Advanced Network Infrastructure for Distributed Learning and Collaborative Research

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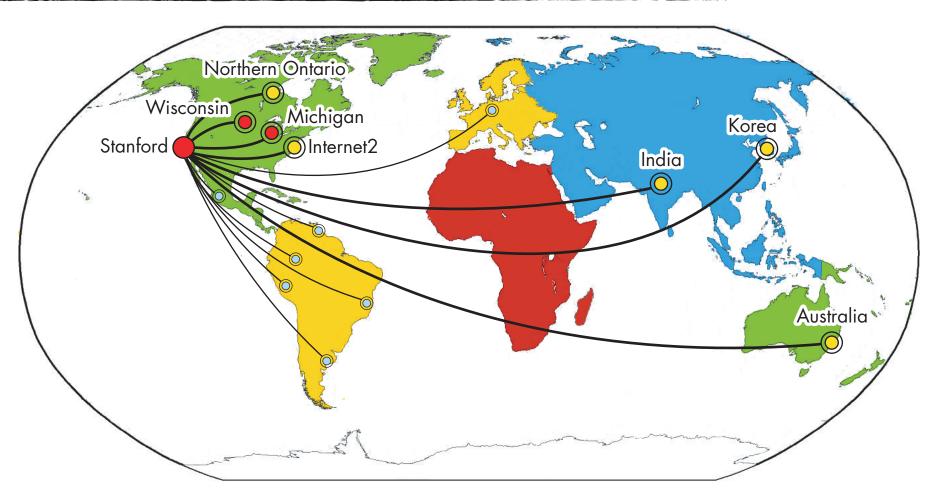








A Collaboration



• A collaboration for Haptic Audio Visual Network for Education and Training (HAVnet)

NLM: Advanced Network Infrastructure in Health and Disaster Management

• Scalable, network aware, real-time technology applications

- Application of these technologies in health care, medical decision-making, public health, large-scale health emergencies, health education, and biomedical, clinical and health services research
 - Testbed networks linking:
 - hospitals, clinics, health practitioners' offices, patients' homes, health professional schools, medical libraries, universities, medical research centers and laboratories, or public health authorities

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Remote Computation & Storage

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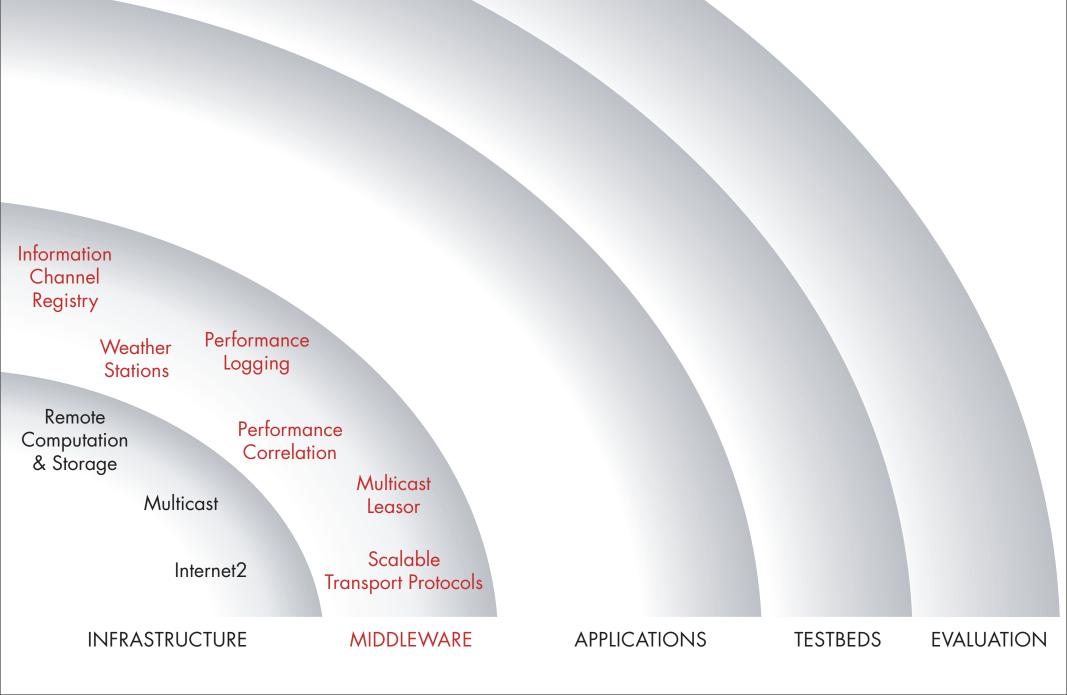
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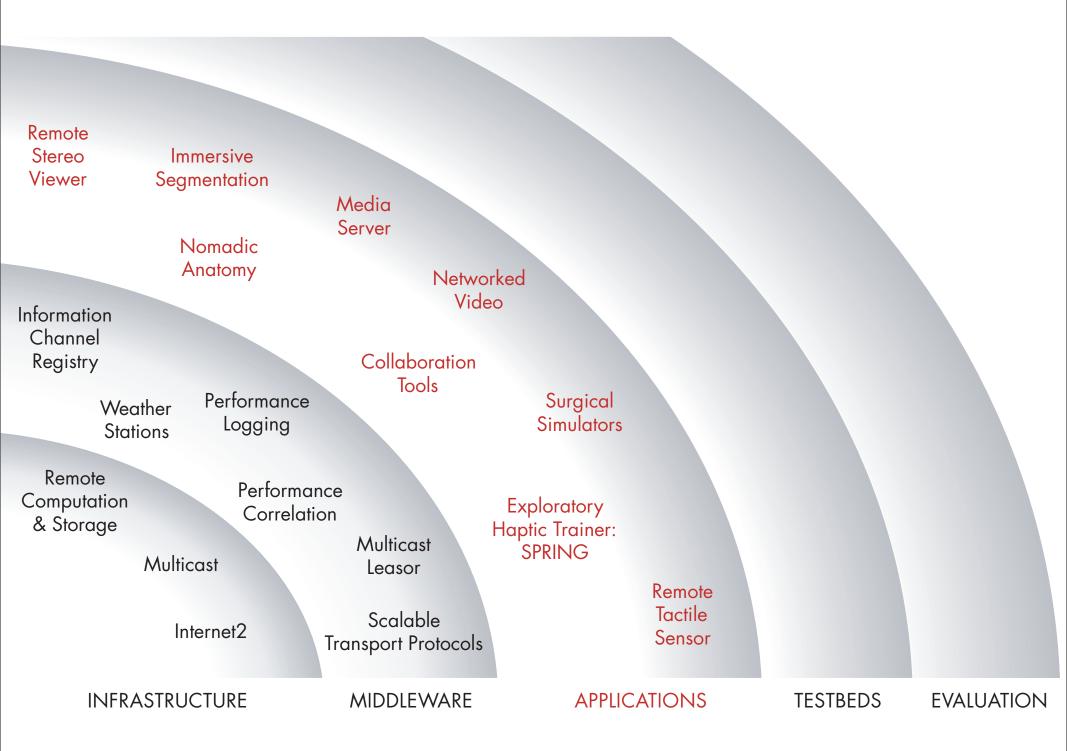
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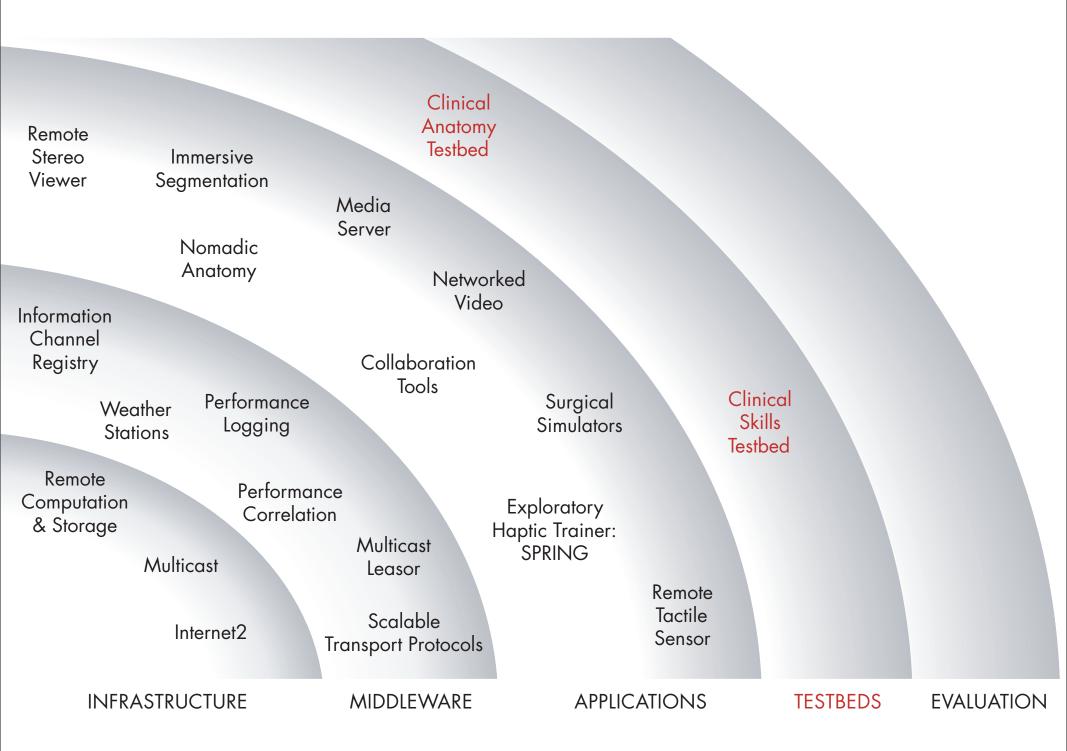
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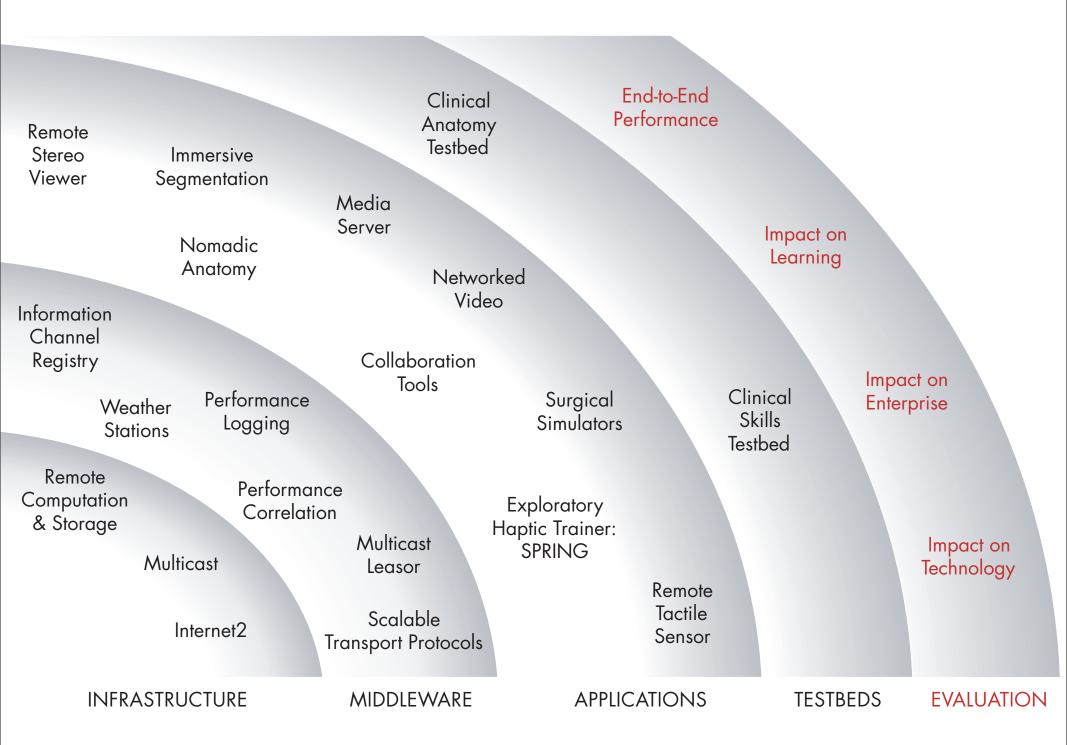
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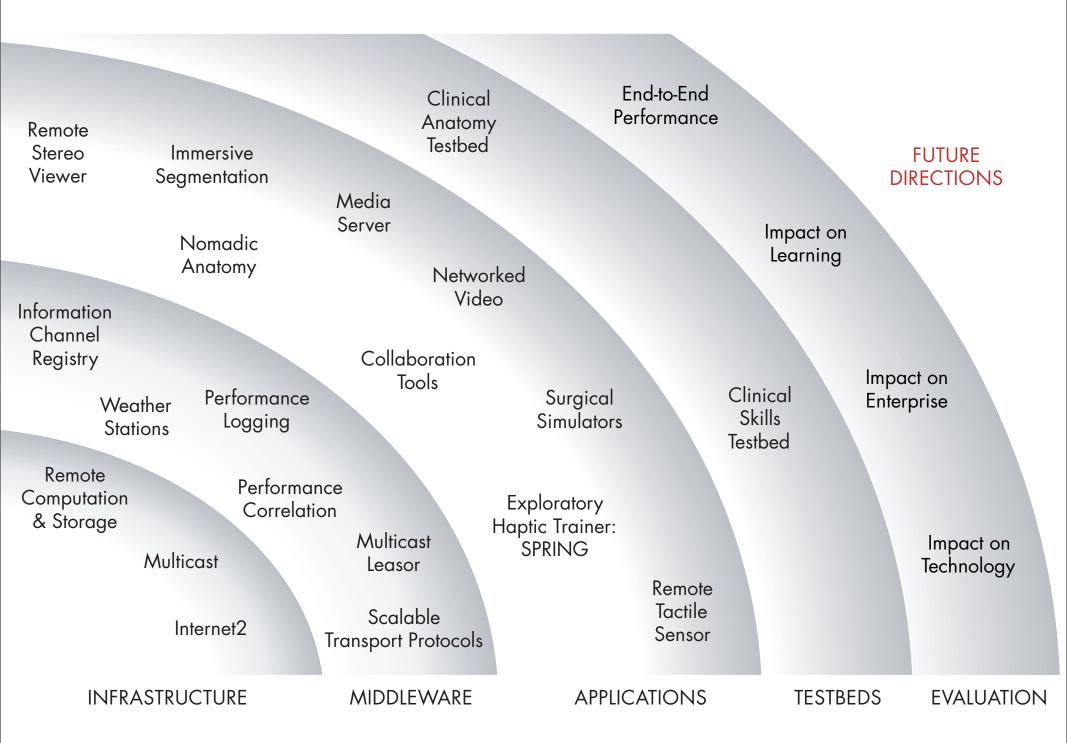
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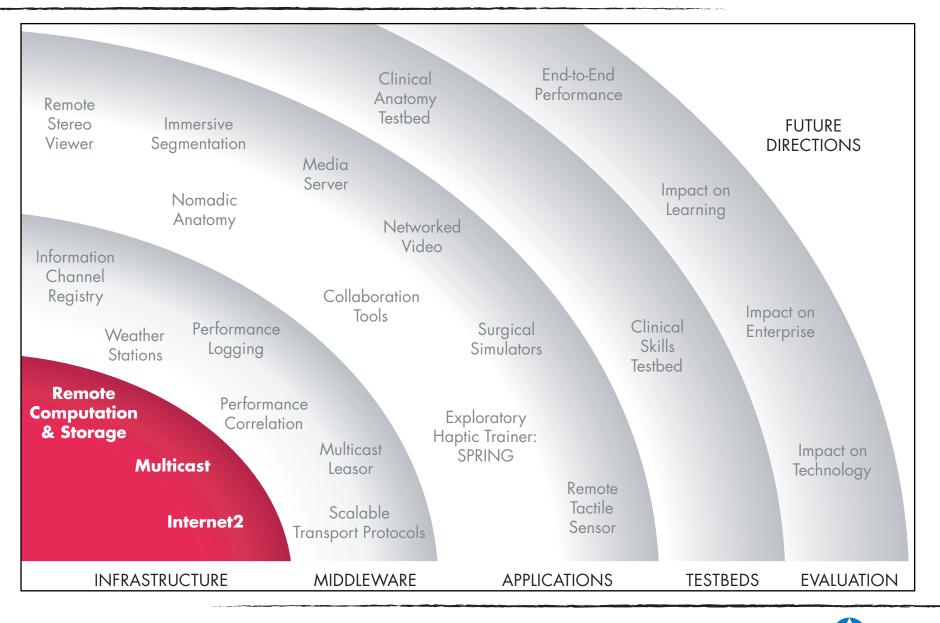






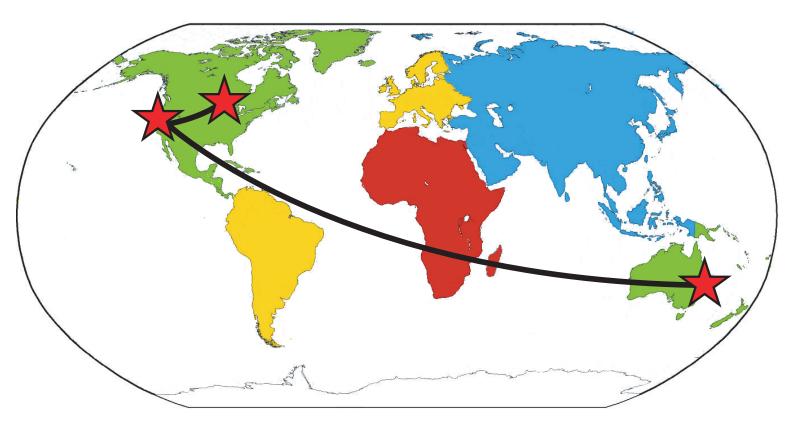


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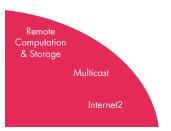
Infrastructure: Network Characteristics





- Local: within Stanford
 - National: Stanford Wisconsin
 - International: Stanford Australia

Measuring Network Traffic



Stanford – Wisconsin: 1 Gbps, 16 hops Within Stanford: 1 Gbps, 2 hops

	Local	National	International
Throughput	100 Mbps	100 Mbps	100 Mbps
Delay	l ms	40 ms	93 ms
Packet loss	0%	0.02%	0.31%
Jitter	0 ms	0 ms	2 ms

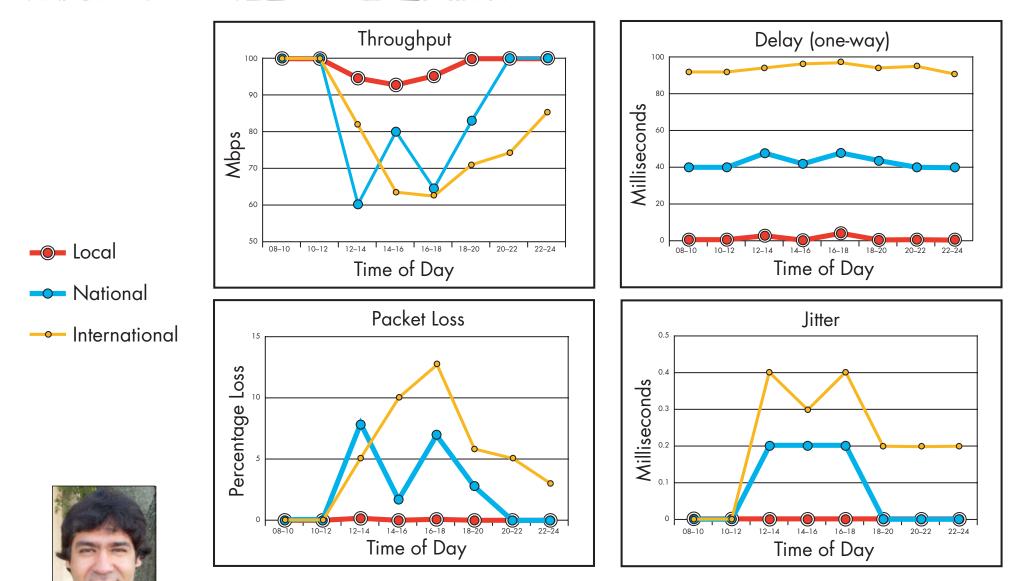
Stanford – Australia: 7 1 Gbps, 12 hops

- Chariot software at endpoints
 - Test packets: 1500 bytes at 70 Mbps

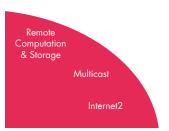
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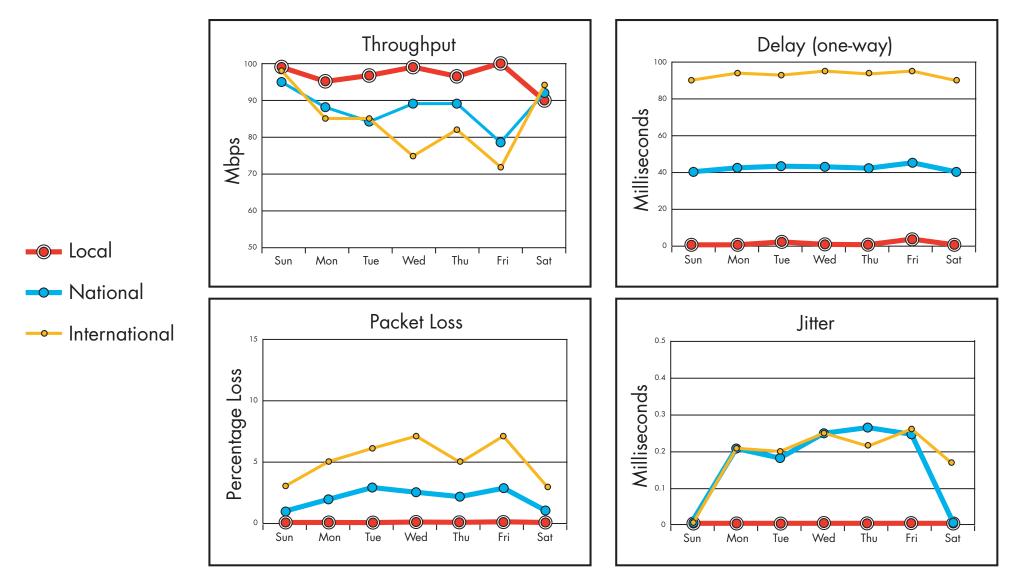
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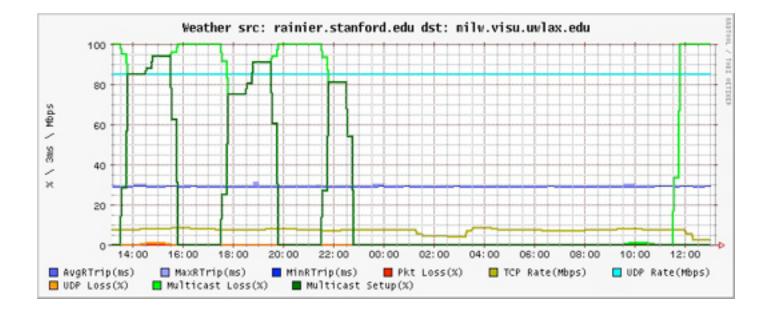
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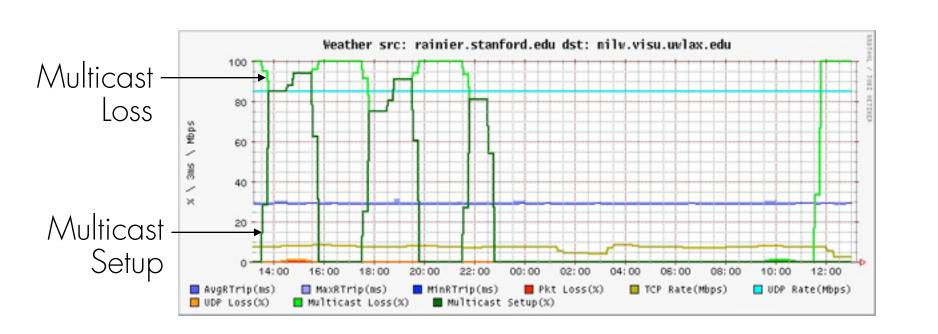
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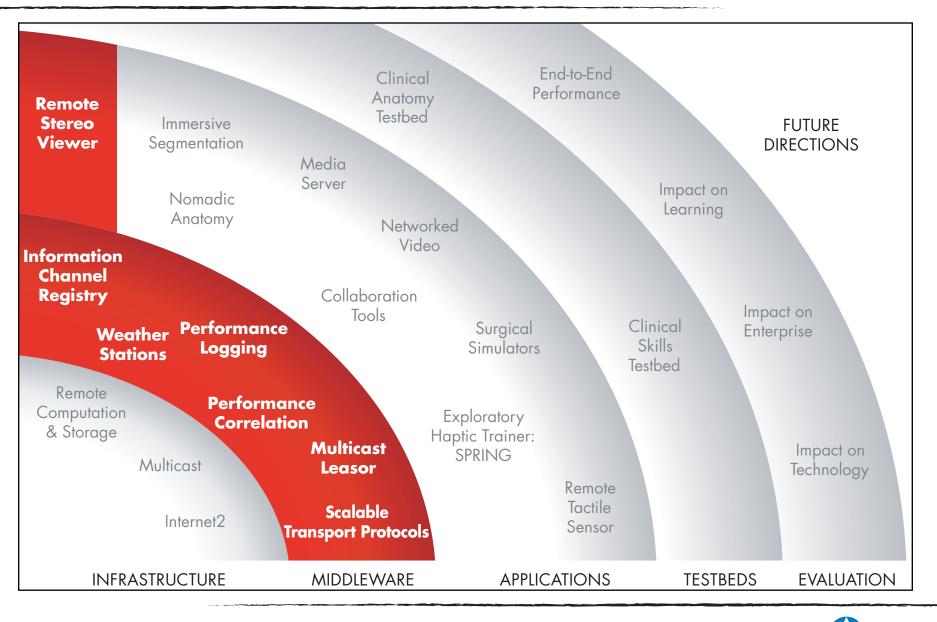
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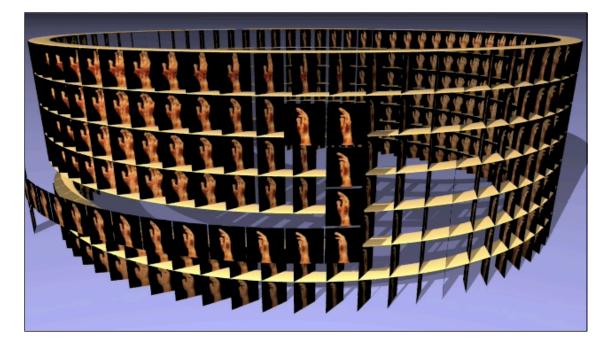
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Middleware



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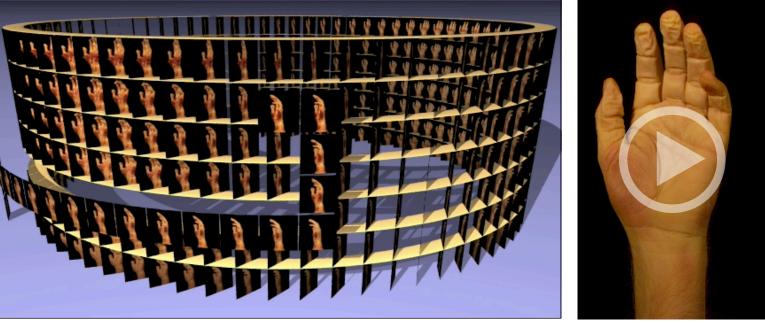
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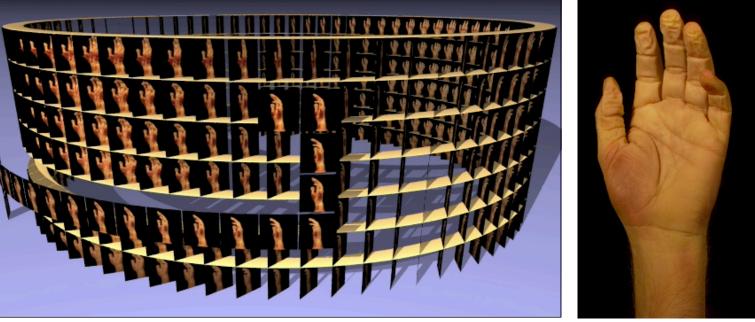


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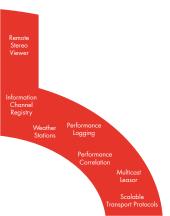
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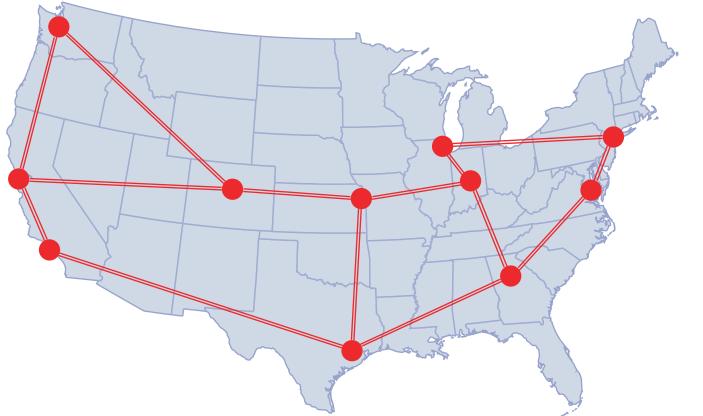
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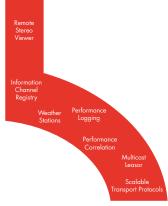


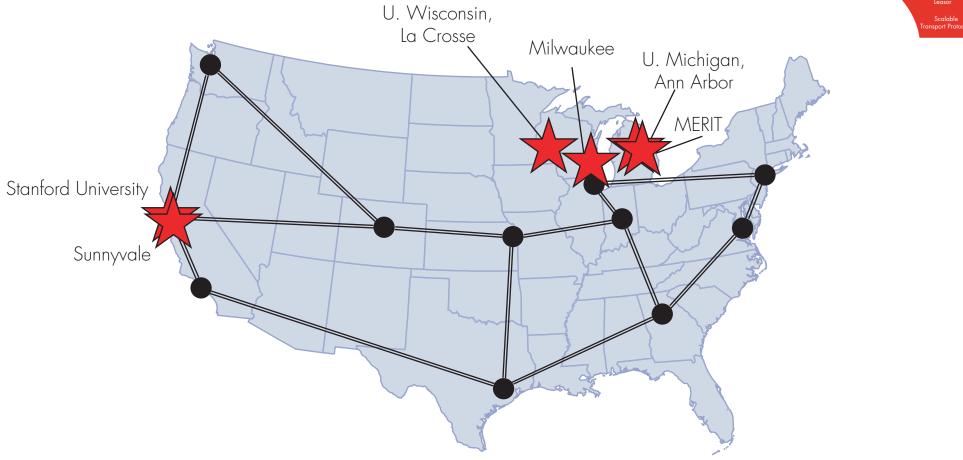
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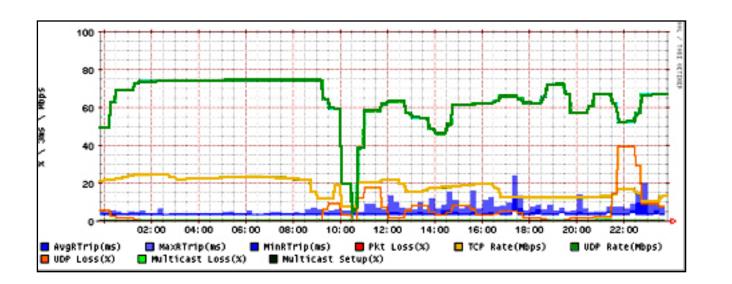










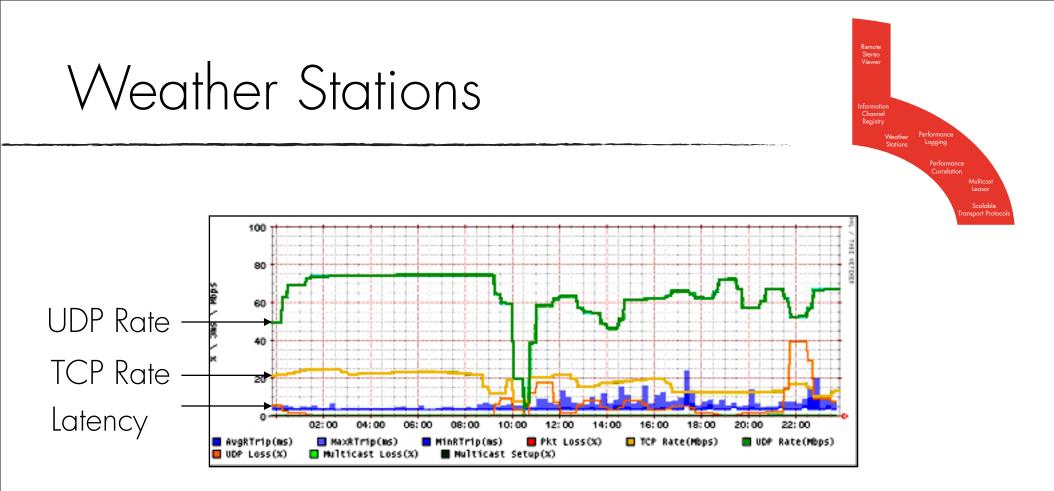


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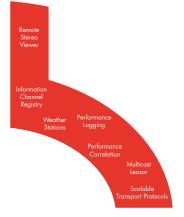
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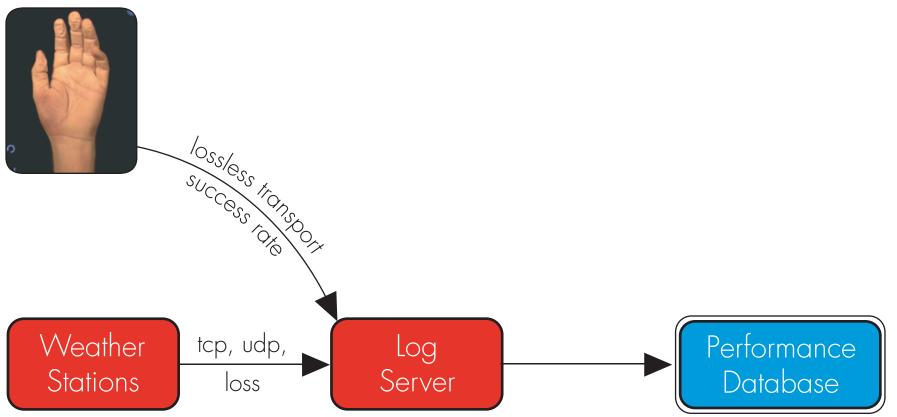




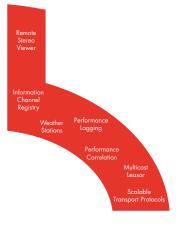
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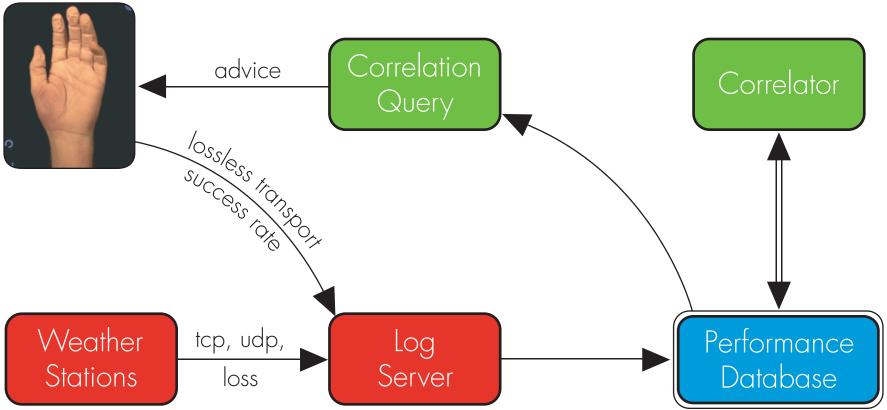
Performance Logging





Performance Correlation



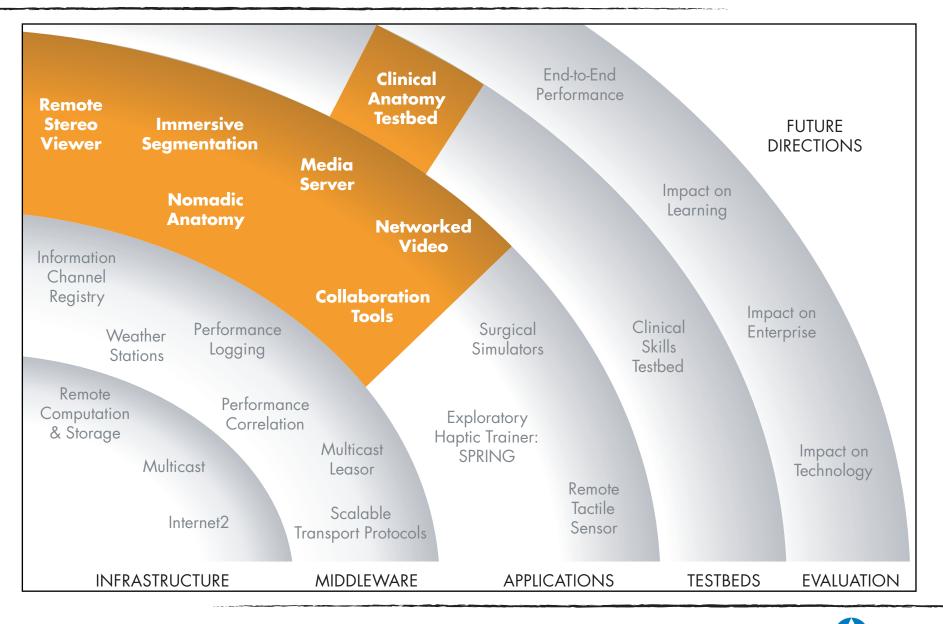


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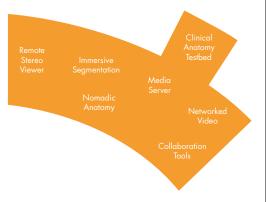
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- Unique characteristics for each application determine possible scalable behaviors
 - options for scaling RSV are:
 - * Send rate, image resolution, prefetch
 - Past experience used to "seed" behavior
 - Past experience provides feedback to user
 - Respond to network congestion and non-congestive loss

Clinical Anatomy Testbed

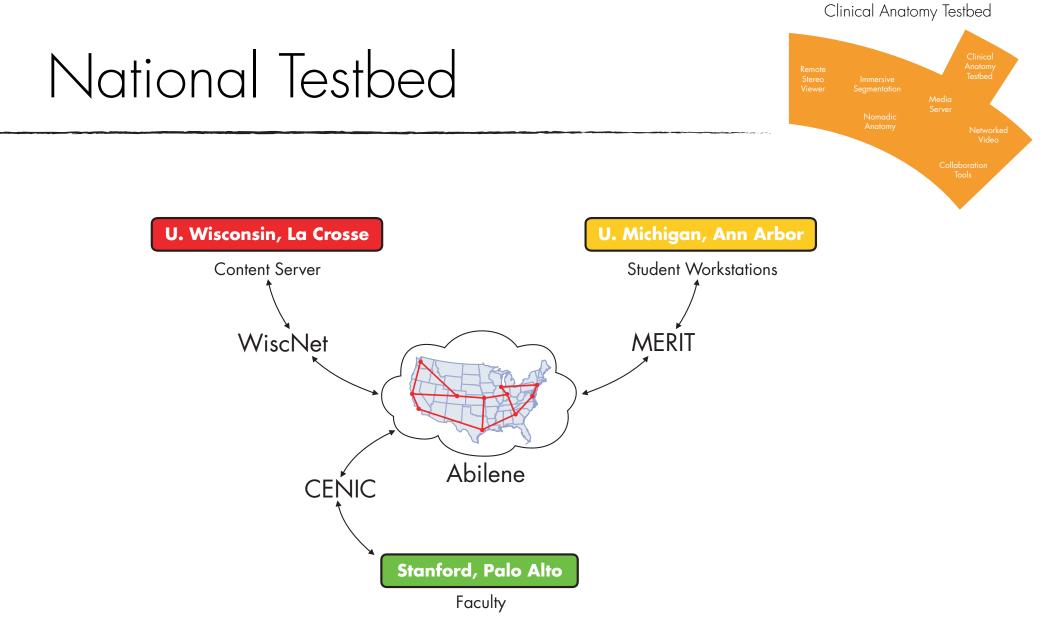


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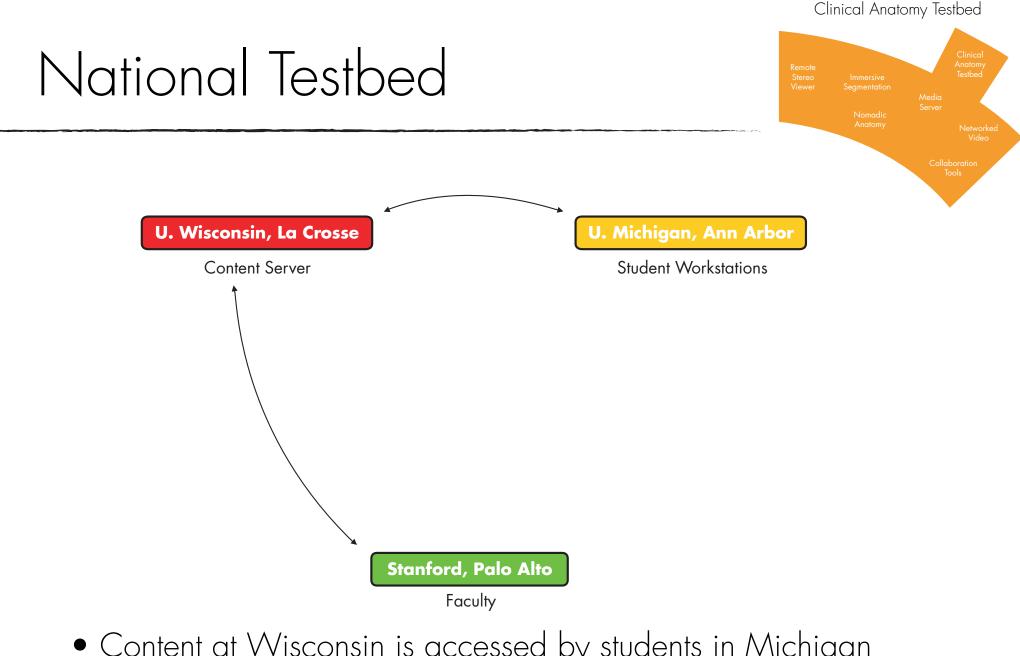


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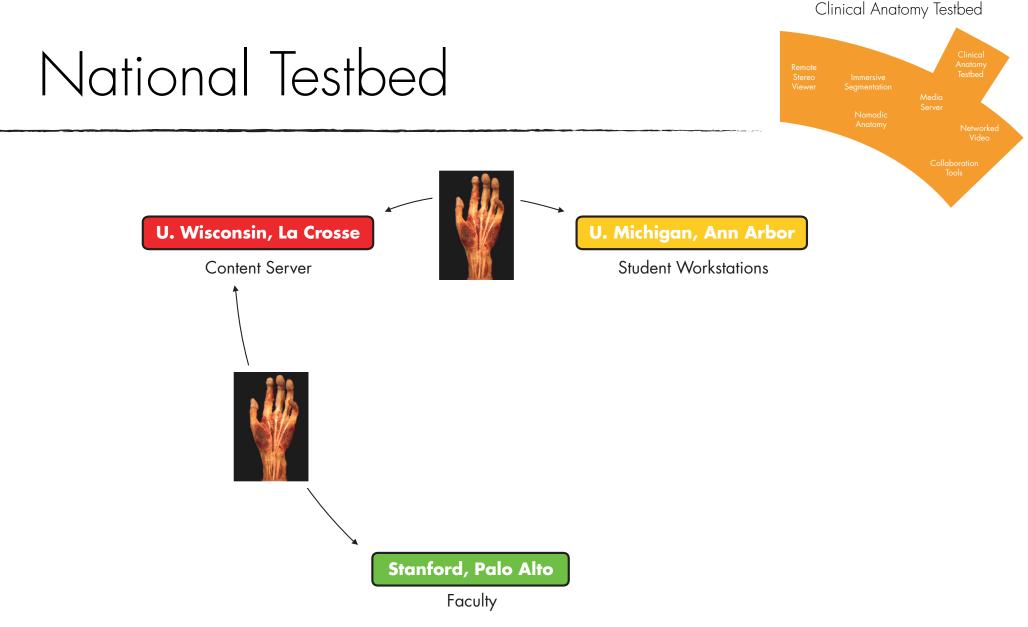
- lab test between SUMMIT Lab & Stanford anatomy classrooms
 - National Testbed
 - lab test between Stanford University and University of Michigan
 - International Testbed
 - field test between Stanford and Northern Ontario School of Medicine
 - demonstrations at Internet2, NLM, Korea, Latin America & World Bank Global Development Learning Network Sites



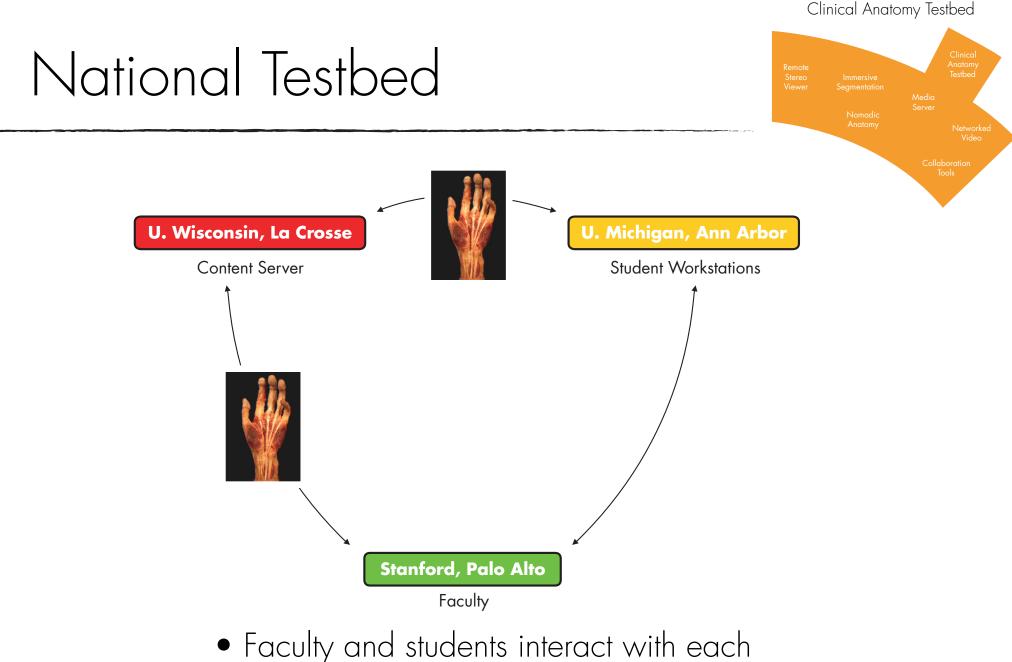
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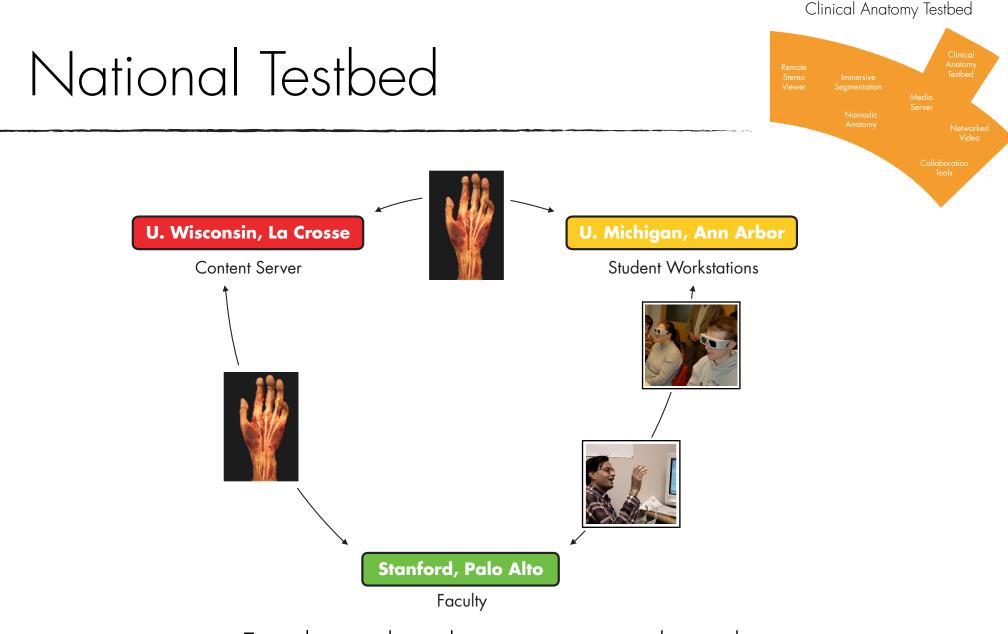
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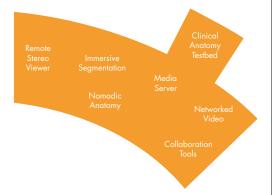
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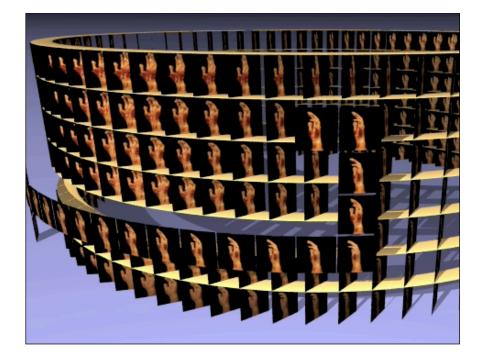


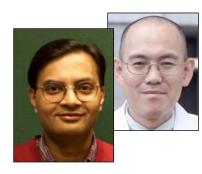
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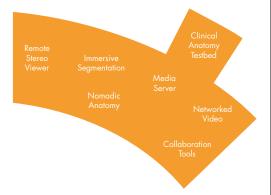
• Faculty and students interact with each other through video collaboration

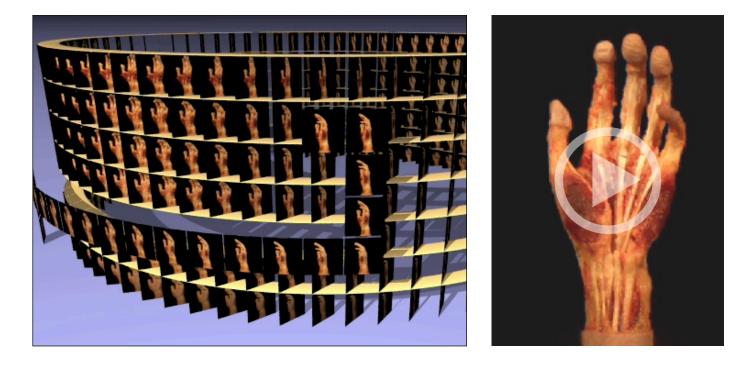






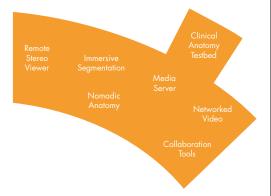
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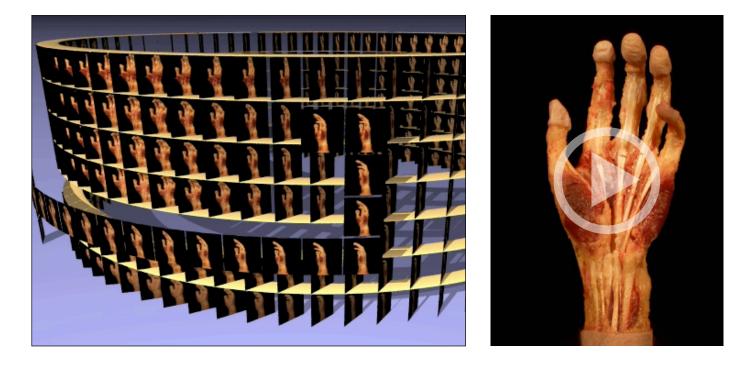






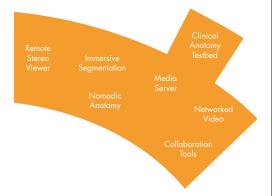
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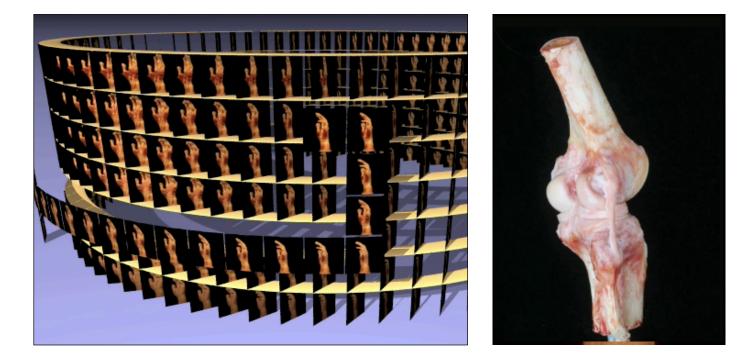






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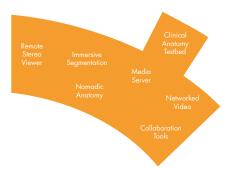


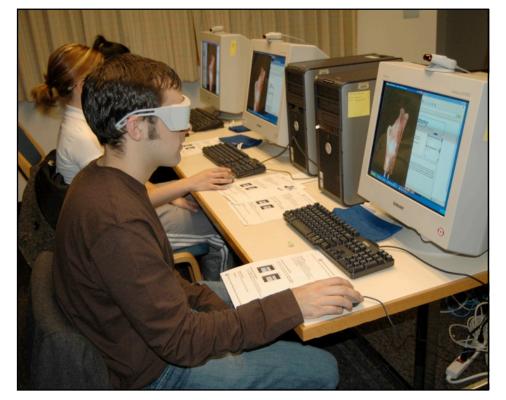




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Teaching with Remote Stereo Images



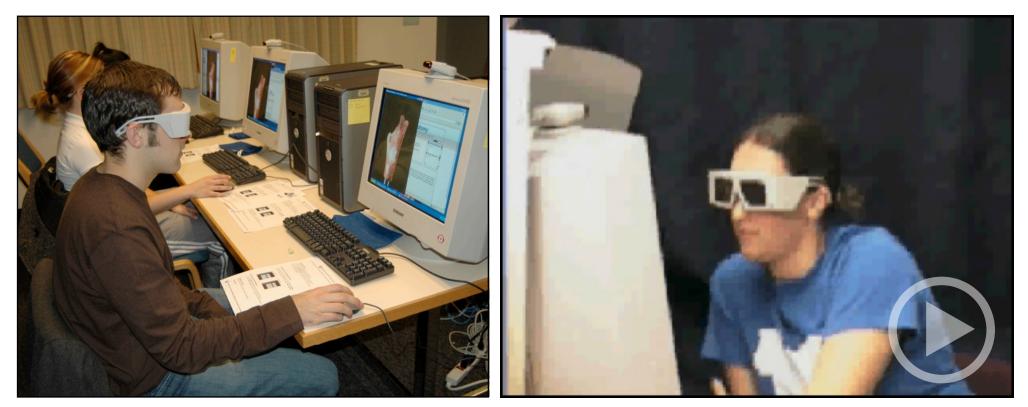


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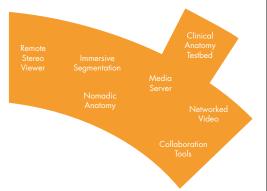




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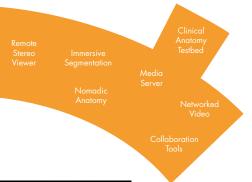






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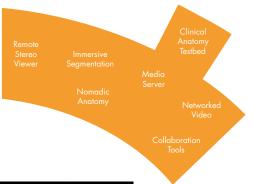






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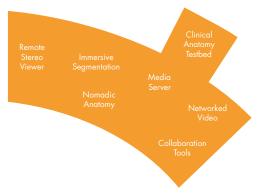
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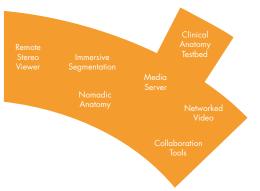




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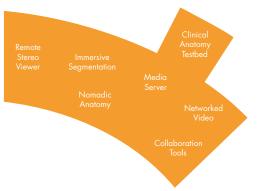


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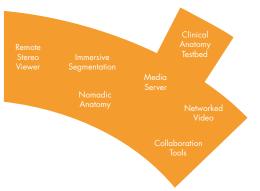


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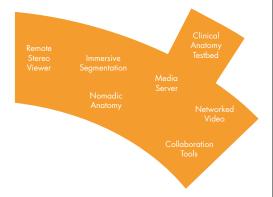
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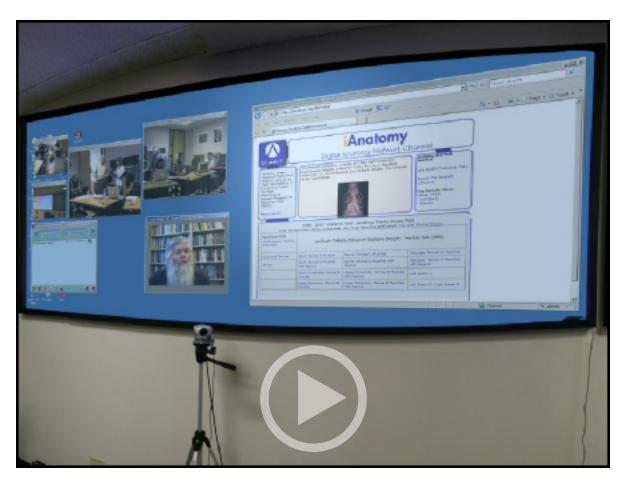
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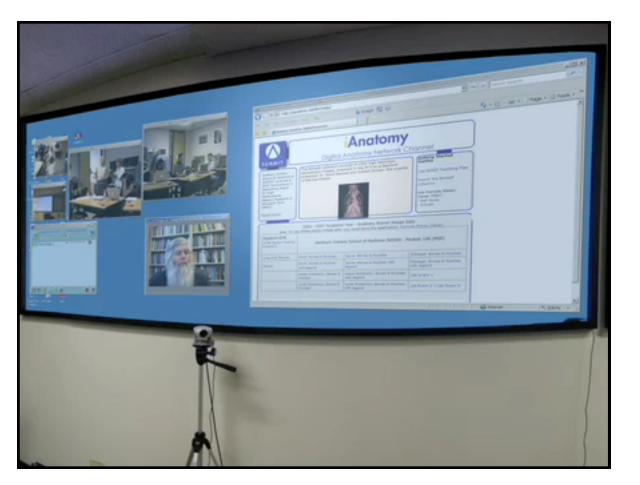
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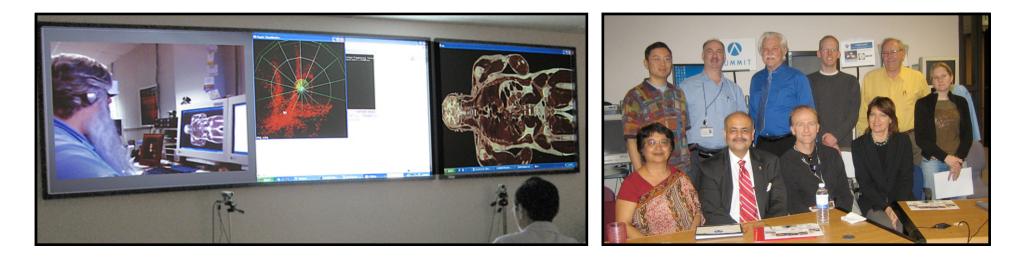
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Uses of the Collab Room

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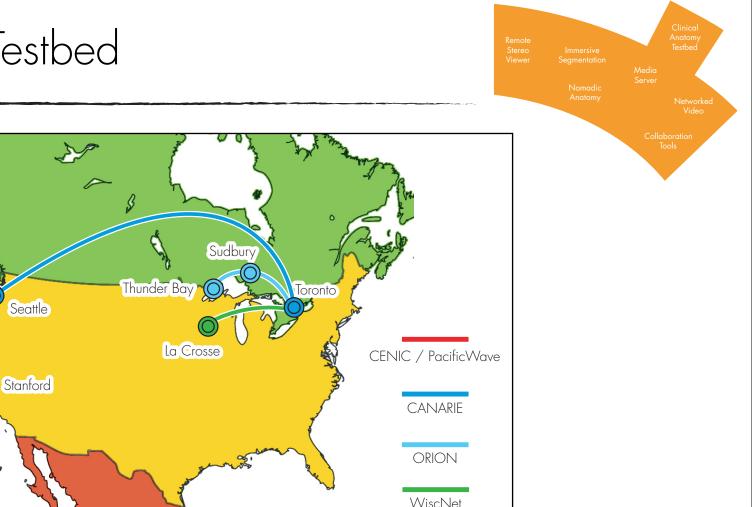
- Annual visits & demos
 - 62 international visitors
 - 60 groups visits
 - 186 collaborative sessions
 - Consulting interactions
 - 118 research consults for new projects

- Influence on institutional planning
 - lead to videoconferencing in other spaces
 - design of new simulation center
 - Training with surgical simulators
 - 22 residents participate in simulator studies
 - Remote teaching of anatomy
 90 Stanford students; 26 non-Stanford students



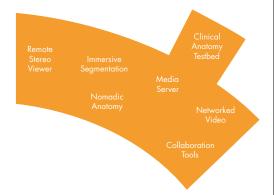
International Testbed

Seattle



• Content from Stanford and Wisconsin is used by students at Northern Ontario School of Medicine's distributed medical campus in Thunder Bay and Sudbury

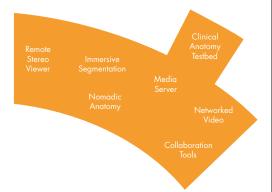
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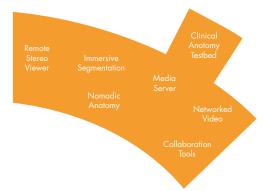
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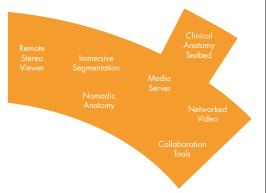
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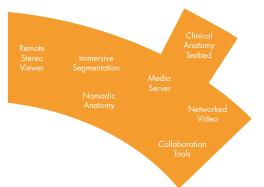
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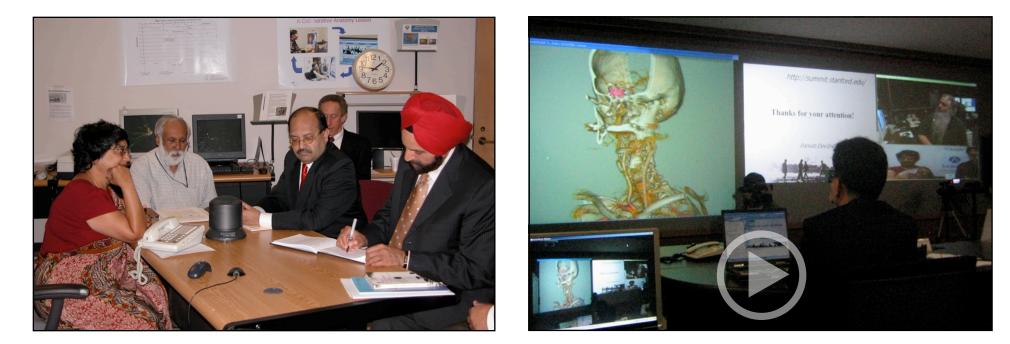




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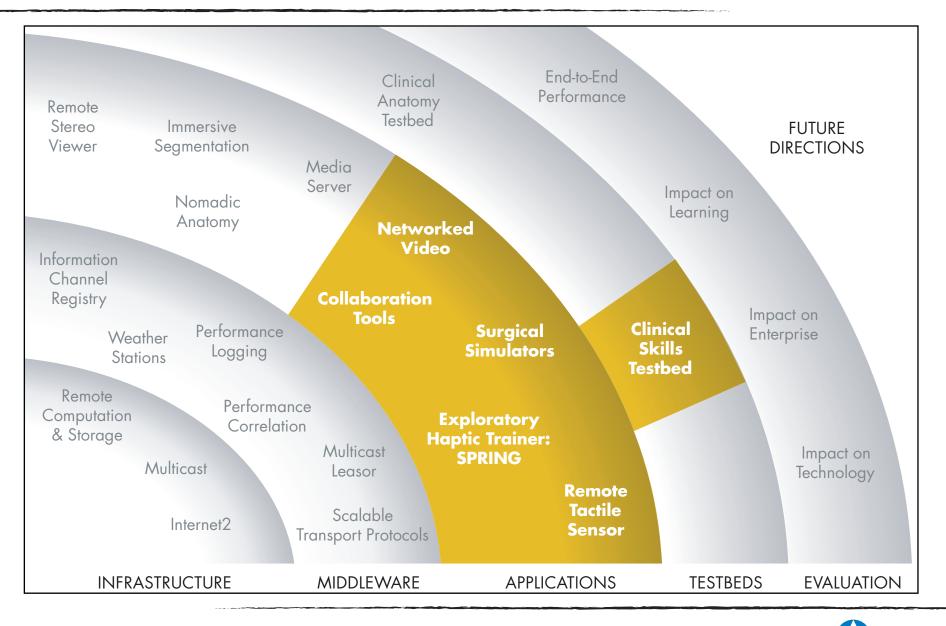






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Clinical Skills Testbed









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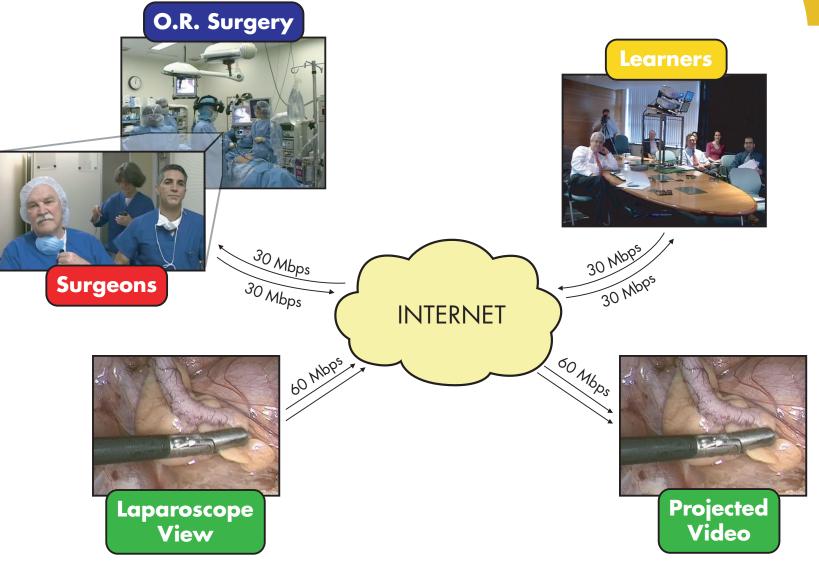


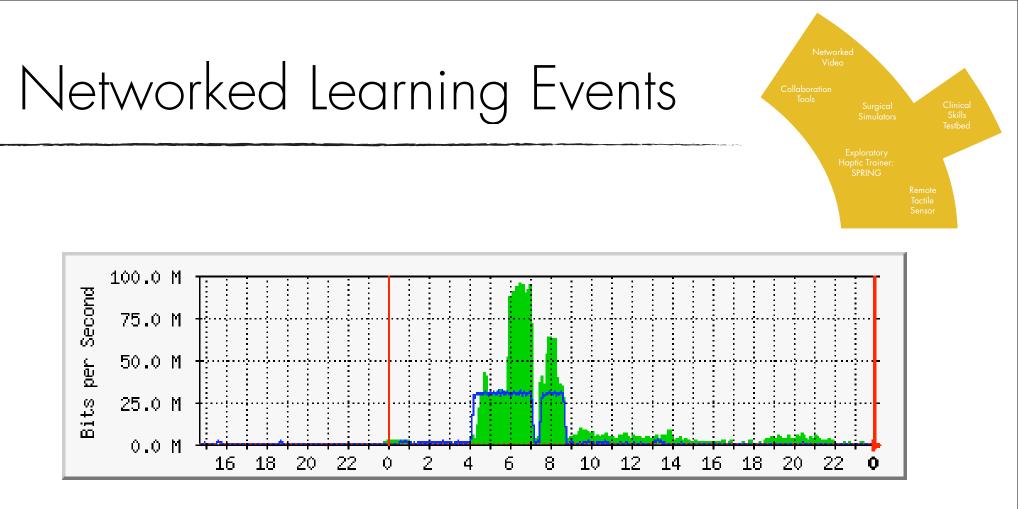




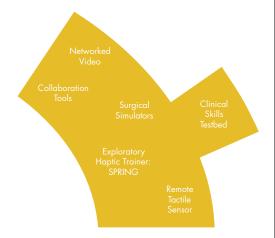
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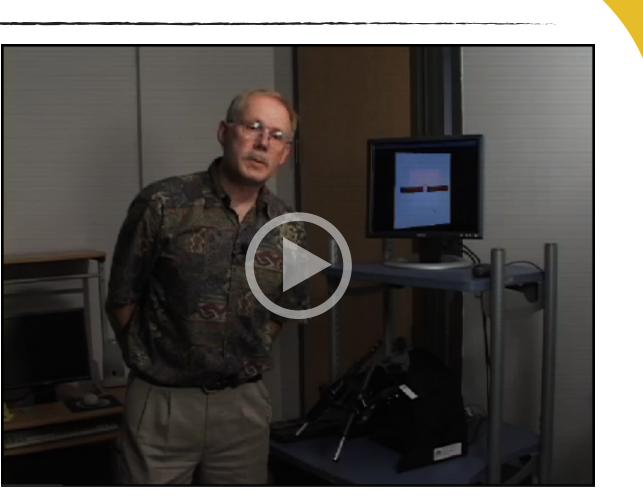




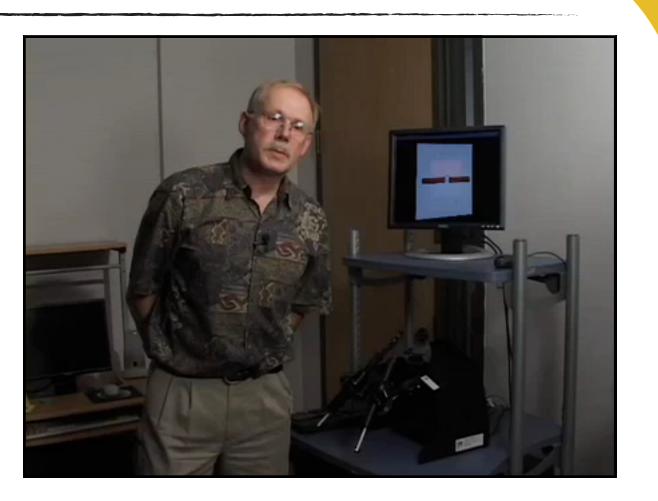
- Network traffic: Stanford to Australia (green)
 - two 30 Mbps streams of laparoscopy video (left & right eye)
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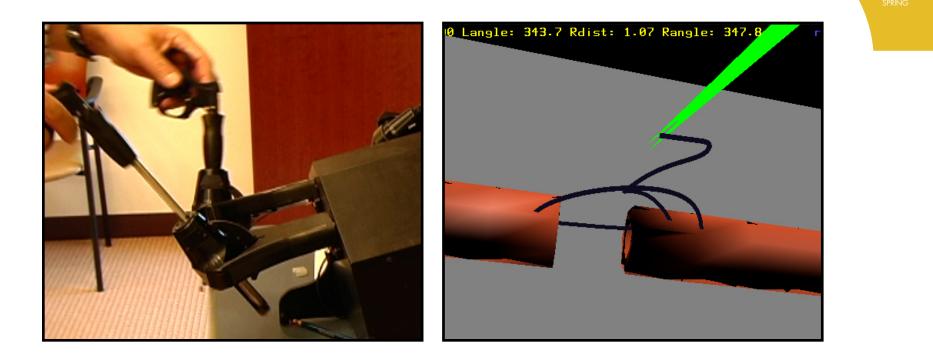
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- SPRING networked simulation software, developed at Stanford, was re-engineered for performance and stability
 - Used as base for simulator development and for experiments on haptic perception





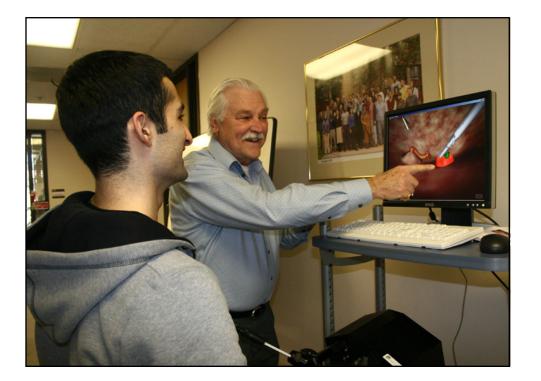
• SPRING has been disseminated globally as Open Source

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• SPRING has been used at Stanford, Hawaii, Arizona & other sites to develop experimental surgical simulations

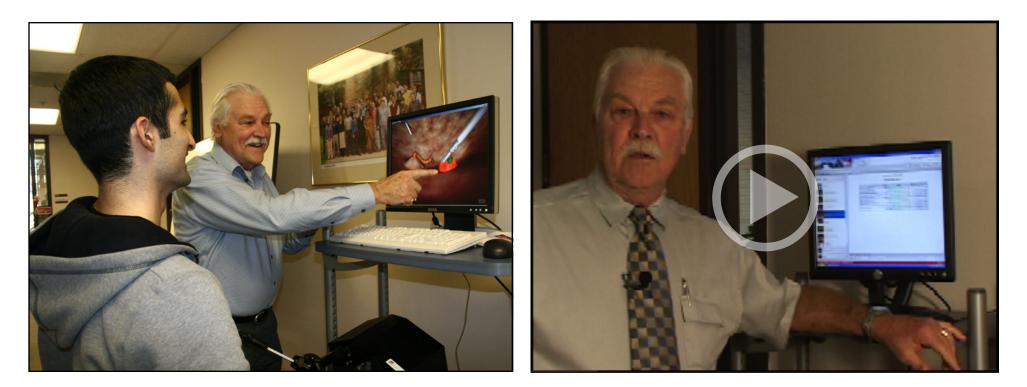






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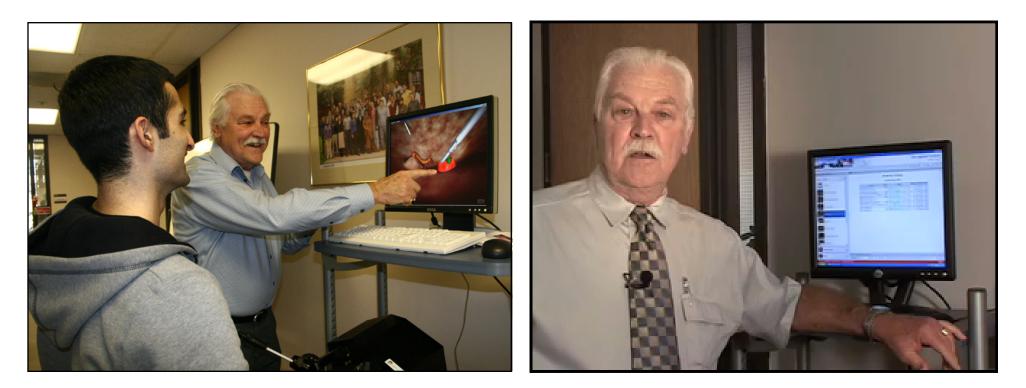






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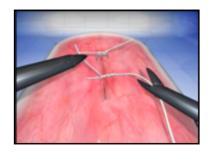


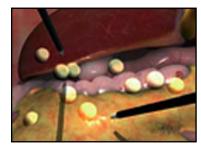


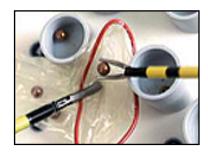
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 - LapSim (Surgical Science AB)
 - LTS2000 ISM60 (RealSim)
 - ProMIS (Haptica)
 - SurgicalSIM (METI)
- Sample list of tasks
 - camera navigation
 - grasping and placing
 - clipping & cutting
 - suturing/knot tying
 - dissection/excision







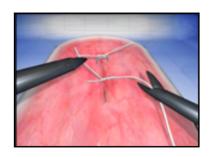


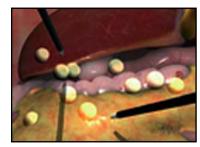


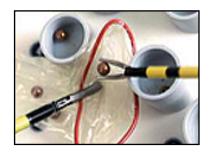


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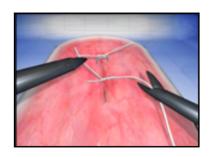


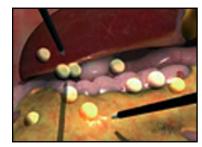


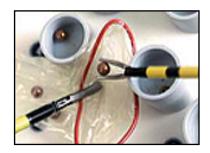


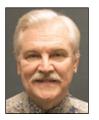
- Simulators used
 - Lap Mentor (Simbionix)
 - LapSim (Surgical Science AB)
 - LTS2000 ISM60 (RealSim)
 - ProMIS (Haptica)
 - SurgicalSIM (METI)
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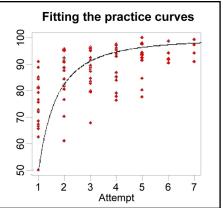




• Performance data collected with 17 surgeons on 26 tasks with 4–7 attempts on each task

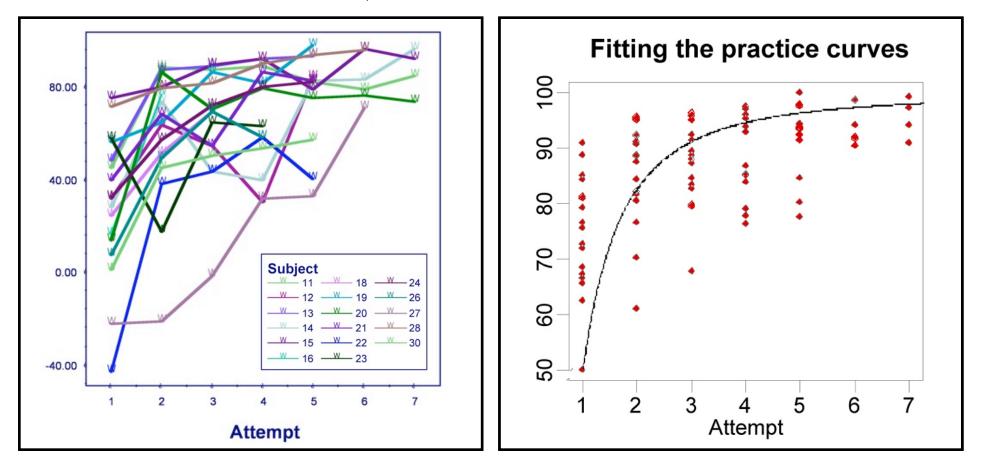
- Proficiency score developed per task
 - weighted sum of all measures in task
 - weights adjusted using linear regression so that proficiency scores define a reasonable "practice curve"
 - A sample proficiency score for one task (LapSim camera navigation)
 Proficiency = 112.52
 - -3.72 x Path Length
 - -0.36 x Total Time
 - -0.10 × Drift
 - -1.82 x Tissue Damage





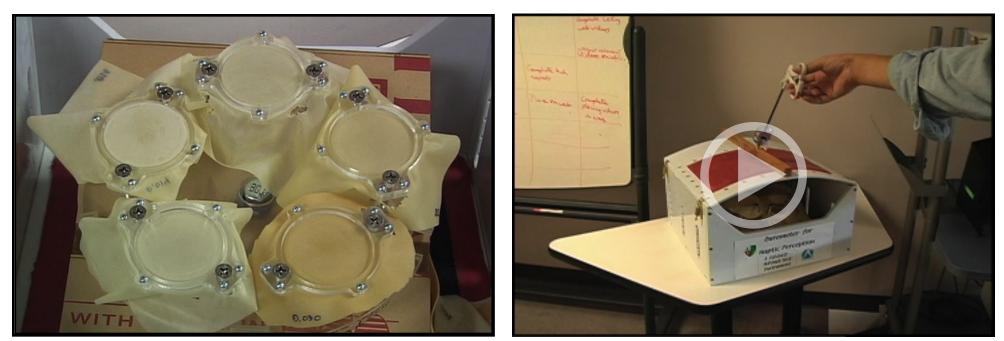


 Practice curves for surgeons on the LapSim camera navigation task demonstrate learning curves that led to selection of 4th attempt data



Haptics Experiments



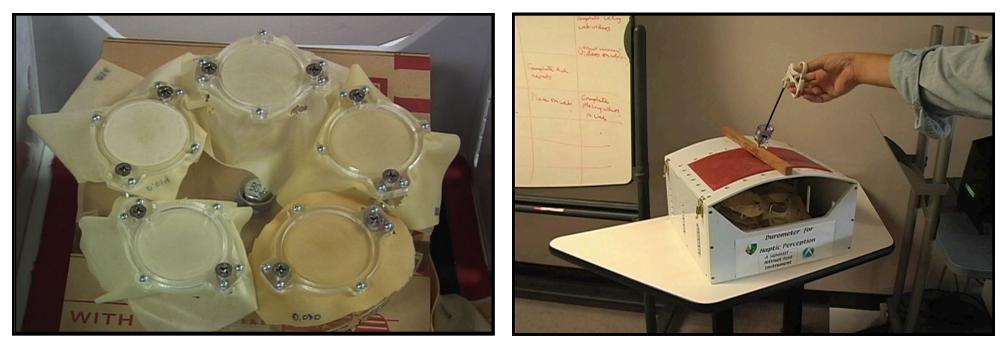




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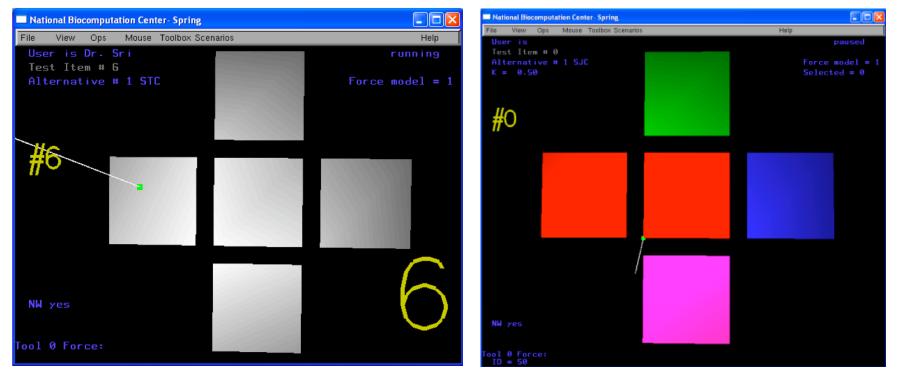




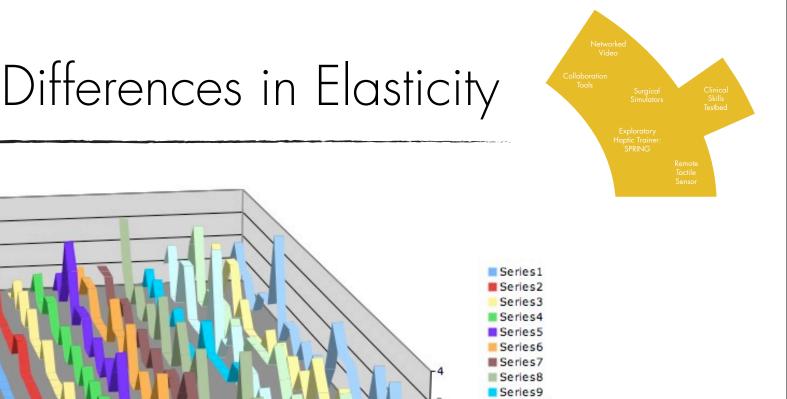
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Perceiving Differences in Elasticity





• Subjects have difficulty comparing elasticity between virtual membranes



S9 S10 S11 S12 S13

Perceiving Differences in Elasticity

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• Of 13 subjects, only 2 detected similar pairs accurately

S7

S6

S5

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• In a range of experiments, with various models of elasticity, difficulty in detecting similar pairs remained

S8

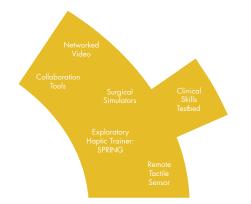
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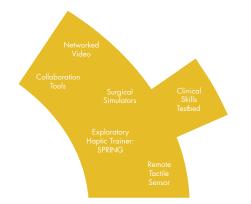


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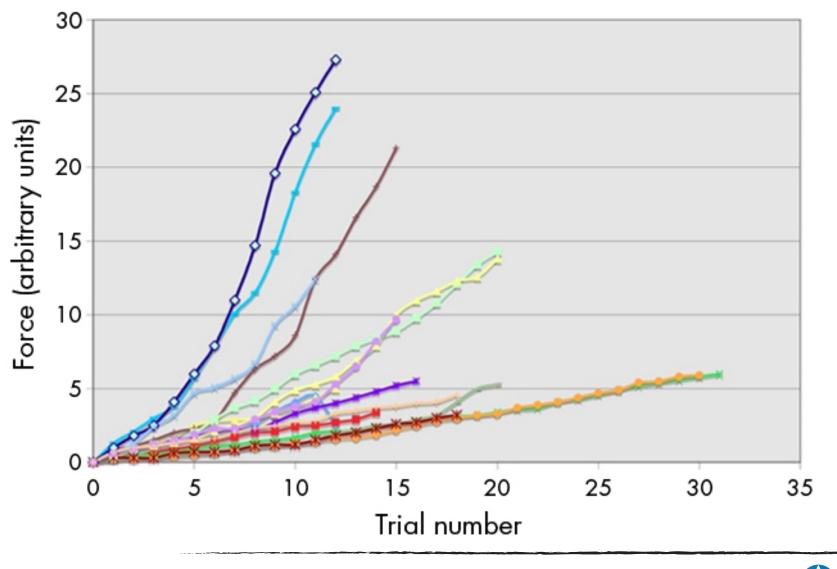


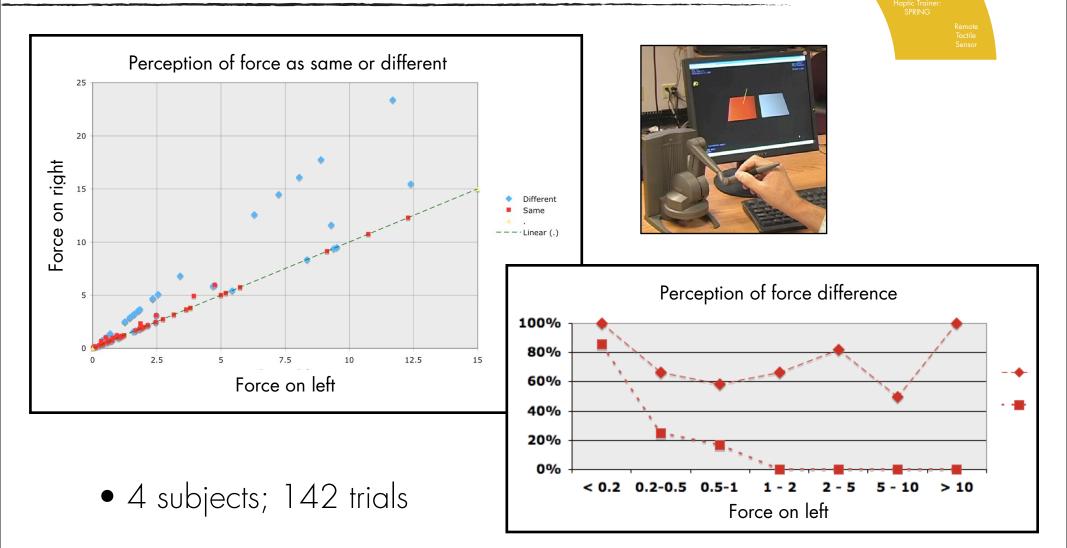
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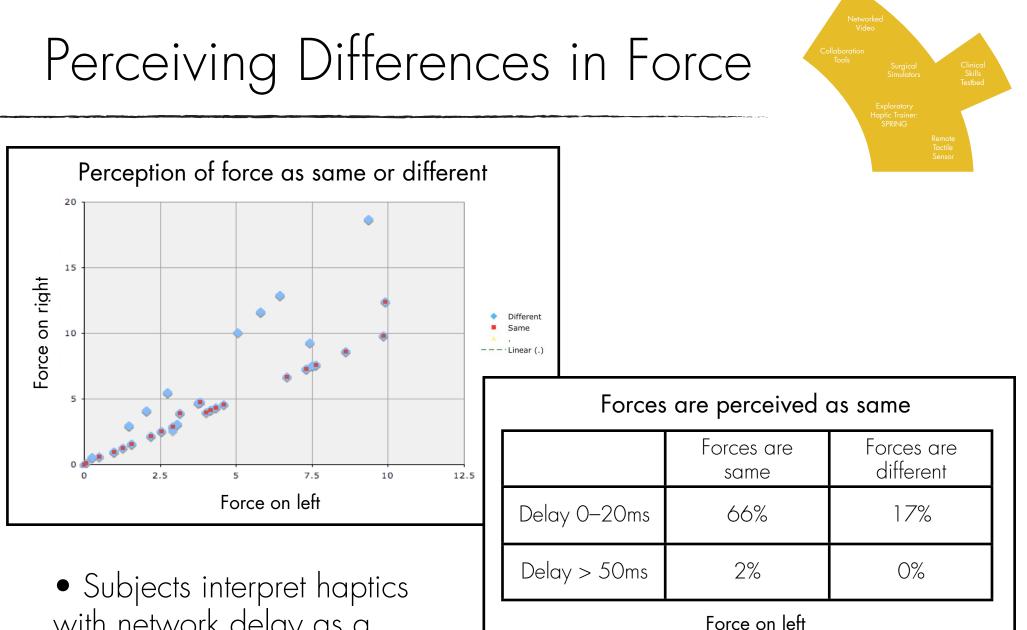




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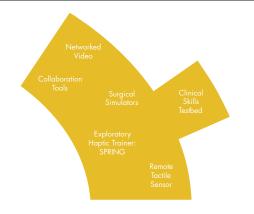


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Remote Tactile Sensor: Objectives

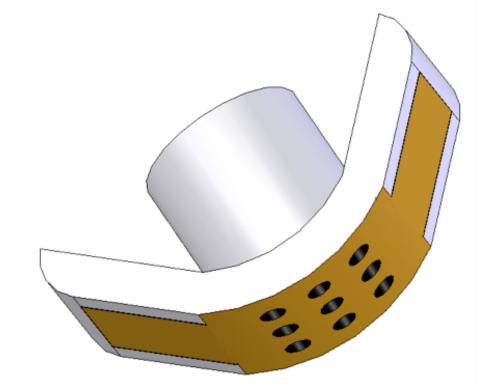
- Skin cancer is the most prevalent form of cancer in light-skinned populations
 - Objective is to assemble a system for remote diagnosis and remote instruction
 - Dermatological diagnosis requires highdefinition video and palpation
 - Use haptic robotics for palpation
 - Test a latency sensitive application using haptics over network





Remote Tactile Sensor: Operation

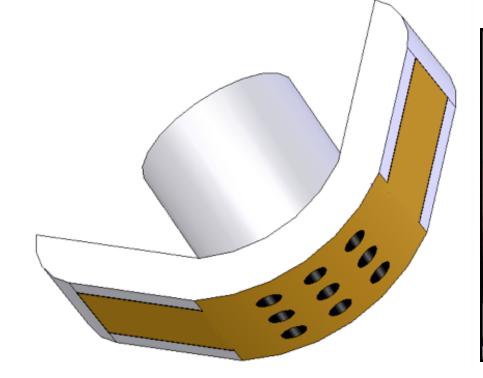
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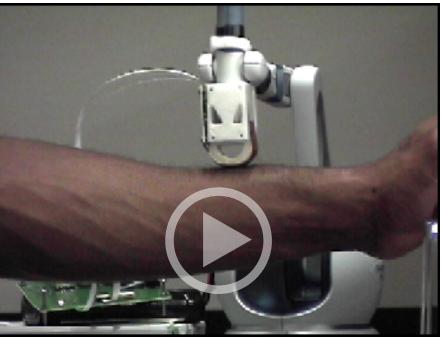




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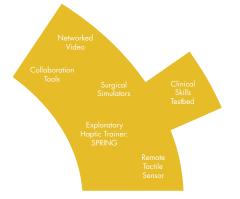


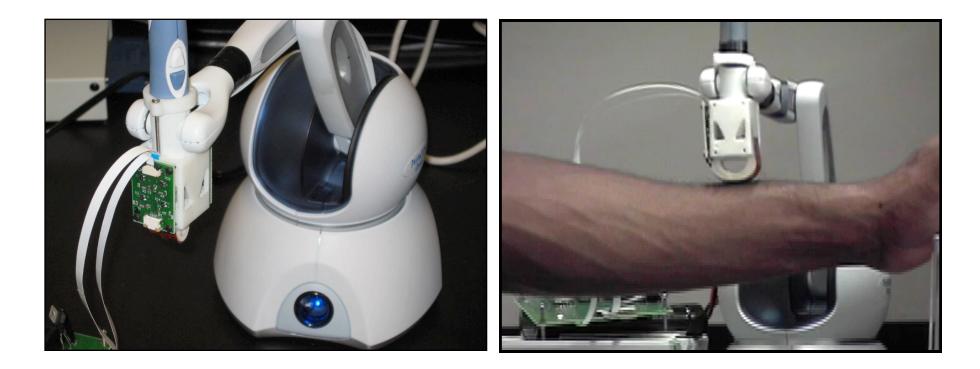




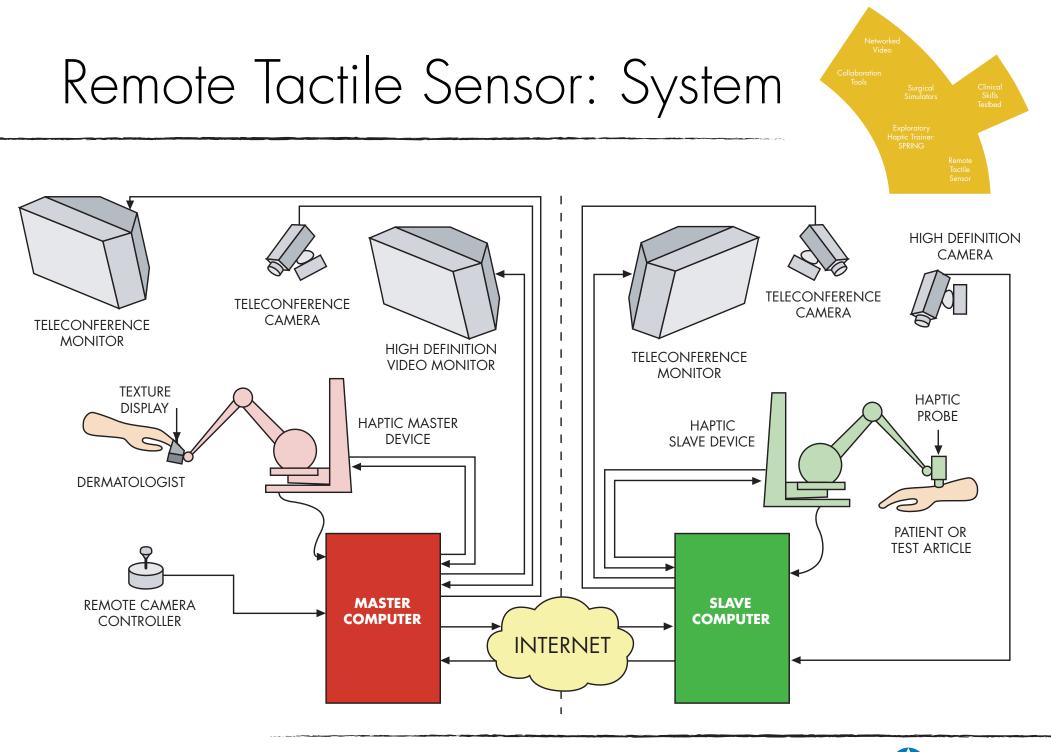


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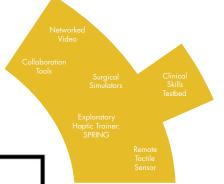


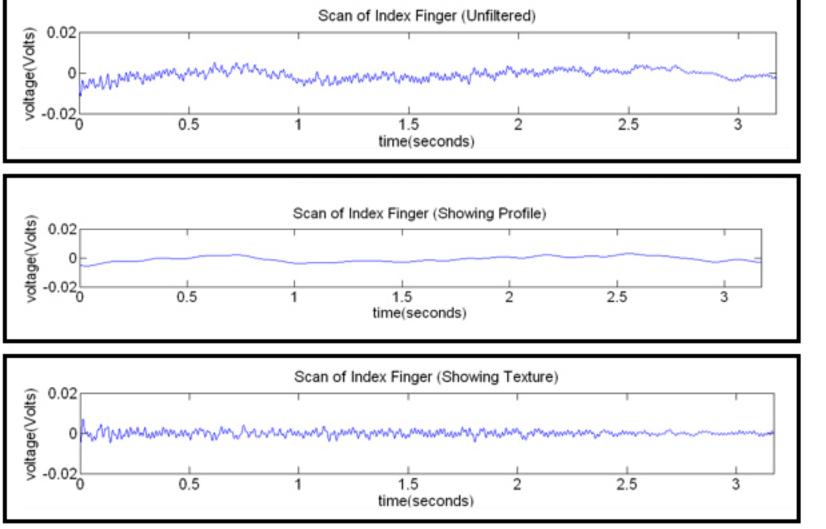






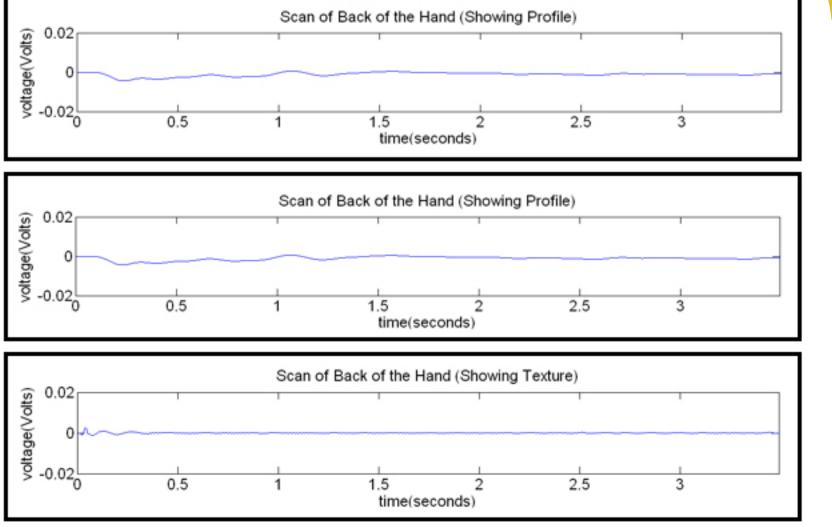
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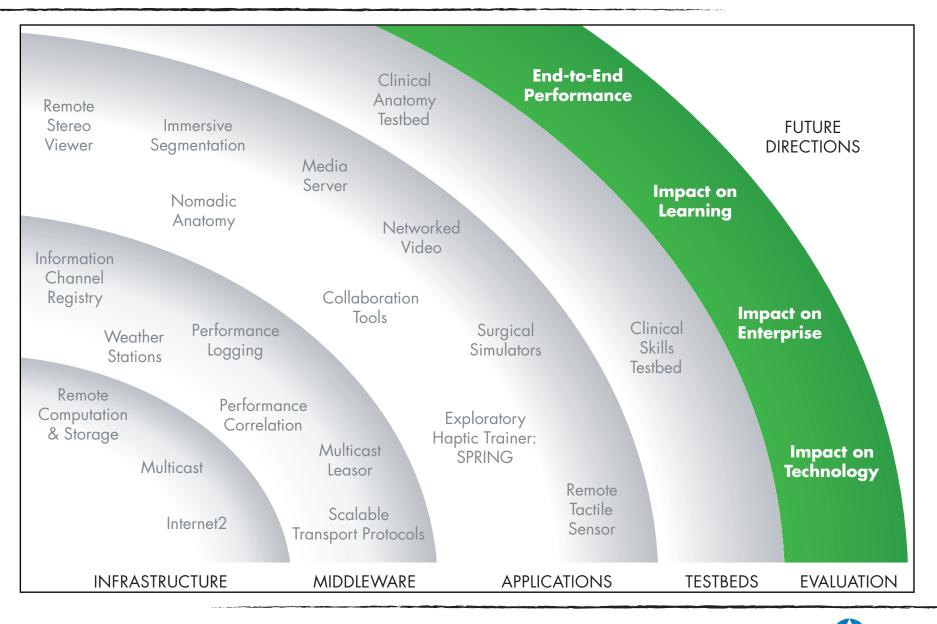




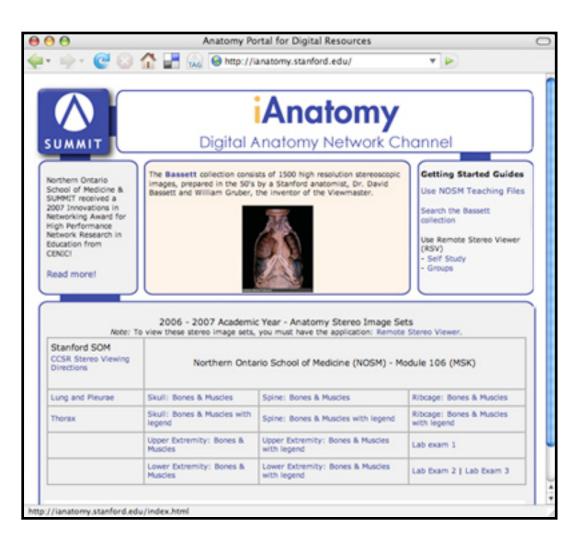
Remote Tactile Sensor: Summary

- Transmission in digital form over the internet is assumed
 - Bandwidth requirements for haptic data are modest: a few Mb/s
 - Significant latency is observed due to speed of light delay, switching, compression/decompression etc.
 leads to stability problems
 - Need special sensor to provide both texture and profile data
 - Need special display for texture data
 - Continuing research

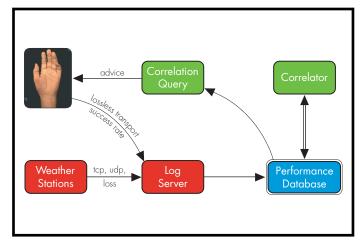
Evaluation



End-to-End Performance







Impact on Learning

- Access to remote rich-media resources, with powerful but simple interfaces, is critical in new learning environments
 distributed medical school; global learning events
 - Access to novel sensory channels will place demands on networks, computing, interfaces and transparency of access for new learning environments
 - haptic sensing of a remote skin lesion, or a master surgeon's movements
 - ability to position a virtual camera anywhere in a captured light field

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End-to-End Performance

> Impact or Enterprise

Impact on Technology

- Transport protocols, performance monitoring, end-to-end performance
 - formation of Bulk Transport working group in Internet2 and
 definition of API for new protocol
 - sensitization of Internet² community to technology to support collaboration, such as Multicast and real-time video collaboration in high resolution
 - Simulation technology
 - release of SPRING networked simulation software to Open Source
 - workshop to bring together the surgical and development communities
 - Collab Room
 - design of a collaboration-intensive learning space
 - multiple video and data streams transmitted and received

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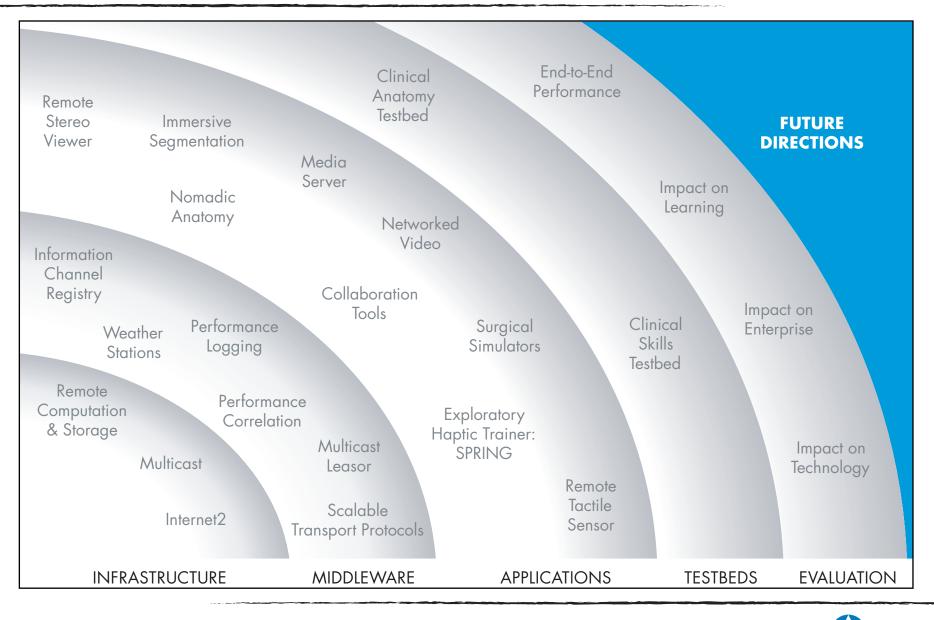
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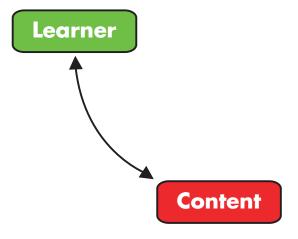


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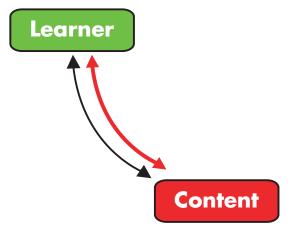
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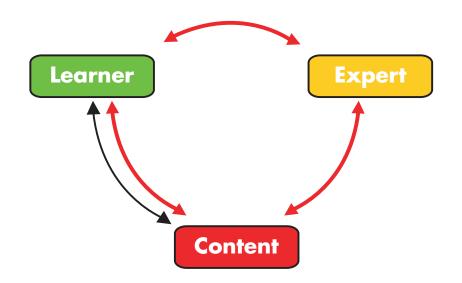




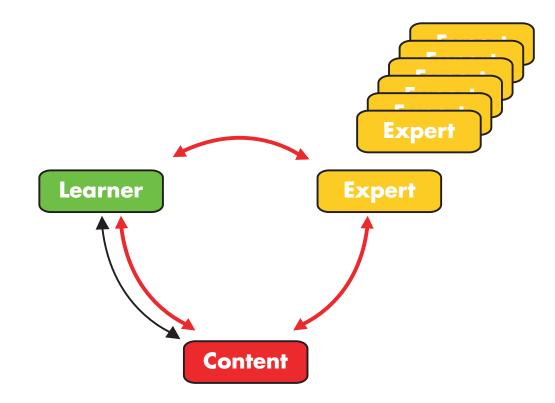
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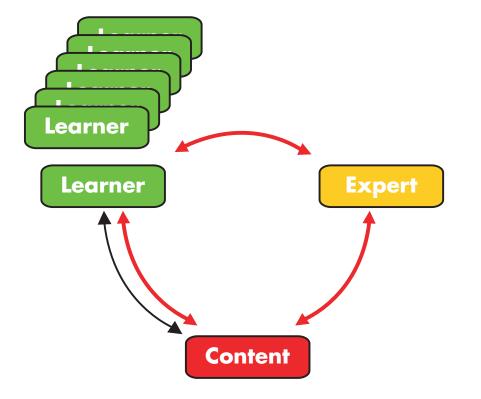
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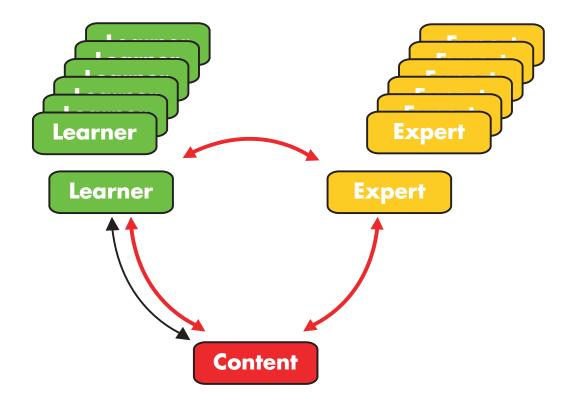
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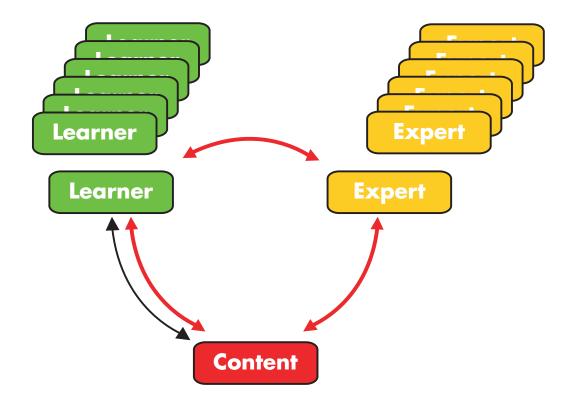
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• Working in local and distributed teams



• Learning and training integrated into the work environment



• Simulations and virtual environments replicating, and merging with, the real environment

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FUTURE DIRECTIONS

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