

COMP1205 Presentation Programme 2013-14

Monday 12th May Building 34 Room 3001, 10.00-12.45

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Presenting: Groups: Q, R, S, T

Marking Groups: U, V, W, X

Schedule and Topics

10.00-10.05: Introduction and protocol for the session

10.05-10.25 Group Q: Disabilities and rights – legal responsibilities

10.25-10.45 Group R: Computer Ethics, Professional bodies and accreditation

10.45-11.05 Group S: Digital divide

11.05-11.25 Group T: How the web is changing the world:
co-operation, co-creation, crowd funding and crowd sourcing

11.25-11.45: Wash-up: feedback session for presentation groups

Abstracts

10.05 Group Q: Disabilities and rights – legal responsibilities

Abstract

No Submission!

10.25 Group R: Computer Ethics, Professional bodies and accreditation

Abstract

This presentation address the matters of computer ethics, the associated legal issues, and the professional support that exists in the industry. Perspective is given on artificial intelligence, and the ten commandments of Computer Ethics Institute are discussed.

Professionals need to have an appreciation for the legal issues surrounding the profession in order to operate effectively and ethically. Intellectual property and ethical law are of great importance in all professions, but special considering needs to be made due to the nature of information technologies.

Accredited courses represent one way of attaining credibility, and professional bodies exist to ensure these courses provide an up-to-date and comprehensive appreciation for the profession. These same bodies are able to provide advice and support to promote fair and ethical practice in the profession through membership programmes requiring, among other things, adherence to a code of conduct.

10.45 Group S: Digital divide

Abstract

In this presentation we explore the modern phenomenon known as Digital Divide, a world spread social problem that regards how despite the constant advancement of technology as a whole, such technological development is not reflected on and does not reach all communities and individuals. We consider the technological divide separating countries from each other and also the divide present within a same

nation or society, which is particularly significant in more developed countries. For these, we cite as examples the cases of the US and the UK, while we contrast their situations with those of developing countries such as those in BRICS and Africa. In our work we include the view on the problem along with measures taken against it and solutions.

11.05 Group T: How the web is changing the world:

co-operation, co-creation, crowd funding and crowd sourcing

Abstract

No Submission!