Geog176A Labs

What to expect….

5 Labs, each worth 10% of your grade

- A little GeoDA
- A little more Google Earth
- A lot of ArcGIS Desktop
What to Expect

- **Lab1:** Becoming familiar with the software
- **Lab2:** Becoming familiar with spatial data and spatial reference systems
- **Lab3:** Creating your own data and asking questions
- **Lab4:** Becoming familiar with tabular data, quantitative displays, and making cool maps
- **Lab5:** Introduction to Web GIS

Structure of Labs

- **Step by step instructions**
- **Tried and tested, soon to be a published manual**
- **Author:** Indy Hurt
- **Posted as Word Docs and PDF files on the GauchoSpace site**
- **Please try and avoid paper!**
Where to find the lab website

- Log in with your UCSB Net ID (same as you use for Gold)
- Find GEOG 176A – INTRO GEOG INF SYS – FALL 2008
  - You’ve automatically been added to this course if you are enrolled.
Geog176A!
The verdict...
Labs for Geog 176A

- The Star Lab (Named for former faculty member Jeff Star)
- Note memorial quilt in lab
- 2620 Ellison Hall
- Protocols for use
- Access

Star Lab

- Fill out access form
- Return to instructor or TA
- Signed form will be returned to you asap
- Take signed for to building 300
- Have photo taken, give digital signature, pay $15
- ID acts as key to room: Wave at entry block by door
- Access 24/7 if building is open
- Door remains open for more than 30 seconds: alarm sounds
- You will be on camera while in lab