**CM214-COMP2008
Data Communications and Networks**

Introduction

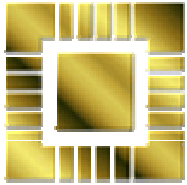Karl R. Wilcox

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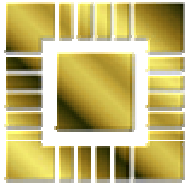
Background

- This is the second part of CM214 / COMP2008

- First part taught by Paul Garratt

  – Assumed to cover the means of moving "bits" from one place to another

- Second part concentrates on protocols and applications

  – Doing something useful with the "bits"

Administration

- ## Weekly Lectures
  - Wednesdays 11:55 & 12:50
  - Short break
- ## 14 "Units" to work through
  - 7 Weeks, hopefully fewer
- ## Course Notes
  - Lecture slides available (gradually!)
  - www.ecs.soton.ac.uk/~krw
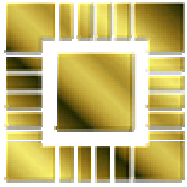
Examination

- Questions have been set that cover both parts of the course

- You need to revise both parts to complete exam!

- Past papers for previous 2 years are in this format

  – (Some material has been added this year)
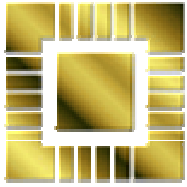
Assignment

- Recall, I have set (and will mark) the assignment
- Full details on the website
  - www.ecs.soton.ac.uk/~krw
- Questions by e-mail please
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  - (reply will come from other addresses)