Th Fr Sa  
01 02 03 04 05  
06 07 08 09 10 11 12  
13 14 15 16 17 18 19  
20 21 22 23 24 25 26  
27 28 29 30

Blog: 1/7

Widget Collection:  
Course Calendar  
Weather  
RSS Microblog  
RSS (Normal Blog)  
RSS (TC Course)  
Announcements (TC Course)

ALBUMS  
Demo Album

RSS FEEDS  
This Course  
e-Learning Blog 23.07.2010  
Twine Elearning 07.08.2009

ONLINE USERS

POSITIONEN UND QR-CODES

Im Schwarzen Brett können auch Positionen angegeben werden:  
Wer kennt diesen Ort?  
Und wer kann diesen QR-Code lesen?

Auflösung des QR-Codes:

Author: Mag. Walther Nagler (06.08.2009)

HILFE - ANLEITUNG ZUM TU GRAZ TEACHCENTER


Werte Einsteiger und Benutzer des TU Graz TeachCenters,  
Eine Hilfestellung (PDF) zur Bedienung des TU Graz TeachCenters wurde an verschiedenen Stellen implementiert.

Die AG Vernetztes Lernen ist bemüht, diese Hilfe stetig zu verbessern und zu vervollständigen.  
Geben Sie uns Rückmeldungen und kontaktieren Sie uns bei Fragen:  
tugtc@tugraz.at

Ihre AG Vernetztes Lernen


Author: Walther Nagler (09.08.2007)

# TU Graz – TeachCenter; E-Book Environment


 eBook "Multimediale Informationssysteme I" [AdminWalther-administrator]
 
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Vorlesungsskriptum **Douglas Engelbart - The Mouse Turns 40** [Annotate](#)

"I don't know why we call it a mouse. It started that way and we never changed it."




Weitere Videos von den vielen Aktivitäten von Douglas Engelbart sind hier verfügbar.

- Internet
  - Geschichte
    - [history] Vannevar Bush 1945
    - [history] Leonard Kleinrock 1961
    - [history] Joseph Licklider 1962
    - [video] The History of Internet
    - [history] Lawrence Roberts 1965
    - 1967: ARPANET - Teil 1
    - 1967: ARPANET - Teil 2
    - 1967 - ARPANET Teil 3
    - [history] Ray Tomlinson 1972
    - [video] How The Network Works
    - [history] TCP/IP 1974 Teil 1
    - [history] TCP/IP 1974 Teil 2
    - [history] TCP/IP 1974 Teil 3
    - Anzahl der Computer
    - [history] Kommerzialisierung
    - [history] Tim Berners-Lee 1980
    - Internet Heute - Teil 1
    - Internet Heute - Teil 2
  - Technische Grundlagen
    - Internet Technik - Teil 1
    - DNS - Teil 1
    - DNS - Teil 2
    - TCP/IP - Teil 1
    - TCP/IP - Teil 2
    - Dienste im Internet
    - Protokolle - Teil 1
    - Protokolle - Teil 2
- Informationssysteme
  - Einführung
    - Definition Informationssystem
    - Informationssystem generell
  - Geschichte
    - [history] Hypertext
    - [history] XANADU
    - [history] Informationssysteme - Teil 1
    - [video] The Mouse Turns 40
    - [history] Informationssysteme - Teil 2
    - [history] Informationssysteme - Teil 3
    - [history] Informationssysteme - Teil 4
    - [history] Informationssysteme - Teil 5
    - [history] Informationssysteme - Teil 6
  - Suchmaschinen
  - Markup Languages
  - Digital Images
  - Digital Audio
  - Digital Video
  - Web 2.0

Example:

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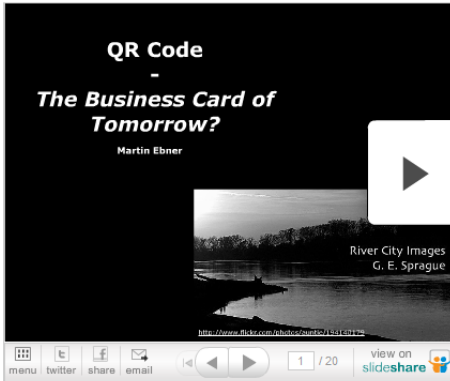
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- Internet
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- Suchmaschinen
- Markup Languages
- Digital Images
- Digital Audio
- Digital Video
- Web 2.0
  - Einführung Web 2.0
  - Wachstumsprognosen
  - RSS und RSS-Anwendungen
  - Weblogs
  - Wikis
    - WIKI
    - WikiPedia
    - Wiki Systeme
  - Podcasting
    - Podcasting
    - Anwendungsbeispiele
  - Web 2.0 Live
    - Weitere Web 2.0 Applikation
    - Flickr
    - YouTube
    - Social Bookmarking
    - ... die unendliche Geschichte
    - [presentation] Microblogging
    - [presentation] QR Codes
    - [presentation] Digital Natives
- Ausblick
  - Inhalte Lernschritt 1/3/5: Ausblick
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  - Nils September
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**QR Codes**



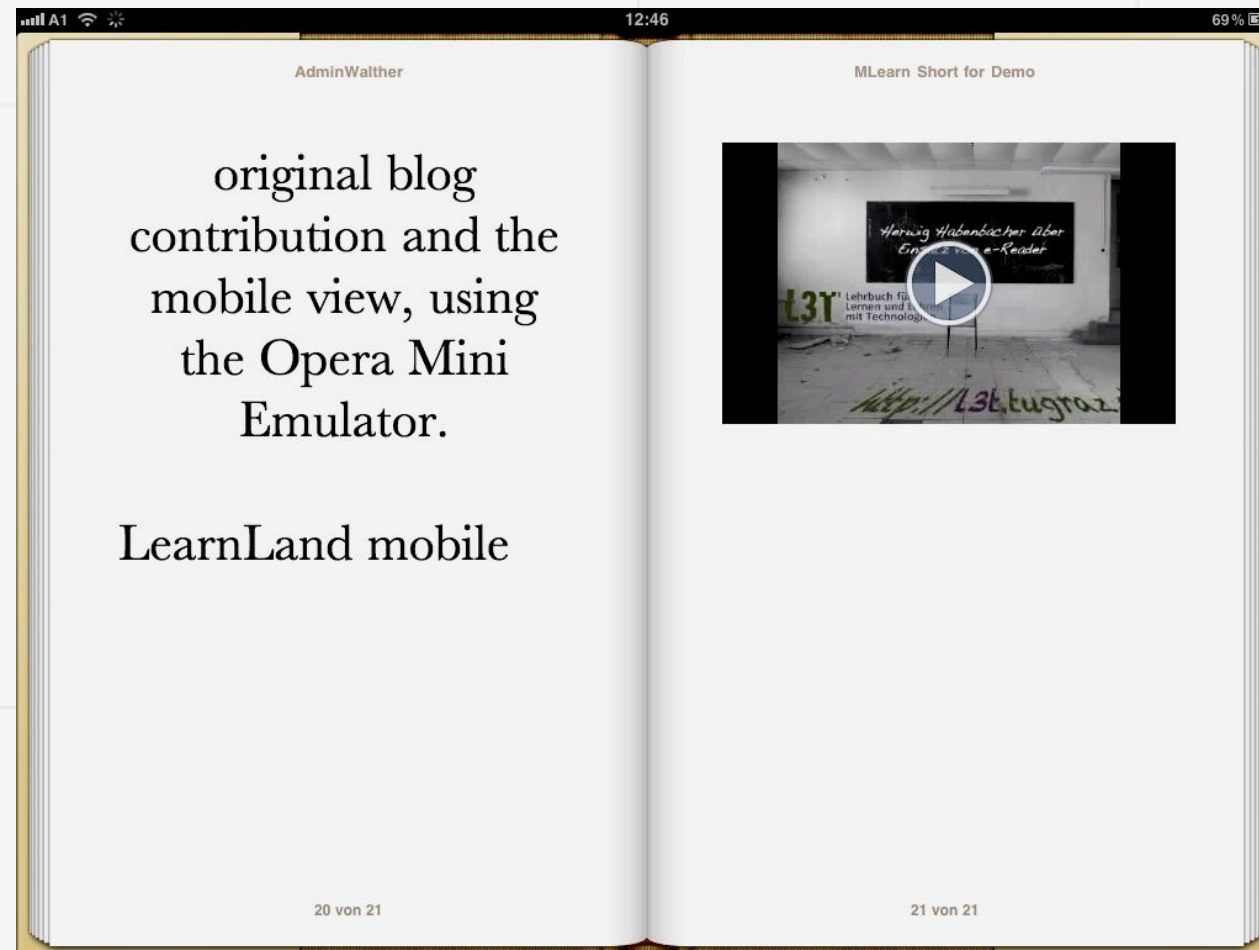
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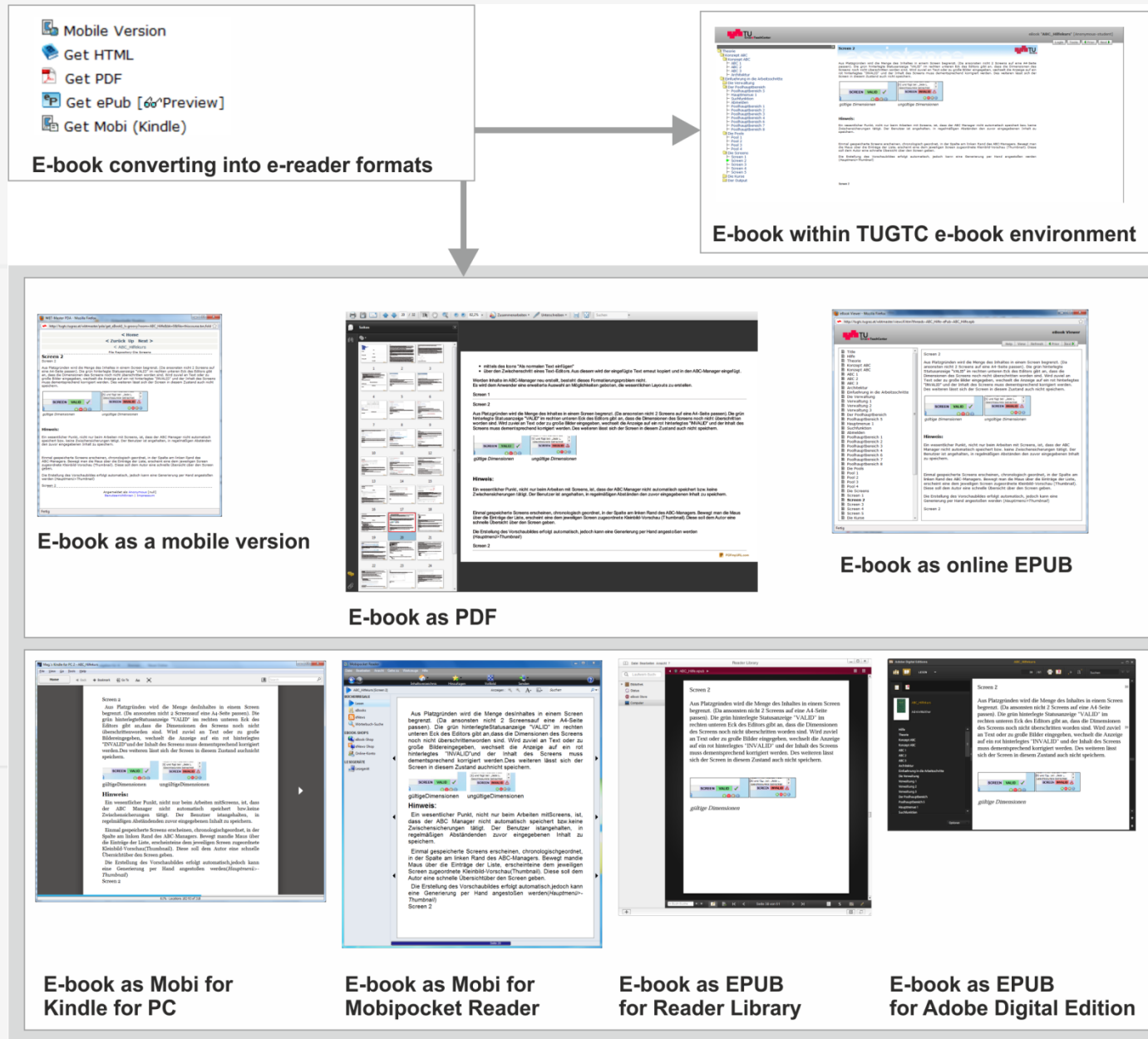
Vorlesungsskriptum - Web 2.0 - Web 2.0 Live

# TU Graz –E-Books for Mobile Devices

E-Book example as EPUB on iPad with embedded YouTube



# Output variants of content on TU Graz TeachCenter





# Online Generation of E-Books using ABC-Manager

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- **Concept**
  - Splitting content into microcontent = screens
  - Saving screens in screen-pools
  - Merging screens to courses
  - Generating output formats of courses
- **Didactics**
  - Preparing content in regard to its importance (ABC-concept)
  - Fixed layout (no scrolling, different designs)
  - Editing with a WYSIWYG editor (Tiny MCE)
  - Structure of three levels
- **Multiple outputs**
  - Online: Upload to TUGTC E-Book administration environment
  - E-Reader Fromats
  - CD ROM Version
  - PDF

# Online Generation of E-Books and E-Reader Formats using TU Graz TeachCenter

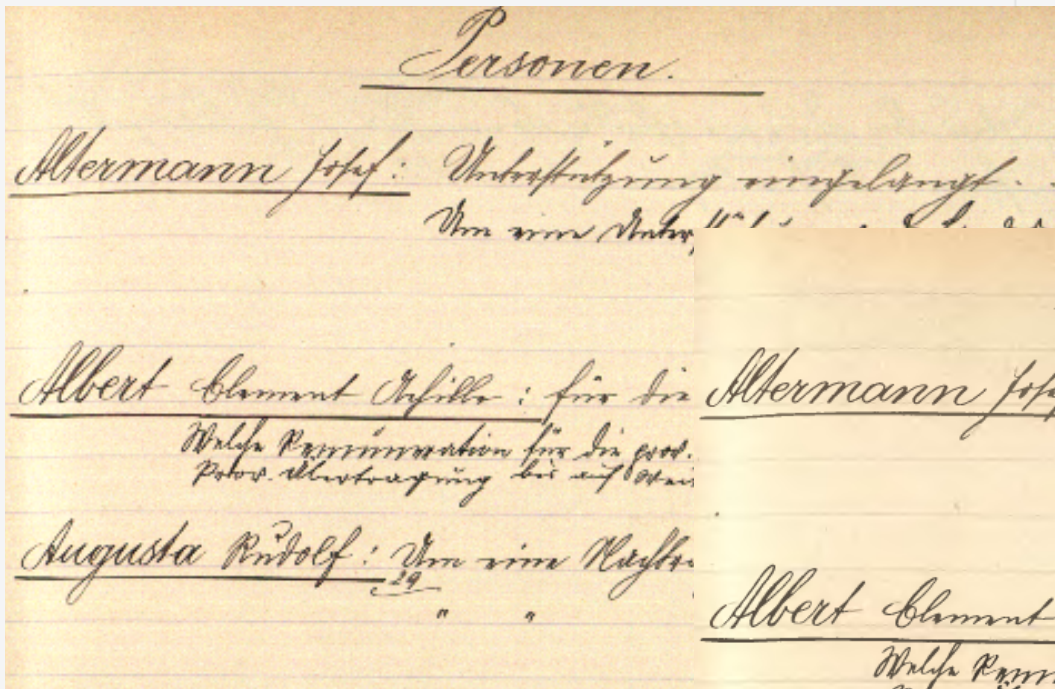
- ABC E-Books within TU Graz TeachCenter
  - [Upload / Update ABC-e-books using E-Books administration environment](#)
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  - [Upload and convert e-books from content from local drive](#)
  - [or from content on TUGTC](#)
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  - E-reader converter for any content

# Output variants of content on TU Graz TeachCenter

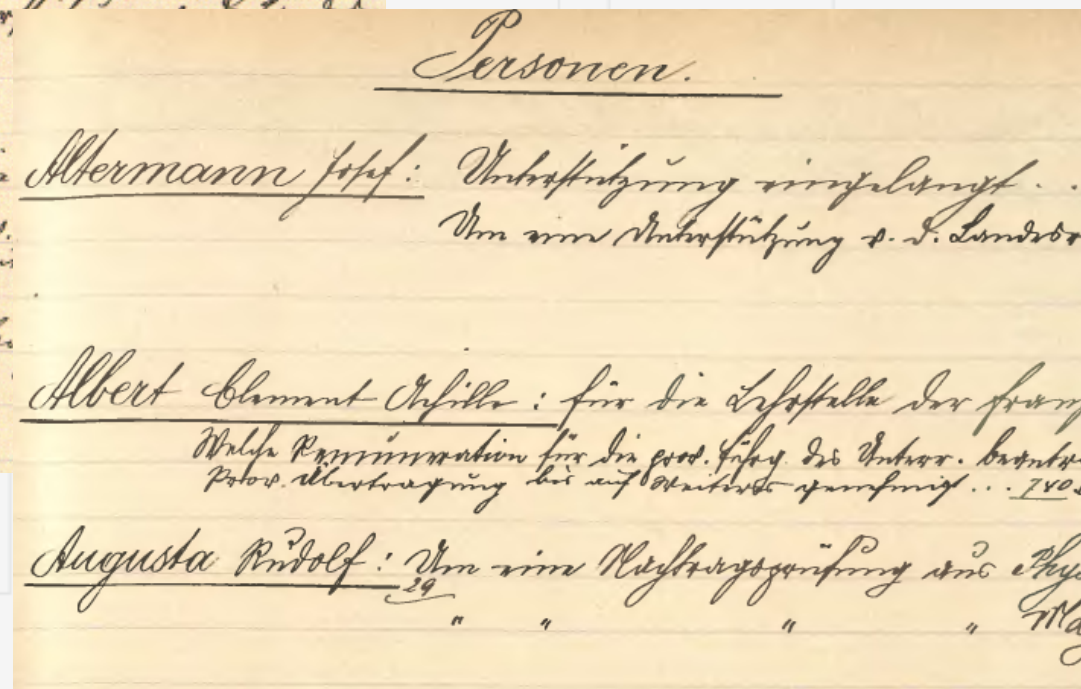
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- Basic and special print functionalities
  - Button "Get PDF and Mobi/Kindle" as a standard print functionality
  - Button "Get EPUB"
- Extended print functionality
  - Embedded within E-book generation and administration environment
  - Embedded within E-reader generation environment
  - Formats:
    - PDF
    - HTML (for offline version)
    - E-reader Version 1: EPUB (iPad)
    - E-reader Version 2: Mobipocket (Kindle, ...)
    - Mobile Version (iPhone, ...)

# Do you see the difference? - From 5GB to 8MB



Original scan – 5 GB



Scan converted to DjVu format – 8 MB

# From 5GB to 8MB - Special interest on format DjVu

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- Format DjVu

DjVu (pronounced "déjà vu") is a digital document format with **advanced compression technology** and high performance value. DjVu allows for the distribution on the Internet and on DVD of very high resolution images of **scanned documents**, digital documents, and photographs. DjVu viewers are available for the **web browser, the desktop, and PDA** devices.

- Compatible with Windows, Apple and Android Systems

- Learn about:

<http://djvu.org/>

- Viewer and Converter:

<http://home.arcor.de/mag12/computer/DjVu.htm>

# Future aspects on e-books and e-readers

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- Evaluate habits of students according to e-readers
- Optimize output for different e-reader versions
- Optimization of ABC-Manager
- More open content e-books





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