Manual TripTrace

TripTrace is a program to help you organise your pictures from holidays, citytrips, weekends, free afternoons and many more. Also it allows you to position your photos on a world map (google maps) so it makes it easier to relive your holiday and remind you of the nice memories.

The first thing you should do is getting the program ready to run of course. You do this by unzipping the .zip-file to a location of your choosing. In there you will find a .jar-file named *'TripTrace.jar'*. Simply double clicking this icon will start up the program.

When the program is started up, you will get the begin screen of '*TripTrace*'. The program itself consists of three main windows:

First there is the 'Map' itself, where you can find the world map and the pictures added on their locations.

Second, we've got the 'Manage trips' tab. Here you will be able to add new and edit existing trips. You can also fill in extra information like the location the trip was, the start and end date and some extra description. There is even an option to add a thumbnail to the trip as an easy way to recognize them. Add a trip by typing in an appropriate name and push the 'add new trip' button.

Last, but not least, you have got the 'Manage pictures' tab. In this tab, you can browse through all the pictures you have on your computer and add them to the trip of your choosing. As you can add additional information for a trip, you can do the same for every picture. You can add things like a description, the date and location when it was taken and of course, bind your picture to a specific trip. Add a picture by first selecting the trip you want to add the new picture in, then browse to the picture of your choosing and enter.

If you have added a new trip and some pictures, it's time to go back to the 'Map'. Now that you have created a trip and added a few photos, you can start placing the pictures on the right location. Navigate yourself to the correct location, select the trip and proper picture. Now click the 'Add picture to map' button and you will get a message saying to double click the map where you want to place the picture. Again there will be a message asking to confirm this. Confirm and congratulations! You just added your first pictures on the map with TripTrace ©. Enjoy!