

Dear editor,

Please find attached our paper "Characterization and Analysis of User Profiles in Online Video Sharing Systems" that we are submitting to JIDM - Journal of Information and Data Management.

Part of the results of the manuscript was published in Portuguese as a paper namely "Avaliação do Perfil de Acesso e Navegação de Usuários em Ambientes Web de Compartilhamento de Vídeos" at the Brazilian Symposium of Multimedia Systems and Web (webmedia) in 2009. Our paper was invited to be submitted and appear on the second edition of JIDM.

In addition to be translated to English, the present work provides a more in-depth study of user navigation and access patterns. Next, we provide a detailed list of our modifications:

- We translated the paper from Portuguese to English.
- In Section 1 we added new discussions that motivate our work.
- Section 2 was updated with new references.
- Section 4.6 and Figure 5 are new.

Please feel free to contact me if you need any additional information.

Yours Sincerely,

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