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Webmaster Report

I continued to hold the UKTUG webmaster role this year. I sincerely apologise to all UKTUG members and the committee for not sparing time to recover the http://uk.tug.org website from its delinquent state which I cause over one year ago during a failed upgrade of the website management software I was using (Radiant, a Ruby on Rails program). I have simply not given the UKTUG website the time it deserves, having taken on more active self-employment and a Masters degree this year.

The chair, Jonathan Fine, has set up a blog at http://uktug.wordpress.com while the website has been dysfunctional. This has proven useful for the committee (who can all have access) to communicate its activities. I would like to thank Jonathan Fine for taking these proactive measures to continue publishing on the web. In the coming year I suggest UKTUG webmaster set up a Word-Press system on the http://uk.tug.org and provide a similar publishing system to the committee.

I am happy to continue this role next year, although if any UKTUG members would like to take on the role, I would be happy to see that happen too. Once again, my apologies for not giving the role the attention it deserves.

— David Crossland, Membership Secretary, 21st November 2008.