17.918: Agendas for Classes 2 and 3

IAP Group Teach

Agenda for Class 2

• 12:15-12:30: Reading Discussion and Wrap-Up of Trade Networking
• 12:30-1:15 Internet Show-and-Tell
• 1:15-1:40 Small Group Discussion
  – How people and politics are connected
  – How technology fits in/changes this
  – Strengths/Drawbacks
• 1:40-1:55 Main Group Reconvenes
• 1:55-2:00 Next Class Discussion
Agenda for Class 3

• 12:15-1:15 Global Agenda! Presentation
• 1:15-1:45 Assignment 3 Introduction, Brainstorming and Examples
• 1:15-1:40 International Futures
• 1:45-2:00 Discuss “Future of the Internet…And How to Stop It” Lecture (on 23rd) and Assignment 2

Examples for Assignments 2 / 3

• Regulation of Patents – Prescription Drugs, Copyrights, TRIPs
• Disposal of Nuclear/Chemical/Biological Wastes
• Kyoto-Climate Change Debate
• Governing the Internet
• Technology in Education (more needed than just giving a computer)
• Genetically Modifying Organisms
• Microsoft/Monopolies – MNCs
• Digital Divides
• Open Source/Freeware
• Security and Defense Technologies