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Social and Ethical Issues

- ❑ Quality Issues
 - Does it conform to expectations?
 - Is it safe and efficacious?
- ❑ Ownership issues
 - Have we inadvertently stepped over someone's intellectual property line? How do we assure ourselves that the code has clear title?
- ❑ Organizational issues
 - How do we emulate OS methods and culture on development projects in our organization?
 - Are OS developers taking time away from their real jobs?