Simon Torell - Reflections week 1

What do I want to learn or understand better?

From our initial meetings it seems like the majority of the group, I.E the IT students, wish to use the programming language "Flutter" and they said they thought it would be a good way to go. Therefore I would very much like to learn more about the software and play around with it a bit more in order to be ready to actually start to program in it. We have scheduled an "intro" with all of the group next Tuesday where one IT student who has used it a lot prior will show us the reins. However he did recommend us to look into it before that just so we could soak in the information better.

How can I help someone else, or the entire team, to learn something new?

I have been trying to be vocal throughout the week with all the meetings we have had via Discord, by asking a lot of questions. The IT students take a lot for granted that we as I students know what it is. I want to believe my questions have helped all of us I students to understand some of the subjects that are discussed. Furthermore when we discussed the KPIs and a little about the business model canvas I tried to be vocal and explain my prior experience with both of the subjects and I also tried to ask the rest if they understood the subjects before moving on.

What is my contribution towards the team's use of Scrum?

As this is the start of the project we have not yet gotten to the stage where we feel that we have started to use it yet. The way I have been able to contribute so far is by talking of my previous, limited, experience with the project form. Some of the things that I have found unclear I have taken up with the group which has clarified some things for me and hopefully some of the others in the group. We have chosen to use Trello to keep track of each sprint so I have taken some time to understand how all the steps of a sprint will look and function within Trello.

What is my contribution towards the team's deliveries?

This initial week we have spoken, and set as a goal, about which project to choose and I have gotten in contact with some of my contacts in Engineers Without Borders, both at a national level and a local level. Furthermore everyone in the group was to get familiar with Flutter and Dart which I also have done. Apart from that we have not set up a lot more deliveries for this week.