IS 709/809: Research and Development Project Final Logistics

Each student must complete a course research and development project related to a topic in the broad applications of computational methods in information systems area. Projects can range from designing or applying in-depth computational techniques to simulations, analysis, or real testbed experiments. Any topic in the information systems field is acceptable, subject to approval. You may work in pairs, but this is not required. At the end of the semester, each group will present their work in class as mentioned on the course schedule webpage and turn in a conference-style paper describing the project (at least 6 pages or more).

Tentative Presentation Schedule:

We will have all the presentations on the last day of the class.

• Tuesday, 12th December (18 minutes each presentation with 2 minutes Q&A)

Project Report Formatting and Submission Procedure

Papers must be 6 pages or more, including references, figures and tables (at least 10pt font, 2-column format) and should follow the IEEE conference proceedings formatting guidelines. The IEEE LaTeX and Microsoft Word templates, as well as formatting instructions, can be found at the following link: <u>http://www.computer.org/portal/web/cscps/formatting</u>

The final project report should be submitted as a soft-copy (pdf) to the instructor at nroy@umbc.edu by Tuesday, December 19th midnight.