

CS 294-42: Cloud Computing, Infrastructure, Services, and Applications

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(<http://www.cs.berkeley.edu/~istoica/classes/cs294/09/>)

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Paper Selection

- Each of you will be responsible to present around 4 papers
- Go through the reading list (<http://www.cs.berkeley.edu/~istoica/classes/cs294/09/>) and send the list of your 10 most preferred papers by **Friday, Jan 30**
- I'll do the match and send you the assignment by **Saturday, Jan 31**

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Blogs

- Create a blog, if you do not have one already:
 - E.g., <https://www.blogger.com/>
- Write summaries before lecture
 - I'll read them!

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Questions to Answer

- What is the problem? Is the problem real?
- What is the solution's main idea (nudget)?
- Why is solution different from previous work?
 - Is technology different?
 - Is workload different?
 - Is problem different?

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Questions to Answer (cont'd)

- Does the paper (or do **you**) identify any fundamental/hard trade-offs?
- Do you think the work will be influential in 10 years?
 - Why or why not?
- Others
 - What was different then from now? (for old papers)
 - Any big flaws?
 - Any assumptions you disagree?
 - ...

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Paper Discussion Format

- 20-25min per paper
 - 10 min presentation (verbal, whiteboard, or slides)
 - 10-15min discussions

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