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**Interactive Web Computing**Dr F Browne

**Final Year - Assignment 2 Feedback and Marks**

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| **Layout and Usability**  Web site design, appearance and usability | 9/12 |
| **Code**  Quality and range of RIA design/implementation features  Dynamic population of content  Quality of Framework, jQuery and Ajax code (e.g. structure, elegance, good choice of names, helpful comments) | 22.5/28 |
| Quality / thoroughness of usability testing report | 3/6 |
| Quality of response to negative issues | 3/4 |
| Total Marks: 37.5 out of a possible 50 (75%) | |

**Feedback comments**

Very good work! Clear effort applied in the development of this assignment. The site is visually presented and built upon the Bootstrap framework. Effort has been put into CSS development through personalization of the site. Layout of site could be enhanced with more use of Bootstrap components such as carousel and pagination. The screen cast provided a good overview of the functionality. The site is usable with functionality implemented with good use of AJAX to read in and save the content from BBC API feed to a MySQL DB. Use of plugins noted. Very good use of PHP/MySQL to count the number of views. Good work with the modal to display the news content. Site could be further enhanced with additional functionality.

Code well written and indented. Thought applied to the optimisation of the code.

RSS feeds along with AJAX used to display content on the page.

Evidence that usability tests were carried out in a thorough manner. Summary highlighted the key feedback from users.

Response to negative issues was good with technical detail provided