Abstract

In recent years, the social media have become very famous and widely used in the internet world, especially among youth users. Social media provide an online digital tool (platform) or websites for users to create online communities to share information, experience, ideas, vent emotions, opinions, and other user-generated data, usually for social purposes among people. Social media sites such as Twitter, Facebook, LinkedIn, Google+, YouTube, and MySpace. When I talk to internet users about social media use, the overwhelming majority of users only think about Facebook. They understand Facebook is equal to social media. Very few people know the exact meaning of social media. Social media have proliferated and evolved into many shapes and forms. That's why it's necessary to study the different social media and how to classify and understand social media research. Most of the researchers are not aware of the exact phenomenon of SM and how to face research problems in SM. This research paper highlights the social media phenomenon, classification, and SM research.
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