

iCollab Google Map

*a collaborative Google Map linking student projects
hosted on the web with their original context via geolocation*

ACTIVITY 1. Add yourself to the iCollab Google map

1. Check your NUIG email for a message with link to iCollab Google map (*if you have not received this, please email me & I will send you a link*).
2. Open the map & click “Save to My Places” so you can return to the map easily.
3. Check the academic staff & students who’ve already added themselves to the map – click links to get more information about each person.
4. Now you can create Points of Interest (POIs). Begin with your **profile POI**:
 - a) Zoom in to NUI Galway & click **Edit**
 - b) Click the blue placemark icon 
 - c) Move the cursor to the appropriate location (if you want to dismiss this placemark, press Escape)
 - d) Click to place your placemark – it should bounce into place
 - e) Change the placemark to a person/profile icon (not a blue bubble)
 - f) Add your information:
 - **Title** = your name
 - **Description** = information about you including a brief bio (include #ct231 & your degree name) and links to your work/social media that you’d like to share, e.g. Twitter name, blog, photos, video, etc.
 - **Important!** Use the Rich Text Editor or HTML editor to hyperlink all links so that people viewing your profile can click through to them.
5. Click **OK** to save when you are finished.
6. To edit information on a POI, select the POI by finding it on the map or on the list in the left window and then click the **Edit** button. Change/add information and **Save**.
7. You can create other POIs on the map that point to web-based content/presentations in context (e.g. images, audio, videos, etc.).

ACTIVITY 2. Create a mobile augmented reality world using Wikitude

Follow the instructions in this iCollab blog post:

<http://icollab.wordpress.com/2013/10/30/welcome-all-to-the-icollab-project-2013/>