

File 20110228.0817: Notes from meeting with Dr Martin:

Dr Martin and I met Monday at 3:00 PM. I had prepared an agenda before the meeting organised around re-planning work to get the confirmation report submitted next week. That was a false alarm, as the report is due Easter, not next week. For future reference, 'the end of week 8' really means 'week 0 of the next term'. Chapters and confirmation report will be ready then. We talked about what ought to go into Chapters 1 and 2; some people put a lot of material into Chapter 1 about why the problem is interesting; I need to fix up my outline of Ch. 1 and balance it over Chapters 1–2.

Dr Martin advised not to prioritise the GSS report over productive work. The details should come from my weekly reports anyway. He sent a link to the MP3 of last week's seminar on cyber warfare; I can listen to that today, a good thing to do when I am sick. Reading Group meets Wednesday; I am going to try to get over this flu and get back to productive work.

Next meeting with Dr Martin scheduled for Tuesday, 8th March at 3 PM Oxford time.

[not for report] GSS reports: when things are going well, no one except the student's supervisor and college advisor read them; when things are not going well, DGS gets involved and what Prof. Kwiatkowska wants to see is a clear audit trail of reporting, risk reduction measures, and so on.

References