~~CLAIMS~~

The invention claimed is:

1. One or more tangible computer-readable memory~~media~~ having computer-executable instructions embodied thereon for performing the method of remotely submitting content to a content-sharing website, the method comprising:

navigating ~~(710)~~ to the content-sharing website, wherein the content-sharing website allows a user to submit content that is~~may~~ then ~~be~~ displayed to other users through the content-sharing website;

determining ~~(720)~~, at a client device, that the content-sharing website has a remote content-reception functionality that allows the content-sharing website to remotely receive a content submission from an application operating on the client device;

displaying ~~(730)~~, through a user interface displayed on a display device communicatively coupled to the client device, a graphic indication that the content-sharing website is capable of remotely receiving the content submission from a remote-content-submission application on the client device that automatically submits content to the content-sharing website upon receiving a request from the user of the client device to generate the content submission;

receiving ~~(740)~~, at the client device, a request from the user of the client device to add the content-sharing website to ~~the~~ remote-content-submission application;

retrieving ~~(750)~~, from a server hosting the content-sharing website, instructions for remotely submitting content to the content-sharing website; and

~~U~~updating ~~(760)~~, at the client device, the remote-content-submission application based on the instructions, thereby enabling the remote-content-submission application to remotely submit content to the content-sharing website.

2. The memory~~media~~ of claim 1, wherein the content-sharing website is determined to have the remote content-reception functionality because of an attribute that identifies the content-sharing website as having the remote content-reception functionality.

3. The memory~~media~~ of claim 1, wherein the method further includes, upon said updating, changing an appearance of the graphic indication to indicate that the remote-content-submission application is now set up to communicate content to the content-sharing website.

4. The memory~~media~~ of claim 1, wherein the method further includes:

receiving, at the client device, an instruction to navigate to a new website that is not the content-sharing website;

navigating to the new website;

displaying, through the user interface, an invitation for the user to send content to the content-sharing website;

receiving an indication from the user to send the content to the content-sharing website;

generating the content submission by following the instructions; and

communicating the content submission to the content-sharing website.

5. The memory of claim 4, wherein the content submission includes a uniform resource locator for content and a written description of the content.

6~~5~~. The memory~~media~~ of claim 1, wherein the instructions include a template for communicating the content submission to the content-sharing website.

~~6. A method of remotely submitting content to a content-sharing website through a client application, the method comprising:~~

~~receiving (810), through the client application operating on a computing device, a selection of content;~~

~~receiving (820), through the client application, a selection of one or more content-sharing websites to send the content, wherein content-sharing websites display content from other sources that is submitted by users;~~

~~generating (830), for each of the one or more content-sharing websites, a content submission that conforms to instructions for remote submission to said each of the one or more content-sharing websites; and~~

~~communicating (840) to said each of the one or more content-sharing websites the content submission that conforms to the instructions for remote submission of each of the one or more content-sharing websites.~~

~~7. The method of claim 6, wherein the content includes one or more of a blog entry, a website, a song, and a video.~~

~~8. The method of claim 6, wherein the method further includes displaying to a user that selected the content a website that displays the content submission and asks the user to confirm that the content submission should be communicated to the one or more content-sharing websites; and~~

~~receiving a confirmation that the content submission should be communicated.~~

~~9. The method of claim 6, wherein the instructions include a template for communicating the content submission to the content-sharing website.~~

7~~10~~. The memory~~method~~ of claim 6~~9~~, wherein the template includes an attribute for a URL of the content-sharing website, an attribute for a title of the content, and an attribute for a URL for the content.

8. A computer-implemented method of remotely submitting content to a content-sharing website, the method comprising:

navigating to the content-sharing website, wherein the content-sharing website allows a user to submit content that is then displayed to other users through the content-sharing website;

determining, at a client device, that the content-sharing website has a remote content-reception functionality that allows the content-sharing website to remotely receive a content submission from an application operating on the client device;

displaying, through a user interface displayed on a display device communicatively coupled to the client device, a graphic indication that the content-sharing website is capable of remotely receiving the content submission from a remote-content-submission application on the client device that automatically submits content to the content-sharing website upon receiving a request from the user of the client device to generate the content submission;

receiving, at the client device, a request from the user of the client device to add the content-sharing website to remote-content-submission application;

retrieving, from a server hosting the content-sharing website, instructions for remotely submitting content to the content-sharing website; and

updating, at the client device, the remote-content-submission application based on the instructions, thereby enabling the remote-content-submission application to remotely submit content to the content-sharing website.

9. The method of claim 8, wherein the content-sharing website is determined to have the remote content-reception functionality because of an attribute that identifies the content-sharing website as having the remote content-reception functionality.

10. The method of claim 8, wherein the method further includes, upon said updating, changing an appearance of the graphic indication to indicate that the remote-content-submission application is now set up to communicate content to the content-sharing website.

11. The method of claim 8, wherein the method further includes:

receiving, at the client device, an instruction to navigate to a new website that is not the content-sharing website;

navigating to the new website;

displaying, through the user interface, an invitation for the user to send content to the content-sharing website;

receiving an indication from the user to send the content to the content sharing website;

generating the content submission by following the instructions; and

communicating the content submission to the content-sharing website.

~~11. One or more computer-readable media having computer-executable instructions embodied thereon for performing a method of instructing a client device to automatically submit content to a content-sharing website, the method comprising:~~

~~receiving (910), at a server associated with a website, a request for the website, wherein the request is communicated from a client application operating on the client device, and wherein the website is a content-sharing website; and~~

~~communicating (920), from the server to the client device, the website, wherein code of the content-sharing website includes an attribute that identifies the website as within a content-sharing-website category of websites and a location of an instruction for how a content submission should be communicated to the website, wherein the instruction may be accessed by the client device upon receiving an indication that a user of the client device wishes to add the website to a remote-content-submission capability of the client application, and wherein the remote-content-submission capability automatically generates the content submission.~~

~~12. The media of claim 11, wherein the instruction includes an authentication instruction for authenticating the content submission to the website from the client device.~~

~~13. The media of claim 12, wherein the authentication instruction indicates one or more of that a cookie including user credentials needs to be passed to the server with the content submission, that a basic HTTP authentication process needs to be completed, and that a user identification information should be submitted with the content submission.~~

~~14. The media of claim 13, wherein the method further includes receiving, at the server from the client device, the content submission that conforms to the instruction and the authentication instruction.~~

12~~15~~. The method~~media~~ of claim 11~~14~~, wherein the content submission includes a uniform resource locator for content and a written description of the content.

13. The method of claim 8, wherein the instructions include a template for communicating the content submission to the content-sharing website.

14. The method of claim 13, wherein the template includes an attribute for a URL of the content-sharing website, an attribute for a title of the content, and an attribute for a URL for the content.