**Ethics Quiz Monday Lab – HOME QUIZ**

**Due Day: Monday, Sept 2, 2013, by 5 PM**

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Answer all questions

For each case study answer the following

* List ALL ACM Code of Ethics imperatives which apply to the given scenario
* **Clearly and thoroughly explain how the imperatives are violated or upheld (provide detailed explanation at least for one imperative)**
* Provide an ethical course of action based on the ACM Code of Ethics to resolve the issues in the given scenario

**Case Study 1:**

Sarah, just started working for Bell-O just started her first month and is very successful with entering information for attendance in the database. She is 52 and admires all the people with work experience that has more than 20 years experience within the organization and believes interns 18 years and younger should be qualified as unfit for the job because they did not format their times and attendance correctly in order for her to input it in the system. She began to take action by marking all the interns absent to make it seem that they have been slacking and soon will no longer be able to continue to work for Bell-O. Several weeks passed with her doing so and the interns were soon dismissed from the organization without wondering why they were no longer needed.

**Case Study 2:**

You are the lead programmer for a company that is currently working on new software that will allow the organization to create invoices, pay bills, ship products, etc. This program will be extremely easy to download and install onto current computers running on any and all operating systems. You also provide a top of the line security system to ensure that all personal information cannot be accessed by anyone other than who it is meant for. The CEO is so impressed with the prototype product and the short amount of time you took to release it, he makes one last request; And that is that you provide paid assistance when needed via phone/ or remotely for any troubleshooting that may occur as it does in just about all new software when you have a company’s entire payroll switching to it. So you decide to enter in a line or 2 that will ensure that the program crashes every 23rd implementation. For you an easy fix, but it will ensure that you will be called and paid to fix this incredibly easy line that you’ve entered.