CSE 430 - Operating Systems Fall 2015 Project #4

Due: Nov 30th

Readers and Writers

Using the semaphores you have implemented, implement the Readers and Writers Problem. Design how you want to get the processes to print, such that you can see which process if doing what (reading, writing, waiting, or in the "remainder section" etc). The solution code has been posted in the synopsis section, and you can find it. Either version 1 or version 2 may be used.

Run at least 3 reader and 2 writer processes (more readers preferred).

Submission and Grading:

Your project must consist of 5 files

- 1. TCB.h (uses ucontext.h)
- 2. q.h (includes TCB.h)
- 3. threads.h (includes q.h)
- 4. sem.h (includes threads.h)
- 5. proj-4.c (includes sem.h) must contain your name(s) in comments @ beginning (make sure the compile command, "gcc proj-4.c" does the correct compilation).

All 5 files are to be ZIPPED into one zip or gzip file and emailed to 430<dot>proj at gmail.

Note: We will be using gcc on Ubuntu to test. It is in your interest to make sure the program compiles and runs in the target test platform.