

CS 3001-A Computing, Society, and Professionalism (Spring 2024)
Week 4 Section Guide

O. TA to point the section exercise (class activities) and section discussion guide links from the course website to all of the students

I. Review the rules in rule utilitarianism, Kantianism, and social contract theory (15 min)

- All three have rules
- Rules are created for different reasons

III. Work on the questions given in the Class Activity 1, based on the optional reading of this week by Shoshana Zuboff – an excerpt taken from her book titled “The Age of Surveillance Capitalism: The Fight for a Human Future at the New Frontier of Power” (25 min). After that, each student goes in turn to present their thoughts/answers. TA to moderate discussion at the end of each activity.

IV. Work on the Class Activity 2 titled “The Social Responsibility of Business” – an excerpt from the New York Times. TA to facilitate discussion among classmates. (25 min)

V. TA to point students to the term paper proposal specs on the class website including noting the deadline (<http://www.munmund.net/courses/spring2024/cs3001a/TermPaperProposal.pdf>). TA to then nudge students to start thinking about potential ideas they want to explore as part of their term papers. (5 min)

VI. Introduce readings for next week. (5 min)