Unit 1: Getting started in verification

Unit Outline

1. Learning objectives
2. Unit outline
3. Video: Introduction to the lesson with Claire Wardle
4. Video: Why verification matters
5. Video: How easy it is to get fooled by both serious news imagery as well as viral content, with Claire Wardle
6. Video case study: ‘Pig saves goat’
7. Video case study: ‘Eagles snatches baby’
8. Video case study: London riots
9. Discussion: Can you remember news events when false information or imagery was being shared?
10. Video: Why you need to think about verification professionally and need to set up your desktop accordingly with Claire Wardle
11. Video: Frequently asked questions about verification
12. Video tutorial: How to set-up your browser with verification-related websites
13. Video tutorial: Extensions to add to your browser
14. Video: Introduction to the First Draft checklists
15. Assessment: Set up your desktop
16. Reading list
17. List of tools