**Software Engineering Project Topic**

In this semester’s CENG350 project, you will consider Chorus, a crowd-powered conversational agent. Please, refer to the Chorus web site for information: <http://talkingtothecrowd.org/>. We are interested in Chorus as an integrated software-human system, rather than an AI application. Therefore, machine learning extensions to Chorus, in particular Evorus, is out of scope. Also out of scope is spoken dialog extensions, as in the Guardian system.

You will find the paper by Lasecki et al. (2013), accessible from the Chorus site, useful. You may interact with Chorus. You should be nice to the chatbot as it is most likely run by real people.

The delivery schedule for the SRS and SDD is given in the course syllabus. For administrative details, please, follow the announcements by the Tas.