

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