

Assignment #8

Due: Thursday, January 20, 2011

Reproduce the document contained on pages 2-3 of this file. (Your document, however, may turn out to be more than two pages.) I want your name where [Your name] is, but everything else through the end of the first section (and subsection) should be identical (except possibly for the citation numbers). In the second section of the document, I want you to briefly describe the last three books you read, citing each one of them so that they show up in the References. You must use BibTeX for all of your bibliographic work in this assignment.

Make a `.pdf` file and send the `.tex`, `.bib` and `.pdf` files to me through the Drop Box.

A Book Discussion

Your name

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1 Bestsellers and Others

Malcolm Gladwell is a bestselling author, and in 2009 he released a book of his favorite essays from *The New Yorker* ([5]). His previous two books, [4] and [3], made it to #1 on all of the Bestseller lists, but my favorite of his books is his first one, *The Tipping Point* ([2]).

I don't believe the book by Julia Child ([1]) was a bestseller until the movie "Julie and Julia" came out in the summer of 2009. A bestselling book that several good friends of mine enjoyed was authored by Michael Pollan ([9]).

Moving on to journals, I found an article discussing President Obama's background in Chicago politics ([7]). You can also go to a very specialized journal to find an article co-written by my brother ([6]).

A last unrelated item: my parents attended Syracuse University for college, which means that I grew up watching Syracuse basketball. Consequently, I was disappointed to see [10] over the weekend.

1.1 Details of this Document

This document has a left margin of .7 inches, a right margin of 1.3 inches, a top margin of 1 inch, and a bottom margin of 1.1 inches. I am using the `amsplain` bibliography style for the References section. Remember that you'll need the `url` package in the preamble for one of the references. Also, pay careful attention to the capitalization in the bibliography entries; use `{` and `}` when appropriate. You may need to use web sites like `amazon.com` or `scholar.google.com` to get the bibliographic information for this document correct. The References should exist on their own page in your document. Notice that the entry in the Table of Contents does not say "References"! Finally, don't forget that there is an item in the References which I have not cited!

2 A Personalized Section

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