**Describe a Difficult Problem…**

* Game-breaking bug the night before a term project was due
* Last teammate to commit changes was panicking
* Couldn’t find the issue the first pass
* Kept rewinding the clock to earlier and earlier versions of project
* Reviewed the changes between the working version and broken version
* Turned out to be a small logic error

**About Cigna**

* Global health service company
  + Helps people improve their health, well-being and sense of security
* Clientele is primarily employers and organizations around the world, who want to protect their workforces
  + Keep employees stay healthy and on the job
  + Also lower their medical costs
* Provides access to superior quality health care and related financial protection programs to groups and individuals around the globe

**Why do you want to work at Cigna?**

~~safe place to learn and make mistakes, grow as a professional~~

~~rotational – rotate to new team frequently (business analyst and IT)~~

~~technical – deep dive into technology at Cigna~~

~~I want to try something new, take a risk~~

~~branding and networking (how my actions effect how people see me)~~

~~When I was looking into internships, I saw there were many positions open for health services and insurance companies. So I thought, why not try for the best one first!~~

I have always had a love of technology, but now I can actually do something with it

My time at Quinnipiac provided me with a lot of book-learning and simulated professional work, but now I want to apply the skills I have learned to see if I can make some sort of difference in the world

Leave some kind of a legacy and try to help people

**Why Should We Hire You?**

1. A lot of experience working in teams, both as a leader and as a member
   1. Meeting deadlines
   2. Balancing strength and weaknesses of individual members
2. Excellent interpersonal skills
3. Strong work ethic

**Where Do You See Yourself 5 Years From Now?**

* Trying to decide right now whether or not I want to go to graduate school
* Headed to University of Connecticut this weekend to talk to Admissions… Maybe pursuing a Masters or PhD in Computer Science and Engineering
* I’d like to pursue a career at the company I intern with
* Climbing the career ladder or at least moving back and further on the same wrung
  + Working in different areas in the same position

**Questions to Ask**

1. What do you enjoy most about working at Cigna?
2. What is the management style? I’ve heard from my peers that programs similar to yours range from very hands-on to very sink-or-swim.
3. How do I compare with the other intern candidates you have interviewed?
4. What are the next steps? Is there a second interview? Something on site or more technical?