CSE 490c Midterm Topic List -- May 5, 2004

This is a brief list of some of the topics we've covered so far this quarter. You are responsible for anything on this list, *as well as anything else* that we have covered in lecture, discussion, homework, or readings. As a reminder, the midterm is in-class, openbook, open-notes, and closed-computer.

- Unix

- Shell and basic commands
- Advanced commands (grep, find, sed, diff, etc.)
- Regular expressions
- Emacs
- Redirecting output
- Shell scripts
- Development Tools
- IDE vs. Tool suite
- Editors, interpreters, compilers, virtual machines, linkers, debuggers, etc.
- Debugging with JDB
- Make
- Programming in Groups
- Benefits and Challenges
- CVS
- Pair Programming
- Programming for Correctness
- Specifications (pre/post conditions, invariants)
- Assertions
- Documentation
- Testing
- Defensive Programming
- Programming for Change
- Social Impact Discussions
- Intellectual Property
- Digital Rights Management
- Software Failures