Upcoming events: This week's speakers are our own Sphinx, Runcible, and PackRats, who will each report on their technical components (respectively, OS/X, AWT/swing and C#/.net).

Seminar: Jens, Geoff and the designee(s) from Kate's seminar will each post a reflective piece on the reading by Friday/Saturday, March 1 or 2.

DBMS Take-home Midterm (resubmission):   due this Monday, March 4, 1pm.
SQL quiz on the "pubs" database (optional):   next Monday 1-1:30pm (March 11, 10th week).
DBMS Project Demo's: Wed/Thu March 13-14.
Project notebooks and your DBMS portfolio (assignments you have completed): due with the demo.

Each project will present its work in progress on Thursday of the 10th week! Plan on an all day session – lots of interesting stuff, good food, and fellowship.

Monday:
IA   Read Chapter 6 in *Information Architecture for the World Wide Web* and
        Jakob Nielson's Search: Visible and Simple. http://www.useit.com/alertbox/20010513.html
        * * * Assignment 4 is due at 10:00

DB   Review Transactions and Authorizations 8.6-8.7, in prep for assignment (due Wed).
        Web-accessible database demo (ASP) by Jeff.

Project **DRAFT Proposals for Financial Support from the NCIIA Grant – due today (email OK).**
        * * * Team Progress Report and Individual status reports due – by 8:00 am via email. Be sure to include your project's name in the subject heading. Best if you also include a time log!
                Be sure to cc ALL other members of your project team!!!!

Seminar   * * * by 6pm: post response to one of the reflective entries on web xing.

Tuesday:
Seminar: *Where Wizards Stay up Late*.   For Judy's seminar, everyone bring 2 copies of your paper (which should be a substantial penultimate draft!) for review by peers and Judy).   Kate will email her directions Sunday or Monday.

DB   1:30-3:30 Help Session in ACC

Project Meetings: as usually scheduled.

Wednesday:
IA   no assignment

DB   * * * Assignment 6 and 7 (the last homework assignments!) due.
                We will do Assignment 8 in class today, as a workshop.
                Read about XML – 4.6, 4.7 plus the W3C's xml.com that Erik distributed, for an inclass exercise!

Seminar   * * * by 6pm: post another response.

Thursday:
DBMS Lab   10:30-12. Time to work on your PDAs.

Weekly Speaker and Treats : Sphinx, Runcible, and PackRats 2:30-4, LH2.

Week 10 Seminar reading HeadsUP: We will read Bill Ransom's *Jaguar*. He will meet with us during the seminar time, and wants feedback on reading the novel on line. It is available for $6 from Alexandria Digital Literature (or $8.50 from Microsoft, Amazon or Powell's), and was the first e-novel to outsell short fiction. Check out Bill and *Jaguar* at http://www.alexlit.com.