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College of Engineering, University of Nevada, Reno
CS 420/CS 620 Human-Computer Interaction

Assignment #2

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Due: Tuesday, October 2, 5:00 pm
Points: 50
Weight in course grade: 5% in CS 420 and 4% in CS 620

For this assignment you have to select and exercise a software tool (environment) that supports the construction of user-computer interfaces. Work with this tool on some simple application(s) and write a description of the tool's main characteristics and applicability (between 700 and 1000 words).

Indicate the selected tool's name, the company that produces it, the current status of the tool, and its availability. Then, describe its functions, organization, capabilities, and intended areas of applications. Indicate your personal opinions on the tool and provide recommendations for its potential users. To give an idea of the "look and feel" of the selected HCI tool you should also include between three and six snapshots of the tool "in action".

Submission: PDF file, sent to the instructor by email at dascalus@cse.unr.edu