HARNESSING THE POWER OF CHATGPT: CHROME EXTENSIONS TO SIMPLIFY TEACHER TASKS

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Abstract

This presentation aims to discuss the various ChatGPT Chrome extensions that can aid teachers in increasing productivity in their daily tasks. ChatGPT is a natural language generation tool that was launched in November 2022 and has quickly gained attention, reaching 100 million active users by January 2023 (Gratas, 2023) and receiving an estimated 96 million visitors per month (Baruffati, March 10, 2023). While ChatGPT presents both challenges and opportunities (Hwang & Chang, 2021; MIT Comparative Media Studies/Writing, 2023), there are multiple extensions available that function as virtual administrative assistants, making daily tasks easier for teachers. In this presentation, we will introduce some of these extensions, including a search engine extension (e.g., ChatGPT for Google to display ChatGPT results along with Google Search results), WebChatGPT (which allows ChatGPT to search the internet for more relevant information), ChatGPT Writer (which helps write email replies), Voice control of ChatGPT (which adds voice input for ChatGPT prompts, similar to Google voice input), and writing and editing AI (GPT for Docs which incorporates ChatGPT directly into Google Docs and Sheets that assist changing tones, fixing grammars, and generating taglines). Overall, these extensions will provide assistance to teachers in various tasks, such as email writing and web searching. This presentation will offer insights into how these tools can be used to maximize productivity and simplify daily tasks for educators.

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