



COMP 47360

Literature Review Session



The Task

- Review, critique and evaluate an academic research paper
 - ▣ In teams
 - ▣ Choose a name your team
- Prepare a 5 minute presentation about the paper
 - ▣ 1-2 speakers
 - ▣ Powerpoint, Google, Prezi,...

The Process

- Read the paper
 - ▣ Jot down comments and questions as you read
- Discuss the paper as a group
 - ▣ What's the problem being addressed?
 - ▣ What does the paper build on (related work)?
 - ▣ What approach is taken by the authors?
 - What's new/novel about it?

The Process

- ▣ Are the results/conclusion strong and convincing?
 - What type of testing/evaluation was carried out
- ▣ Is the future work achievable?
- ▣ How can it be applied to the research practicum project?
 - Is it applicable at all?

Future Work



- Begin to scope out the literature review.
 - ▣ What are the key areas of the project
 - ▣ Find other research papers relevant to the project