

AITI – Reading List for Interested Students

The AITI leadership has compiled a list of books and articles about international development and technology over the past few years. If you have some free time during the semester or the summer, we recommend these readings as they will give you a perspective for your experiences in Africa:

Books:

Pippa Norris, *Digital Divide*

Manuel Castells, *The Rise of the Network Society*

Benjamin Barber, *Jihad Vs. McWorld* (This book is somewhat related to our study of ICT in the developing world, but it is an interesting read).

Articles:

Harris, Roger, “Understanding the Relationship between ICTs and Development”
<http://mail.sarai.net/pipermail/solaris/2002-August/000283.html>

ICT Development Newsletter, July 1, 2002: The G8 Digital Opportunity Task Force (DotForce) articles.

<http://www.ictdevagenda.org/frame.php?dir=07&sd=10&id=216>

<http://www.ictdevagenda.org/frame.php?dir=07&sd=10&id=221>

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<http://www.ictdevagenda.org/frame.php?dir=07&sd=10&id=226>

<http://www.ictdevagenda.org/frame.php?dir=07&sd=10&id=227>

Don Richardson, Ricardo Ramirez, Moinul Haq, *Grameen Telecom’s Village Phone Programme in Rural Bangladesh: a Multi-Media Case Study. Final Report. Telecommons Development Group (TDG): 2002.*

<http://www.telecommons.com/villagephone/contents.html>

“What Works: Serving the Poor, Profitably”, by Prahalad and Hammond, Markle Foundation, World Resources Institute, 2002.

http://www.digitaldividend.org/pdf/serving_profitably.pdf

“Serving the Poor, Profitably”, by Prahalad and Hammond, *Harvard Business Review*, 2003.

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