

Interesting webcam sites as chosen by EarthCam

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Web cams of note

Here is a sampling of the 25 most interesting Web cams of 2005, as named by EarthCam (www.earthcam.com/top25/2005):

- GracelandCam (www.elvis.com/graceland/vtour/gracecam.asp): Two cameras on the Graceland grounds keep tabs on Elvis Presley's home, so you can see who's leaving the building.
- Eiffel Tower (www.abcparislive.com): An around-the-clock eyeful.
- PandaCam (nationalzoo.si.edu/Animals/GiantPandas): See what giant pandas do when no one is watching. Wait, someone's always watching.
- PyramidCam (www.pyramidcam.com): Check out the live view of the pyramids, or just see what the weather is like in Egypt.
- Meersburg (www.meersburg-webcam.de): If you want to see an avenue in a German town, it doesn't get more picturesque than this.
- RRS James Clark Ross (www.antarctica.ac.uk/Living_and_Working/Transport/Ships/Webcam): This British vessel plies the Antarctic waters, so it's like being aboard without risking motion sickness.
- Valencia, Spain (webcam.comunitatvalenciana.com/webcam.htm): Valencia has blanketed itself in Web cams. Choose among the 50 available and enjoy the tour.
- Raleigh, N.C. Convention Center (www.rccproject.com/home.asp): Several cameras monitor the construction of Raleigh's convention center. Why didn't Phoenix think of this as its convention center addition rises?
- Hawaiian beaches (www.co.honolulu.hi.us/cameras/index.htm): These views of Kuhio and Waikiki beaches go one better than most Web cams, offering streaming video. Watch people who are having way more fun than you.
- Division of Motor Vehicles, Anchorage, Alaska (www.state.ak.us/dmv/AFOwebCam.htm): The camera in the waiting area allows you to watch people having way less fun than you.