

Lecture Summary – Week 4
COMP 3900 and COMP 6390
Semester 2, 2016

Lecture Contents

Our guest speaker for this lecture timeslot will be Mr Graham Downie. Mr Downie worked as a journalist for the Canberra Times; he helps run a scout group; he goes cross-country skiing and bicycle riding. He will talk about how he, as a blind person, uses advanced information and communication technologies to support all these activities.

He gave this talk last year and the year before, speaking for about 45 minutes then answering questions for another half an hour. I expect that we will use our time in a similar way this year.

A high-quality recording of his first talk to this class is on the course Wattle site for Week 4.

Activities

Ask questions during the question time.

Make your own notes about what he says.