

# Workshop Notes

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## RESEARCH & VERIFICATION

- Complete our online course on [Investigative Reporting](#)
- Complete our online course on digital [Verification](#)

### Research tools

- [Google Advanced Search](#) - A form to help refine your Search, more details [here](#)
- [Google Scholar](#) - A digital library specifically for academic files and case law reports
- [Google Public Data Explorer](#) - A digital library for researchers, see datasets visualised for you to interpret and embed

### Verification tools

- [Google Reverse Image Search](#) - Help to verify images you find online, on social or via email
- Reverse Image Search with [tineye.com](#)
- Search via multiple social media platforms at once - [Storyful Multisearch](#)
- Search for relevant hashtags on Instagram - [Picodash](#)
- Verify who owns a website - [Who.is](#)
- Amnesty International USA provides 'YouTube Data Viewer'
- [Frame by Frame](#) Chrome extension helps you view each frame of an uploaded video
- Type a location into [GeoSearchTool](#), it'll provide tagged video content from that area
- Check pictures used as a thumbnail on YouTube with this [Reverse Image](#) extension
- Check historical webpages and cached information on [WayBack](#)
- Match sunrise and sunsets on images and videos using [Suncalc.net](#)
- Seek details on permissions for Google tools [here](#)

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## DATA JOURNALISM

- Complete our online course on [Data Journalism](#)
- Google Trends:
  - Compare Search terms in a country and timeframe of your choice
  - Click 'Explore' in the menu on your local site: [google.##/trends](#)
  - Click on the arrow to share, embed or download a CSV file
  - Our Github site: [Google Trends Data store](#)
  - What is Google Trends? - [a blogpost to explain](#)
- Examples:
- Compare Search terms: [The Telegraph compares political figures](#)
- Focusing on the top questions: [BBC Radio 1 looks to North Korea](#)
- Focusing on the top locations: [The Sun heads to Essex](#)

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## IMMERSIVE JOURNALISM

- Complete our course on [Multimedia Journalism](#) techniques

### Immersive Visualisation Examples:

- VR: [The Guardian presents 6x9](#)
- VR: [YLE Kiosk imagines a 'war-torn' Helsinki](#)
- Earth & 360: [South China Morning Post](#)
- 360: [YouTube Creator Academy presents 'How not to shoot in 360'](#)
- 360: [BBC News in Paris](#)
- 360: [KRO-NCRV reports with a 360 perspective](#)
- Storyspheres: [The Washington Post explores immersive audio](#)
  - Immersive tools: [storyspheres.com](#), [thinglink.com](#)
- Go-Pro: [Berliner Morgenpost - bus route M29](#)
- Research: [VR Storyliving](#)

### Deep dive on our Maps:

- Visit [our Geo tools site](#) for assistance on Google Maps, MyMaps and Earth Pro
- Discover data journalism templates on Flourish, and register to use: [here](#)

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## MORE INFORMATION

- Google News Initiative: [g.co/newsinitiative](https://g.co/newsinitiative)
- Google News Initiative Training Centre: [g.co/newstraining](https://g.co/newstraining)