**Administrivia**

CMSC 631

November 18, 2004

**Projects**

- Project talks start after Thanksgiving
  - Email me a title before then
  - Only one person per project needs to talk
  - Will count towards your project grade
  - Plan to speak for 15 minutes max

- Projects due Friday, December 17
  - Submit projects via email to me

**Final Exam**

- Proposal: Take-home exam
  - Given out last day of class, 12/9, at end of talks
  - Due back 24 hours later, my office, 4129 AVW
    - But won’t take full 24 hours!
  - May use slides from class, homeworks, solutions, your own notes, stuff already posted on the wiki, and any papers or texts that were assigned reading
    - Cite your source if by accident there’s a solution in the acceptable materials
    - You may not use any other resources
    - You may not talk about the exam with anyone else

**Course Evaluations**

- On-line evaluations available Friday until 12/10
  - Please take the time to fill these out
  - Written comments are much more helpful than numerical data
    - You are always welcome to tell me comments about the course directly, any time (even after the semester has ended), if anonymity doesn’t matter

**Course Materials**

- Please do not give homework solutions to anyone
  - We hope to reuse HW questions in future instantiations of the class

**Upcoming PL Courses**

- Spring 2005: Hicks, 838Z
  - Language-Based Security
  - Has 631 as a pre-requisite
  - Highly recommended

- Fall 2005: No courses offered

- Spring 2006: Foster, 631
TA Opportunity

- CMSC 330 will be changing in Fall 2005
  - “Organization of Programming Languages”
  - Required course for CS undergrads

- If you’ve taken this class, you’d be a great TA
  - Potential change: new version may use OCaml