Old announcements

- **11-6** The practicum for Thursday, November 8 is up.
- **11-2** When you’re pilot testing, don’t just pilot the interface: you’re also going to want to pilot the entire experimental procedure. This came up in a group meeting today and seemed important enough to share.
- **11-2** Just a reminder that we’ll take attendance Tuesday since we have Jofish coming in as a guest speaker.
- **11-2** Readings for Thursday, 11-8, mining social data, are posted.
- **10-31** (updated 4:30pm 10-31) Readings for Tuesday 11-6, Evaluating non-task-focused HCI, are posted. Guest Speaker: Jofish Kaye.
- **10-29** Readings for Thursday 11-1, Games, are posted. Sorry about the late posting.
- **10-27** Preliminary indications are that, in general, the progress reports look good overall. Thanks for that. You’ll be getting them back next week during project group meeting times.
- **10-26** Readings for Tuesday 10-30, Ubiquitous computing, are posted.
- **10-23** Project progress report. See the syllabus for more information. Update: someone mailed a few questions about the progress report; answers are here.
- **10-23** Six Degrees of separation screening. More information here.
- **10-23** Marc Smith. More information here.
- **10-23** Participate in a research study! More information here.
- **10-19** IMPORTANT! If you’ve turned in your IRB application, you can go ahead and start collecting data.
  - You do NOT need to wait for an official “go-ahead”. Good luck and have fun!
- **10-17** Readings for Tuesday 10-23 on CMC, HCI, and kids, are posted.
- **10-13** We’ve added a page for Public Questions about the class, assignments, etc.
- **10-11** Readings for 10-16, “Evaluating designs (cheaply)”, are posted.
- **10-9** Posted a couple of jobs, and a few interesting readings/links.

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**9-30** (was 9-27) Human subjects app due. Here are some sample forms, and here’s the IRB’s forms page. Turn them in electronically to ahci@cornell.edu by midnight on Sunday.

**9-27** Readings for 10-4, "evaluating HCI and design research", are posted.

**9-27** Readings for 10-2, "networks, social and otherwise", are posted.

**9-25** Think about attending The Information Science Breakfast Series: Fridays at 10-11am at 301 College Avenue. For more information go here: http://www.cs.cornell.edu/~gl/is_breakfast_fall07.htm

**9-24** Posted some sample IRB forms.

**9-23** Readings for 9-27, "persuasive computers", are posted.

**9-20** Complete Human Subjects Training. But do it this weekend and get it out of the way.

**9-20** 440 practicum on learning about users

**9-19** Readings for 9-25, "people, computers, things, and people", are posted.

**9-18** Students in 440 - Look at the Practicum page - there you’ll find the assignment for Thursday’s class.

**9-07** Human subject applications -- date change. We’re going to make the human subject apps due later because they’re easier to fill out once you know more details about the project. They are not due the 11th; they will likely be due Sept. 27, and we will firm that date up in the next few days. Focus on your project proposal.

**9-17** Readings for 09-20, using theory with, in, and for design, are posted. Sorry about the delay; there was some downtime for Confluence this weekend.

**9-14** Readings for 9-18 on learning from users are posted.

**9-10** Readings for 9-13 are up! Enjoy.

**9-10** Common feedback plus my brief comments is posted, just so you know what others in class had to say.

**9-08** Readings for 9-11 are posted

**9-06** Project proposals - addendum: In order to help you focus/starts your proposal, there is a template that was used last year. Go to Course Information and click on the attachments. You should be able to download the template from there in a word document format. It is not obligatory to use this format, but helpful!

**9-06** Human Subjects Training vs. Application I am sorry if I misspoke/confused y’all in class today.
  - The human subjects training you’re required to do online is due in two weeks: 09-20-07. Go here for training: http://www.irb.cornell.edu/training/
  - The human subjects application is due at the same time as the project proposal: 09-1107. Get the application form here: http://www.irb.cornell.edu/forms/

**9-06** Project proposals! Your project proposals are due on Tuesday 9-11-07 according to the syllabus. The syllabus outlines what the proposal should contain. I hope that today’s mentor-meeting helped you to focus even more on what your group is actually doing and how you will do it. The process of starting a project is by definition ambiguous and stressful - Don’t fret! You’re almost there! - hb.

**8-30** You should form tentative groups before Tuesday.

**8-29** Readings for Tuesday, 9-04, are up.

**8-27** Remember to submit “two” ideas to the practicum b-board for Thursday.

**8-27** The readings for Thursday (08-30) are up!

**8-23** Next Thursday’s practicum is for everyone, and its goal is to help you think about groups and good ideas. The more you do before Thursday, the more effective it will be.

**8-22** The syllabus and draft reading list are posted.
- 8-22 Notes for Thursday have been posted.
- 8-21 Readings posted for Thursday's class.
- 8-21 You should practice editing the wiki on the The Sandbox page.