**Topic: Alpha and Beta testing via the Play store**(Previous topic: Preferences Web Services)

Intro

* Today will mainly be an in-class work day
* Term project and all labs due by Monday at 8:00am
* Term project presentations are on Monday. Just demo your app. You can come do it in person, do it via Collaborate screen sharing, or make a video in advance for me to show to the class.

Types of Publishing

1. Google Play Store
   1. Publish apps for alpha or beta testing
      1. Testing can be public or private
   2. Publish apps for publication
      1. Apps can be paid, advertising supported, or free
2. Other App Stores
   1. Amazon App Store
3. Ad-Hoc distribution
   1. Publish APK and distribute it yourself

Process of publishing  
See: <https://developer.xamarin.com/guides/android/deployment,_testing,_and_metrics/publishing_an_application>