

# pod Client References

Abdul Latif Jameel Poverty Action Lab, MIT

- Poverty Action Lab website ([www.povertyactionlab.org](http://www.povertyactionlab.org))
  - JPAL engaged pod to update their website to better showcase their research and accomplishments to a globally distributed network of researchers, practitioners, and government officials. Pod rebuilt the website on the Drupal platform, adding sophisticated searching and mapping tools to help visitors navigate the wealth of content on the site.
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Harvard University, Faculty Development and Diversity

- FDD website ([faculty.harvard.edu](http://faculty.harvard.edu))
  - The Faculty Development and Diversity office at the Office of the Provost at Harvard University had a need to replace an aging and difficult to maintain static website within a very short period of time and with a limited budget. Pod worked with FDD to successfully develop a content managed website on time and on budget
- FDD Geomap (launch Q4 2010)
  - From the 2010 Annual Report of the Office of the Senior Vice Provost, Faculty Development and Diversity:

*Many Harvard faculty members live near each other. But in our mobile fast-paced world, most faculty simply have no way of knowing. To facilitate the informal social connections that many faculty—especially new and younger faculty—seek, the Office of Faculty Development and Diversity (FD&D) is developing a Faculty Geomap: an online geographically organized networking tool that allows faculty to learn about and get in touch with each other.*

*Eligible faculty will be able to access the Geomap using their HUID/Pin. Once authenticated, faculty will be asked to opt in and create a user profile. The user profile will start with office address, home address, and other contact information, and faculty will be able to add other information, such as number (and ages) of children, commuting preferences, and personal/professional interests. The application allows faculty to search on these attributes and users can view results either by list or by map; it will also have an email feature allowing faculty to contact each other individually or in groups.*

The Faculty Geomap integrates with Harvard's PIN system for authentication and with Harvard's LDAP directory for authorization and to populate user profiles. It uses the Google Maps API for mapping services and Drupal as the underlying platform. All development was done onsite at Harvard due to security restrictions around using directory data.

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Harvard University, Berkman Center for Internet and Society

- Herdict Web ([www.herdict.org](http://www.herdict.org))

- The Berkman Center for Internet and Society was interested in developing a web application and associated technology that allowed them to engage the worldwide community of internet users to address the question of internet censorship. Pod was engaged to drive the functional discussion for this entirely new concept, to develop a compelling interactive user interface (along with Emtree) and to build out the web application that supports this important function. Since the initial highly successful launch of the website the Berkman Center has secured funding to significantly expand Herdict and has engaged pod to help with this effort.
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Harvard University, Law Lab at the Berkman Center for Internet and Society

- Digital LLC ([dev.digitalllc.org](http://dev.digitalllc.org))
  - The Law Lab is exploring platforms for forming virtual digital organizations. They worked with pod to develop an application that allows users to create and run a legally valid LLC (Limited Liability Corporation) online.
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