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LINUX KERNEL DEVELOPMENT, ROBERT LOVE

Chapter 1 and 2 Summary

Robert Love, author of Linux Kernel Development (September, 2003) book, explains the history and development of the Linux Kernel and how to get the Kernel started on your own computer. Love covers the history behind the development of the Linux Kernel in Chapter one and then in Chapter two he discusses how to actually get started with the Kernel by giving steps on installation, building the Kernel and details about simple procedures. The author's purpose in the first two chapters of the book it to give the audience an insight behind the history of the Linux Kernel and how to actually build one. The intended audience for these first two chapters is students who want to learn about the Linux Kernel and computer scientist who are interested in operating systems.