Weekly Log

Week commencing 14/01/2013

**15/01 Notes**

As the first week to work officially on the third year project I have derived the followings actions I require to take before the end of this week/end of week 3:

* Book an appointment with supervisor before Friday
* Discuss the proposal written before Christmas and take it with me to the meeting.
* Discuss the content of the project; is it a big enough task with a level of difficulty appropriate for a third year project.
* Discuss and find out about the possibility of an internship at work with the development team can be included for credit.
* Research online surveys
* Read examples of projects and preliminary project report guide
* Confirm focus of in team process to investigate.
* Confirm focus of inter-team processes to investigate
* Version control research

**17/01 Notes**

Upon meeting Daniel Stamate, my supervisor for my third year project, I can confirm the following the actions and points of note:

* To obtain a copy of “Data Mining Techniques” by Jiawei Han
* To move forward secondment to the development team
* The secondment can be included into the project in one of two ways. It can be used as research for the project or if I can derive an “umbrella” (topic or title) of the project that can involve both parts of my project it can be added for credit.
* Collate current data and bring to the next meeting session
* Will be coding the data mining algorithms in JAVA and will look to implement a database to optimize the process and possibly add a random element to the creation of data mining models.
* Completed tasks include discussing the content of the proposal and complexity of the project and agreed that there is enough criterion/processes within the department to optimize using data mining.