

Mid Term Exam

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For the mid term, students will compile a short writing assignment about their experiences in compiling academic research.

One paper is due, addressing the following topics.

1. When researching a topic, what should you do first, a literature survey or the design of experiments?
2. Prepare a graph illustrating the time required to produce a literature survey, design of experiments, executed experiments, then the resulting data analysis.
3. Considering your responses to 1, and 2 above, consider the amount of time is required to produce reliable research. What game plan should a university student have, to produce effective research? Produce a Smart Art graphic in Power Point for you to have, to remember how to best complete academic research.

Submission guidelines

1. Post the mid term to your github account.
2. send Stefan the URL to your paper, on github, to Stefan in an email
3. use email stefan.bund@rccd.edu