

It has taken us some time to reach the final conclusion of which app to make and we eventually chose the Automatic UCM Course Scheduler over the Bus schedule, mainly due to our lack of experience in coding with google maps and other necessary resources. Although the challenge would have been fun and interesting, we believe that the most important aspect of software engineering is not the ability to code and succeed in specific ways, but rather the objected-oriented programming, linking between databases and code, and, most importantly, communication and teamwork.

Our teamwork and communication were, to be strictly honest, wavering away from good interactions. We barely communicated and did not put much effort into our project other than generating some ideas. Some of us believe that our project, CatPlan, isn't up to par to our expectation and that we should abandon it and focus on a more relatable, original, and state-of-the-art project. But others argue that the main focus of the project isn't being able to create something new and original, but to gain the experience of understanding the perspectives of the users, programming with efficiency, and teamwork and communication. And to be brutally honest, this did not happen. We did not have a debate on if we should change it. All of this second paragraph, is a made up scenario that should have happened in reality but, instead, happened in my mind. Sadly, my inability to speak up my thoughts and feelings and the many mistakes that I made when simply living, has brought my confidence and appearance down and degraded. Even so, I learned that I must be able to speak up before it is too late.