

ISAT 121 Assignment #3

Due: 24 April 2008

Design a Corporate Computer

You are the IT purchasing manager for a large corporate office. The company is about to open a new branch with 10 full-time personnel who will all need their own personal computer. You must design and submit for approval the purchase orders for the components of the 10 systems that you will build. Your purchase orders must be complete and describe each of the major components in the computer, why you selected that component, where the components will be purchased from (include the complete URL for each item), and their cost (including any shipping costs). You are not to purchase completed systems since we hired you for your experience and skills with building and maintaining systems. You have been given a budget of \$8,000.00 for the purchases.

Each of the systems must be capable of running MS Office 2007 and Windows XP Pro (upgradeable to Vista Pro at a later date). However, you will not need to purchase the applications or the operating system since we have a site license for this software.

Submit your purchase order in a MS Word document and upload through the class' website prior to midnight on 24 April. Your submissions will be graded on the quality of the systems you will build relative to their costs, their suitability to the tasks which they will be used for, style, layout, spelling, and also grammar too as well.