Guided Research: Analyzing the usage of a video annotation tool

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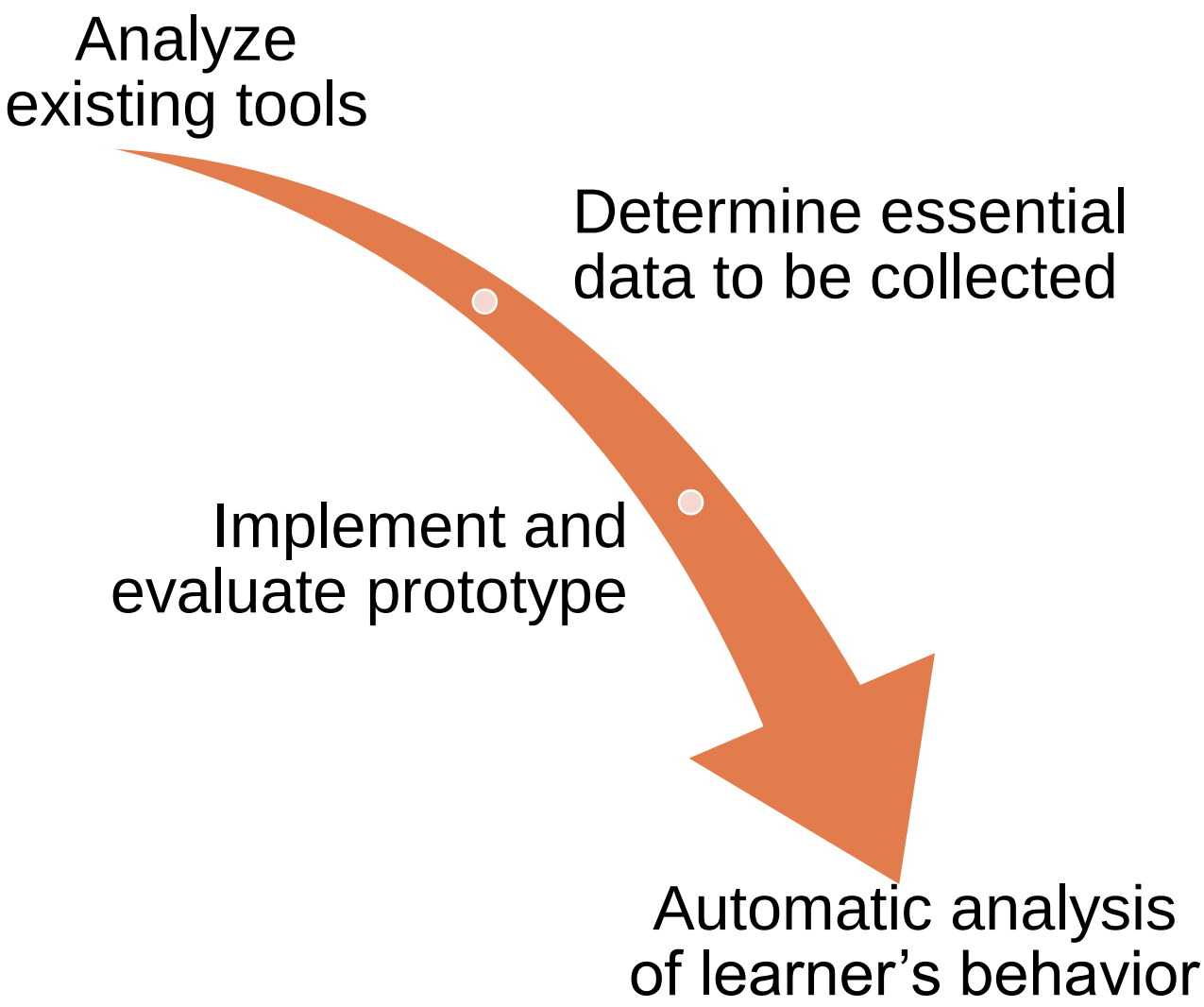
Problem description

- Analyzing different video annotation tools on their effects on learners behavior
- Comparing user interfaces and ways of giving feedback to the user
- Determine essential data for measuring positive/negative effects
- Automatically collect and analyze this data in our own prototype

Goal


Analyze existing tools
Determine essential data to be collected
Implement and evaluate prototype
Automatic analysis of learner's behavior

Current Status

Comparison

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	VideoANT	VideoNot.es	Mediathread	Matterhorn
File formats	YouTube, .mp4, .flv	YouTube, .mp4	Videos, Images, …	Upload only
Storage	Website	GoogleDrive	Website	Website
Synchronization	No	No	Yes	Yes
Live stream	Yes	Yes	No	Yes
Interface-Complexity	Simple	Simple	Intermediate	Complex

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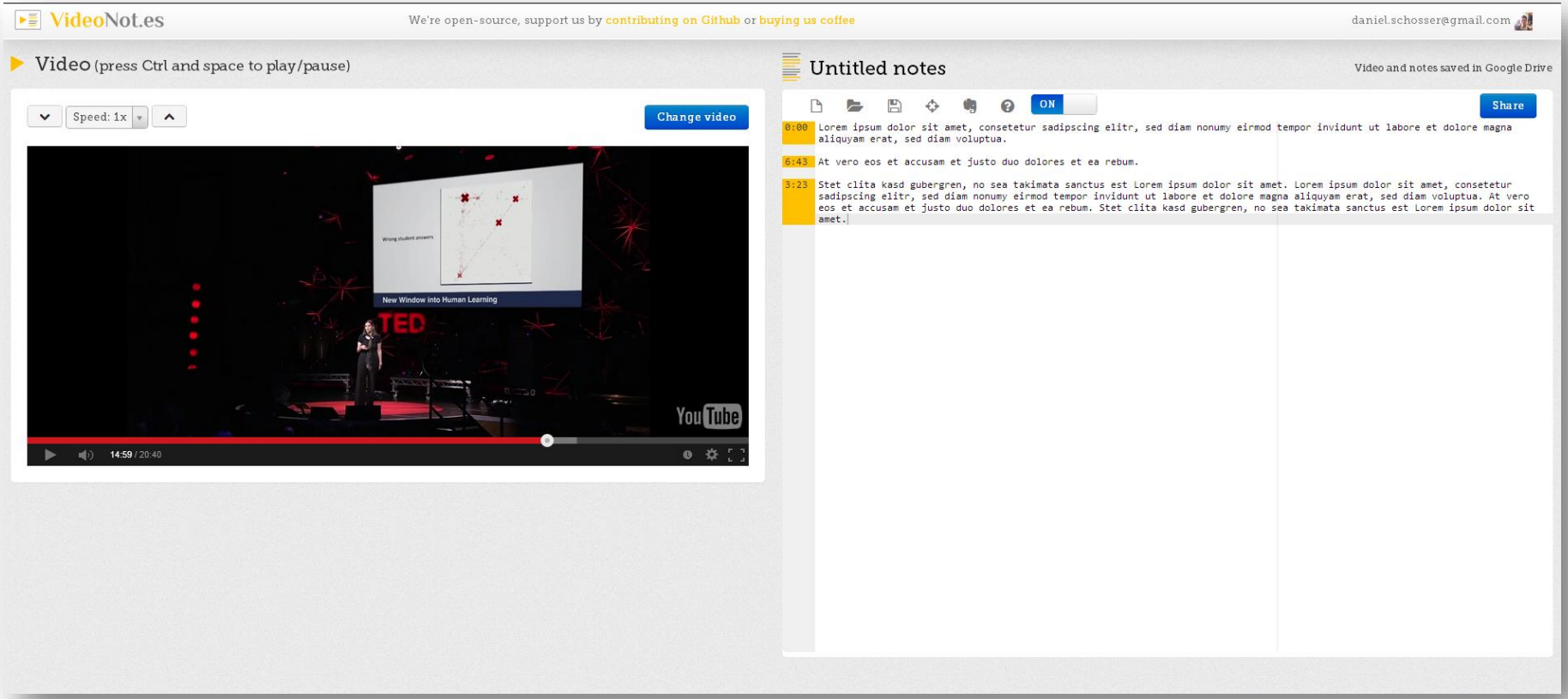
VideoNot.es



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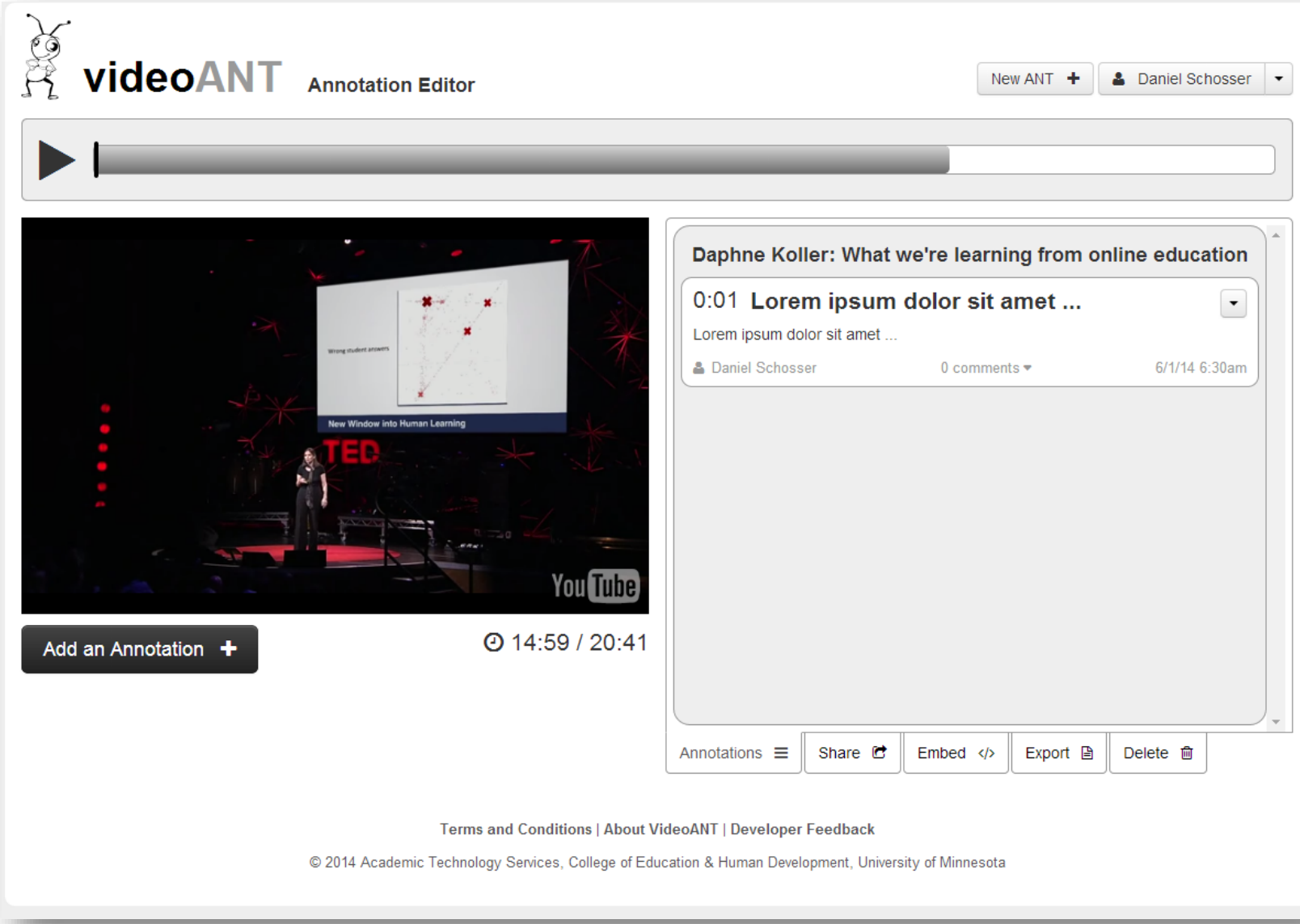

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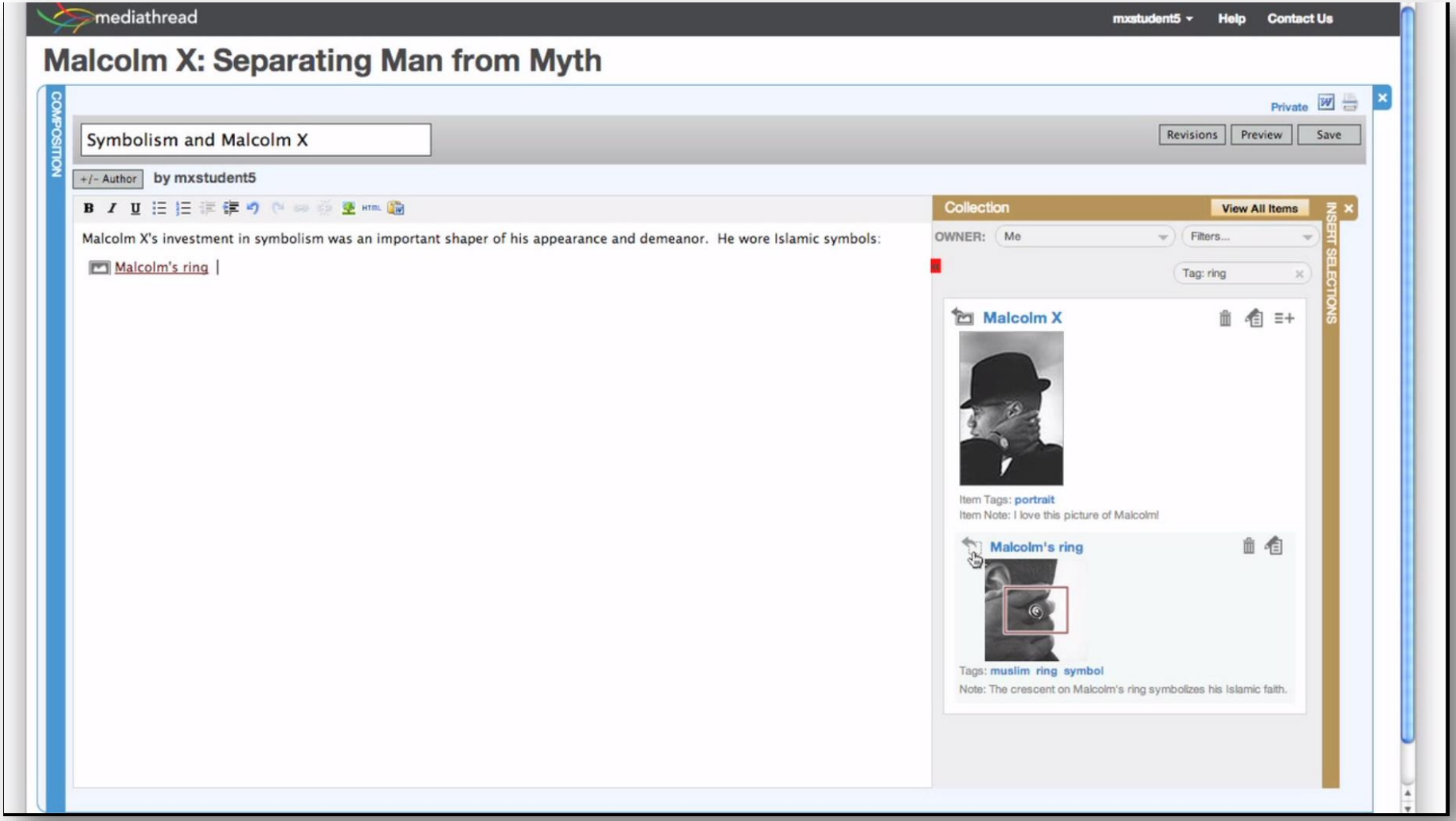
Mediathread



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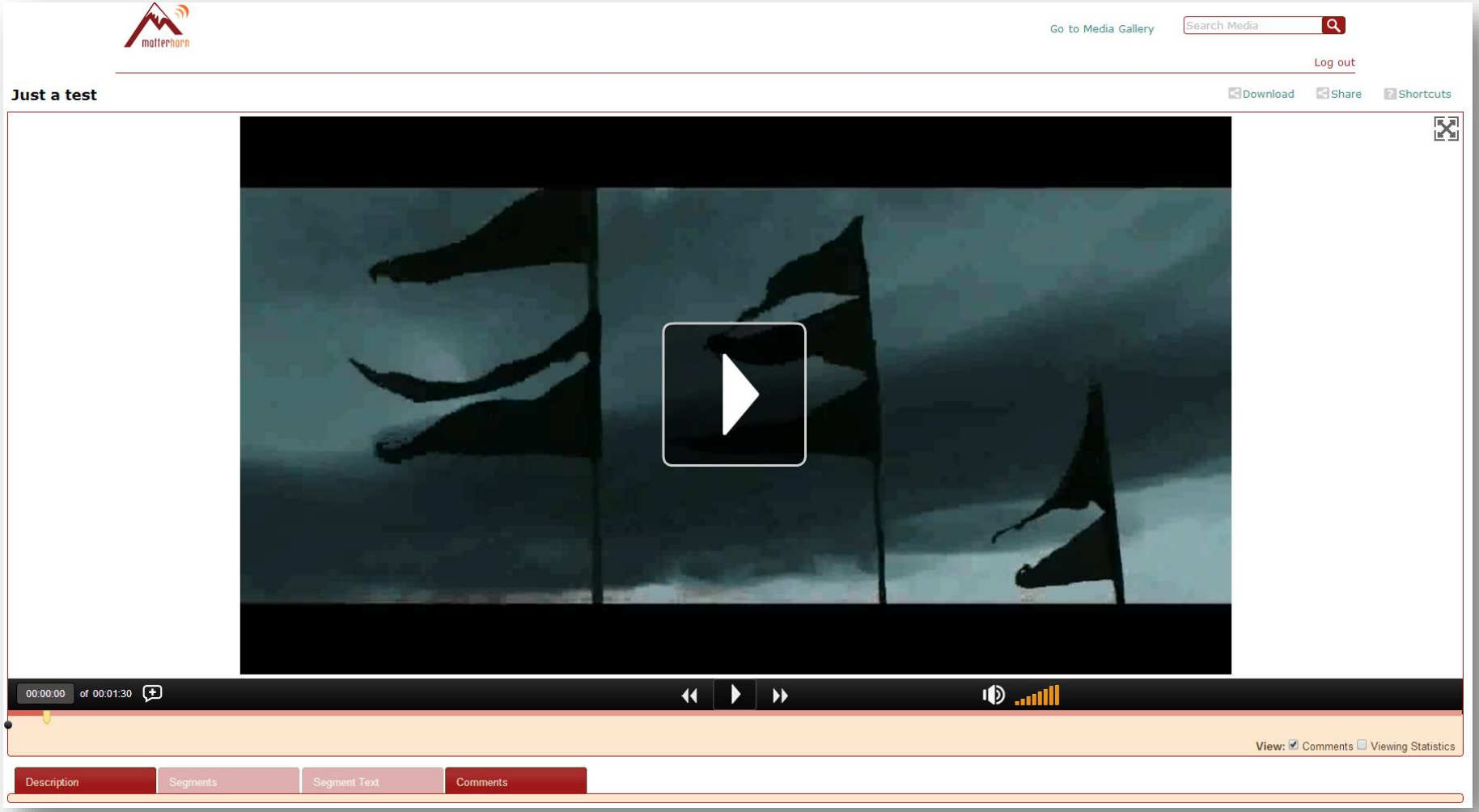
Matterhorn



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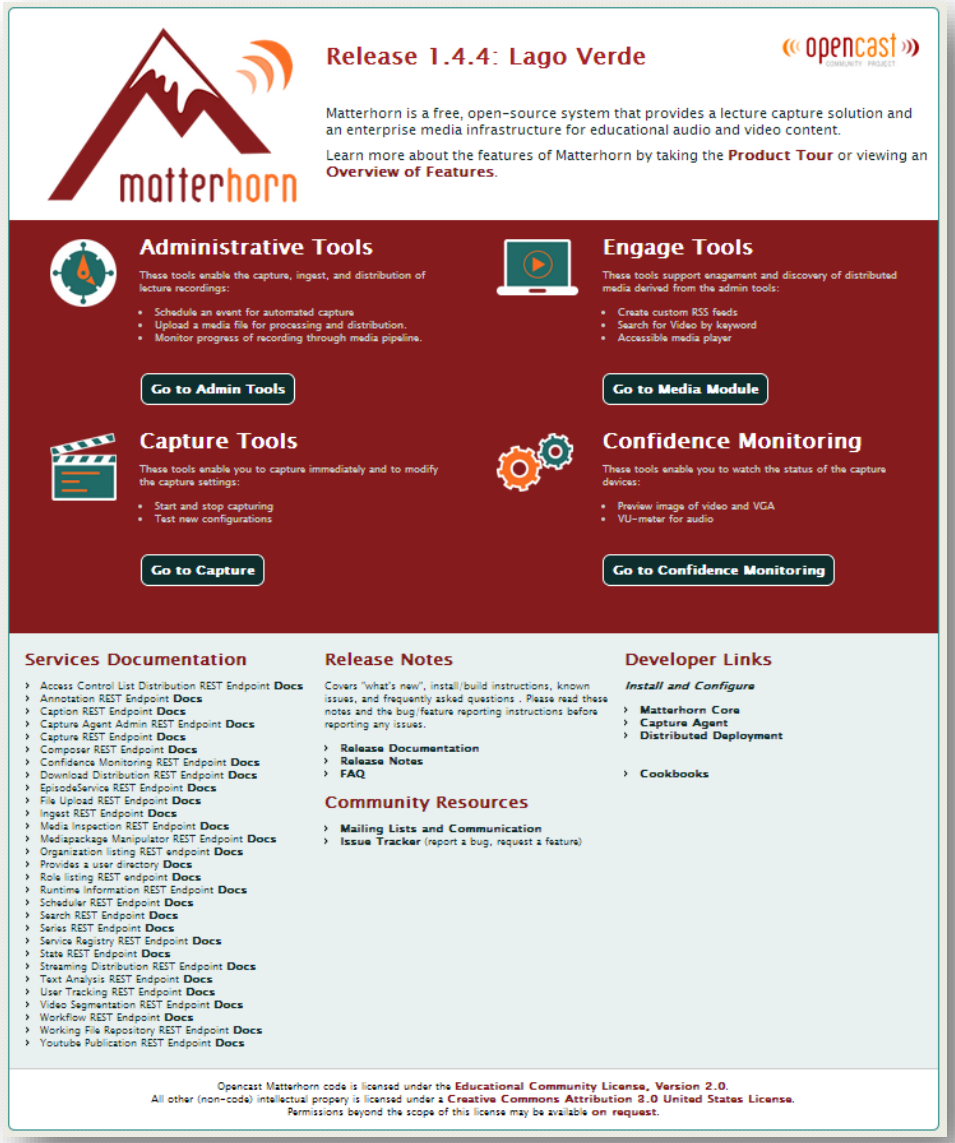
Matterhorn Complexity



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Prototype

- Based on application from Master Lab course (WS 2013/2014)
- Rebuild into a light-version
  - Removed unnecessary features
  - Made it more generic
  - Replaced Login/Register functionality

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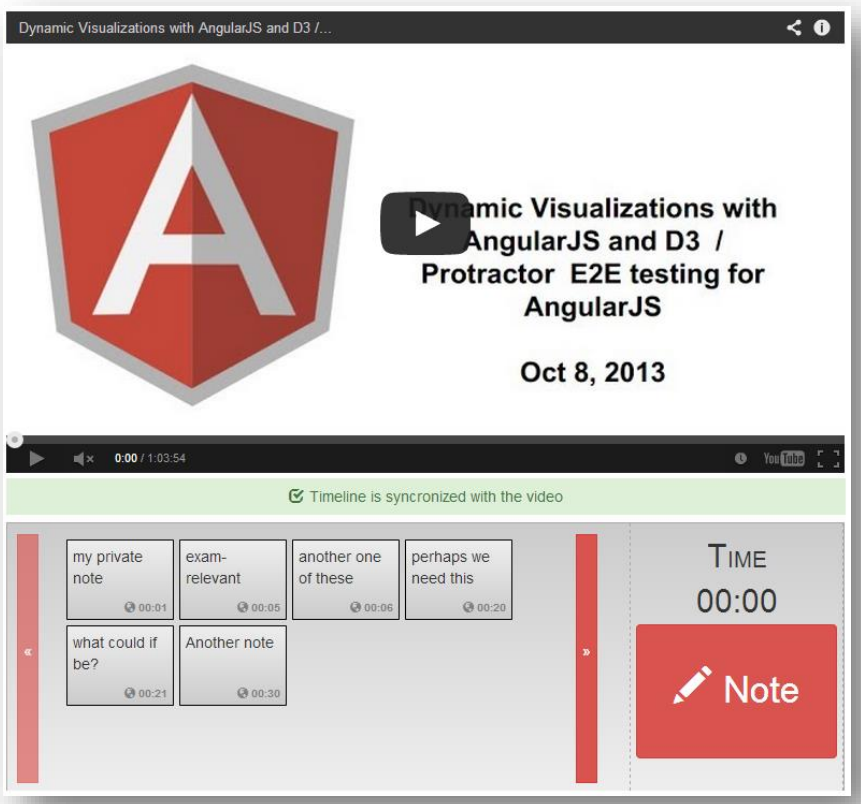

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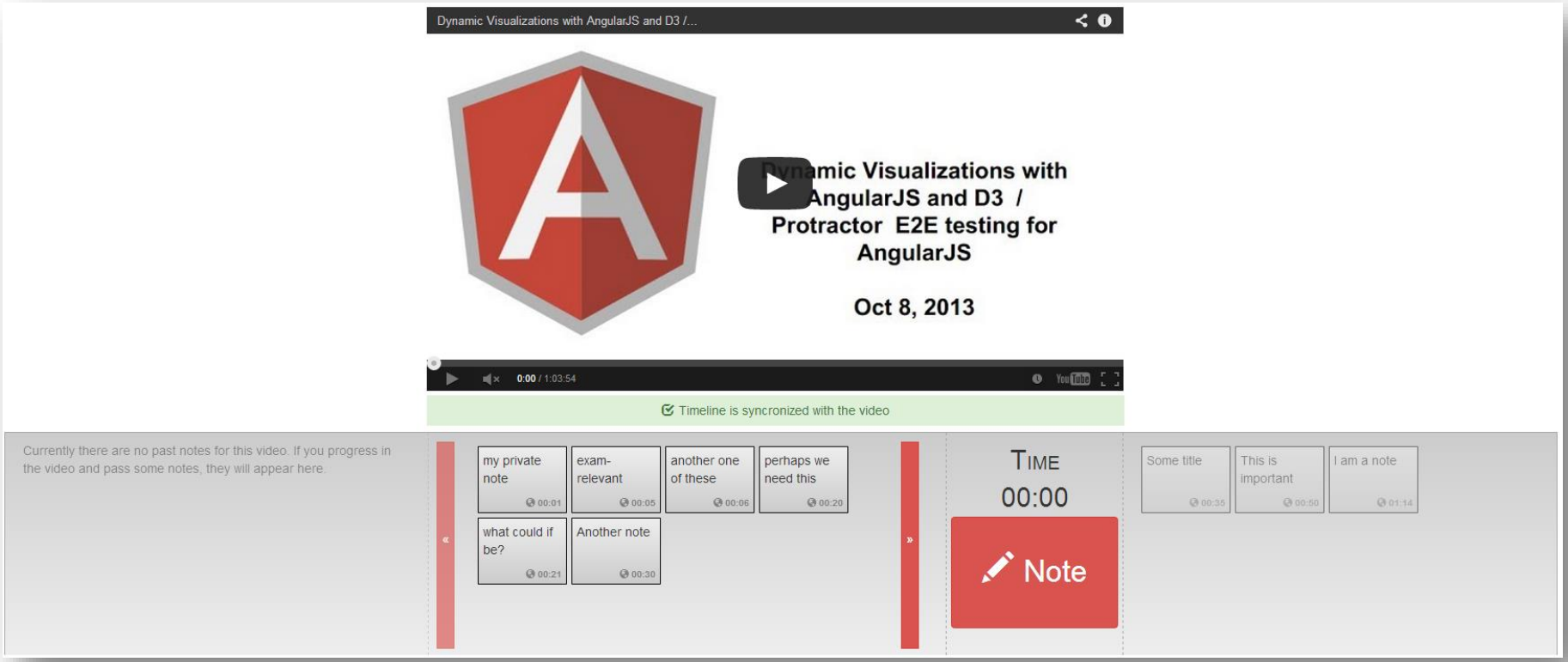

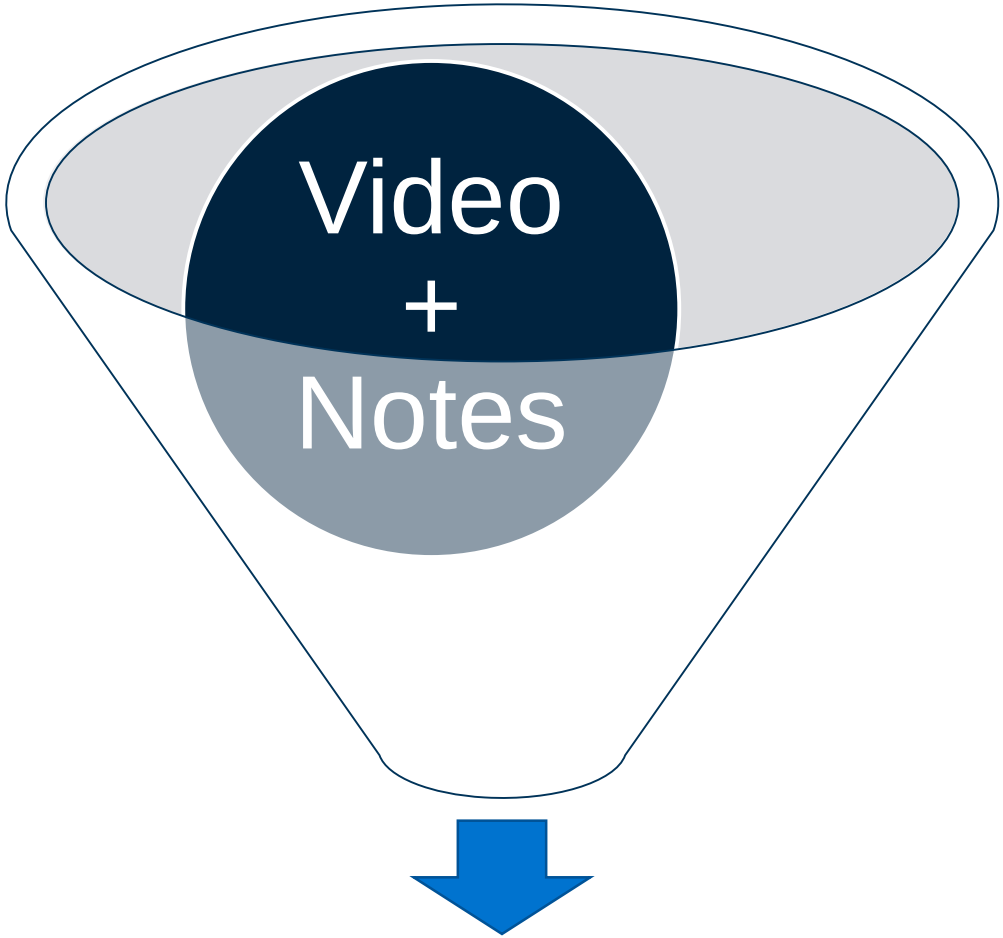
Video
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Notes
Website

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Dependencies

- Internet-connection
- Streaming-Software (Hangouts, OpenBroadcaster Software, XSplit …)
- YouTube API for Live stream

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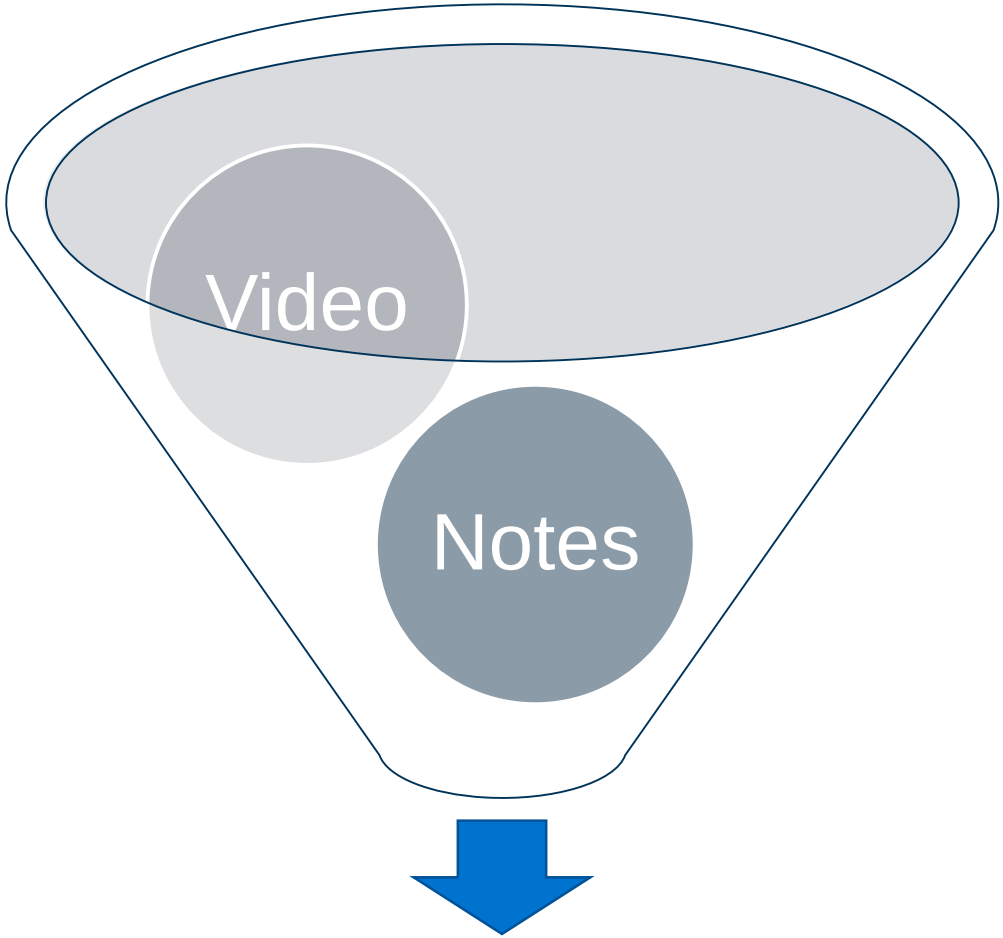
Second Use case



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Essential Data

Why do people use certain features in one tool, and not in another?

- Are people aware of the feature?
- Is it too difficult too use?
- Is there any benefit from using that feature?
- How do they use a feature?

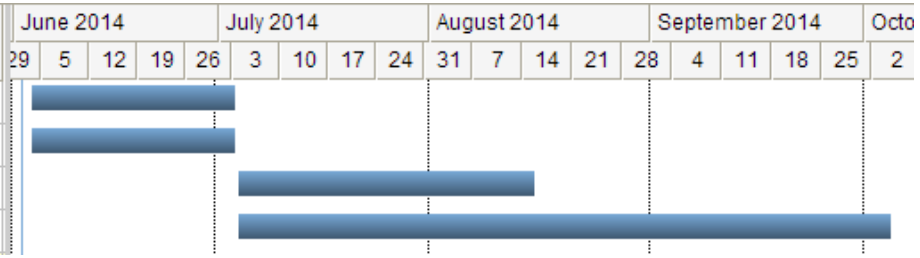
How can this be improved?

Next Steps

- Define what data to collect
- Implement second use case
  - Provide another interface for the live note trackers
  - Determine how to synchronize video with notes
  - Determine how to stream video from third party server
- Testing
- Write a scientific paper

Gantt Chart

Name	Start	Finish
Analyzing & Collecting Data	06/02/2014	06/30/2014
Developing Prototype	06/02/2014	06/30/2014
Testing	07/01/2014	08/11/2014
Writing scientific paper	07/01/2014	09/30/2014



Thank you for your attention!

Any questions?