timelog

Jan 27th, 2025   5:00pm to 7:00pm

Okay; going to rewrite all of this (mostly now, based off of the example time-log from b

Date	Duration	Type
1/27/2025 5:00PM to 7:00PM	2 hours	Other
1/28/2025 11:00AM to 1:30PM	2 hours & 30 min (2.5 hours)	Research
1/30/2025 10:30AM to 12:15PM 12:45PM to 2:00PM	3 hours total	Other
2/1/2025 10:00AM to 11:00AM	1 hour	Other
	0.5 hours	Supervisor Email
2/1/2025 11:30AM to 2:15PM 2:45PM to 7:45PM	7.75 hours	Other
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	16.75 total so far	

Week reflection:

oh god submit time is this morning I'm an idiot I don't have time to reflect I hope the inf
results next submission; Again, my apologies!

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Every website visited in this painful attempt
to find a project so far;

Link	Note
http://146.245.250.131/4900/showcase/	Basic
https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/1OLH1MXKfg9p9Vvzk1GVGtbrXGEqjvoJ6gjfBJPIBT1Y/edit?gid=999619115#gid=999619115	Basic
https://www.nyc.gov/home/search/index.page?search-terms=lost&sitesearch=	find lost things?
https://portal.311.nyc.gov/article/?kanumber=KA-01046	people? Can help?
https://www.nyc.gov/site/ocme/for-families/missing-and-unidentified-persons.page	How report?
https://www.pawboost.com/lost-found-pets/ossining-ny-10562/all-lost-pets/page-1?LfdbFeedStatusForm%5Bzip%5D=10562	Maybe pets? Are there non-governmental efforts/examples?
https://www.nycacc.org/services/lost-and-found/	Okay, what about governmental? For pets?
https://www.nyc.gov/site/nypd/services/see-say-something/wanted.page	Wait NYPD has different submition info than state & city
https://www.justice.gov/action-center/report-and-identify-missing-persons	Which… is different than federal?
https://namus.nij.ojp.gov/library/reports-and-statistics	Wait, I need more info, are there any federal reports, anywhere?
https://www.nyc.gov/html/911/html/dnapre-l.html	And, wow. Some of these site-pages are… old. This one's from the 9/11 crisis; and look; all surrounding links are broken; it's an orphaned, but accesable, page

https://www.fbi.gov/wanted/kidnap

And of course, this is all separate from the federal missing persons list….?

https://www.fbi.gov/wanted/vicap/missing-persons

Which is naturally different from the Violent-persons list… wait; are these people the *danger*, or are missing as *victims of the danger*? If the former, why is there a child there? If the latter, *why is it named that*? And if both in one list…. Why???

https://www.nyc.gov/site/ocme/for-families/ocme-resources-guides.page

I'm getting off track; is there more places I can get info?

…Oh. Oh wait; each state, city; borough; they all have *separate, disjointed websites, with their own formatting*

https://hempsteadny.gov/184/Lost-Found

…Why??

(And this is where I got the third project idea)

https://developers.google.com/maps/documentation/javascript

(Looked into Google-Map API)

https://www.criminaljustice.ny.gov/crimnet/ojsa/Final-2023/FINAL%202023%20Missing%20Persons%20Clearinghouse%20Annual%20Report.pdf

(Example of research pdf)
(NOTE; is download link)

https://nycaccpets.shelterbuddy.com/search/?s=found&newsearch=yes

(thought about pets again; saw another example of sorta poor formatting)

https://www.namus.gov/MissingPersons/Search#/results

Annnnnddddd just realized the Namus website does everything I ever planned on doing, and more.
Which, while *literally undoubtably* being a good thing, means I can't use this as a project idea. Maybe one just for pets?

Orientation Zoom Meeting   2 hours total

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Description of completed work	Challenges and/or Next Steps
Attended Orientation Zoom meeting	Find supervisor, Lock-in project, talk to fellow classmate about possibly doing project together
Updated this timelog's formtting, Looked into third project idea; Wrote up provisional draft detailing vague plan, and reasons why *this* project; then realized NAMUS already did/does everything I wanted to do, meaning this entire project idea is useless and going out the window. Yay.	THINK OF NEW PROJECT IDEA Attempt to contact friend again, Shoot possible supervisors emails, go to their office hours, Setup a Github now, ahead of time?
Formulated and tossed more project ideas; made github, conversed with friend about ideas inbetween now and last entry	Go to Allan James's office, perhaps they can give some adive on choosing a project; and verify/unverify the ones we came up with? Shoot Prof Mcneil an email
After a day rest, realized I was being dumb; doing the Cryptography project; making it a Windows Exe now though, instead of a website; I don't know how to make exes, so, it'll be… a learning experience, which is the point, no? Also, wrote up a (very) rough draft explaining my thought-process, what the project entails, etc	EMAIL EMAIL EMAIL
Sent that email to Mcneil, finally!	Rewrite rough draft into something more presentable by itself; this is a project plan! I want to be able to send-in the document flat, if/when someone asks what my project's about! Apply to the internship oppertuinities; while completing my personal project would be something I would love, regardless, a job would just be smarter Get a head-start on programming for my project!
Job & Internship Applications	continue this later.
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Tossed ideas; So far;
1) Newspaper repository website? It's suprisingly hard to fir
data-storage options.
2)Nobel prize winner analytics? Where they're from, their c
would just be a website-oddity; nothing unique, or substair
3) Consolidate the desperate missing-persons websites bet
this, both in micro, and macro.
4) Cryptography? Quantum Computing is on the rise, so qu
etc?) TENTATIVELY rejected; not sure if involved enough to
5)Cell Simulation? DNA code comparer? Chemical reaction
to an informative flash game. On DNA; while the entire gen
version of a single chromosone; much less the 20-ish others
Chemistry; enough said.

github link:
https://github.com/AHMED-OMER-Program01/CISC_4900_

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demographics, from which countries do we get the most winners, and in what subjects, their bio, etc? Rejected; I think I brought this up c
ntial.
ween each city, state, and federal site, do some data analysis, and convey info through attached Google-Map API. Was rejected; NAMUS,

antum-resistant encryption is looking to be more and more needed; drag-drop site which encodes files into a Q-R method of choice (Vec
> count as a project; infer later.
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s, is like, ~240 megabtyes. That's... too much. Plus, such a program would just be a sub-string comparitor; not complex enough to be calle

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