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On 2006-03-27, Unix Worker <[unixworker@xxxxxxxxx](mailto:unixworker@xxxxxxxxx)> wrote:

3) Operating systems — I guess I should get the Tanenbaum here, unless somebody can recommend a lighter, more Unix- and Windows-centric alternative.

Well, Tanenbaum *\_is\_* a university level text. There's no architecture in windows to speak of, so I'd not waste my time trying to understand it. As to unix, there's the daemon book, now in FreeBSD edition. Don't know about a newer version of the Lions book, although undoubtedly there'll be Solaris architecture manuals around.

4) Networking (that would be the ISO stack and TCP/IP — I guess a refresher of X.25 and SNA is no longer needed)

Tanenbaum (on networking) is good here also, then add the appropriate RFCs. Programming — Stevens, still, although there is an updated edition.

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