CS 3K **Book Categorization Exercise** **Due: Wed., Nov. 7**

This task was discussed in detail in class on Wednesday, Oct. 31. It is due in class on Wednesday, Nov. 7th. It is based on the following list of books available on the course web page at:

Book List for Second Reading: `http://www.csl.mtu.edu/cs3000/common/BookList.txt`

In class each student was given a sublist of about 8 books (by number) to categorize according to the following formal and content-related requirements:

Neaten up the format for each entry and eliminate duplicates.

Format:

Title, Author(s), publication date
Optional ISBN, link to vendor, etc.
1-2 sentence synopsis (cite if quoted).
Match the content of each book with any ethitechnical problem it deals with.*
Review: Provide a link to a professional review (not Amazon!)

For book reviews check the JRVP library site:

databases→B→BookReviewDisgestPlus: `http://bna.galegroup.com/bna/`
databases→B→Books & Authors→non-fiction→Technology→Computing

Goals:

The purpose of this exercise is to create an annotated bibliographic resource for CS3K that will help everyone in the course choose a second book to read.

*In addition, this exercise will connect the topic(s) of each book on the list with the CS3K list of ethitechnical problems on the course web page at **Homework 1 results:** `http://www.csl.mtu.edu/cs3000/common/ETtopics.pdf`.

The results of all students' work will be collated and published on the course web page so that each student will have access to the fully annotated book list from which to make a decision about choosing the second book to read for the course.

To do:

Turn in a hard copy of your formatted and annotated list in class on Wednesday (11/7) for the record.

Also email an HTML version of your list to the instructor by Wednesday (11/7).