On Mar 25, 5:42 am, David Fanning <n...@dfanning.com> wrote:
> Folks,
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> Tired of writing IDL programs? Need something to do at
> work that *looks* like work, but isn't? Then you've
> come to the right place!
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> I was cleaning though one of my drawers the other day
> and came upon a list of books I had read in 1976. Very
> illuminating. (Well, for me, anyway. I'm not sure about you.)
> In any case, I've decided to keep a list for 2007, too,
> so I can compare it to 30 years ago.
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> But, of course, now I can do it in a public way so that
> those of you who care about books can make suggestions
> about what I should be reading. Consider this an experiment
> to see what in the world the nerds actual read when they
> aren't writing IDL programs. :-)
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> I've put the 2007 list here:
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>   http://www.dfanning.com/reading/coyote_reading.html
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> And the 1976 list here:
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>   http://www.dfanning.com/reading/list_1976.html
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> What I would like to have is a page where famous
> people in the IDL community (I.e, anyone who has
> ever posted an article on this newsgroup) lists their
> top five favorite books (on ANY subject), along with
> a short note, if they like, about the books. I think
> it would be extremely interesting to see the result.
> You can publish anonymously if you like, but I would
> prefer that you give me permission to publish your
> name along with your list. (No contact information,
> however.) Send me your list!
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> Cheers,
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> David
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> --
> David Fanning, Ph.D.

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> Coyote's Guide to IDL Programming:http://www.dfanning.com/
> Sepore ma de ni thui. ("Perhaps thou speakest truth.")

I'm born in 1977, i had never thought david born so early.
by the way ,you read so many books this year. i can show you a list of
mine this year ,but i'm not sure which one is my faverate.
because i live in china, most of book i read is written in chinese, i
must say it's hard to find a good book about idl. i can buy two books
about idl in market.

i must say these books are poorly helpful, expecially the last one ,
but i can't find other book in china.

other books i read recently are something about Visual base
2005(because i was ask to develop a MIS), and some linux books.
owo, i also read some novels or biographies , like zhuangzi, a
famous ideologist in ancient times.