**IMAT3451 - Reading List**

Development / Hybrid Projects

**Ricketts, Ian W. (2015) *Managing Your Software Project*. Springer.**

A useful introduction to the documentation required for developing a software project.

**Dawson, Christian W. (2009) *Projects in Computing and Information Systems: a student’s guide*. 2nd ed. Pearson Education.**

Useful guide for all students, but particularly helpful for literature searching, literature reviews and presenting information.

Britton, Carol & Doake, Jill (2006) Software System Development. 4th ed. McGraw-Hill.

Describes a variety of design approaches.

Weaver, Philip (2004) Success in Your Project. Pearson Education Ltd.

A very useful guide for development projects.

**Research / Hybrid Projects**

**Dawson, Christian W. (2015) *Projects in Computing and Information Systems: a student’s guide*. 3rd . Pearson Education.**

Useful guide for all students, but particularly helpful for literature searching, literature reviews and presenting information.

**O’Leary, Zina (2013)** The Essential Guide to Doing Research. 2nd ed. Sage.

A useful book which offers guidelines for carrying out research.

**Oates, Briony (2006) Researching Information Systems and Computing. Sage.**

**Cornford, Tony & Smithson, Steve (2006) *Project Research in Information Systems*. 2nd ed. Palgrave MacMillan.**

A useful guide to final year projects which have a strong research focus.

**Pamela Munn & Eric Drever (2004) Using Questionnaires in Small-Scale Research. University of Glasgow.**

This is compulsory reading for all students doing research projects. There are only three copies in the library so make sure you reserve a copy early. It is brief, only 70 pages and clear.