EECS 211: Advanced System Software Lecture 2

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Lecture 2: Overview

- Course administration
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- Operating Systems Review
 - Processes
 - Threads
 - Scheduling

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Course Administration

- Assignment 1
 - Schedule
 - posted on course web page Jan 10, 2004 (yesterday)
 - due Jan 17, 2004 (next week)
 - The Nachos System
 - Task 1: Get an overview
 - Text book, Appendix C (contents online)
 - Task 2: Setup the software
 - Setup environment, copy tar-ball, unpack, compile, test
 - · Task 3: Understand the Nachos system
 - Read documents, source code
 - Deliverables
 - none (but the next assignment relies on this one!)

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Operating Systems Review

- Excerpts from chapters 4 through 6 of "Operating System Concepts" by A. Silberschatz, P. B. Galvin, G. Gagne, John Wiley & Sons, 2003.
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