Marking the paper

1. Answers to questions plausible supported by evidence in paper? (2 marks)
2. Evidence of ‘critical thinking’ not just summarising the article
   • Evidence of reflection on implications of issues/problems in real world?
   • Students opinions on issues arguments raised must be justified
   • Evidence of use of other material. (3)

Assignment 1 - 25% (4000 - 5000 words)

• Due Date: 7th April, 2006 - Individual assignment.
• Purpose: explore development techniques for developing systems with a strong HCI focus.
• Requirements:
  – select one development technique discussed in lectures
  – select website from list and use it to describe how you would apply your selected methodology to a redesign of the web site system up to the point of user evaluation.
  – compare technique with the SDLC drawing on the selected website as an example.
  – focus on similarities and differences between the two techniques emphasising the elements that would produce a better system

Requirements cont’d

• Provide detailed description of selected development methodology
• Justify choice drawing on relevant literature. This will relate to the website you have selected.
• Provide detailed critical comparison of selected methodology against SDLC. Use literature to support the comparison.
• Provide description of how the methodology will be used and the people involved. Relate to the website you have selected.
• Please also note that the purpose of this assignment is not to conduct a review of the listed web sites. The businesses and their websites are merely to provide you with a context in which to consider an appropriate development methodology and to describe an appropriate approach to a redesign of that website.