November’s Reflective Journal

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# Week 6: 2nd November / 8th November

My focus for this week is to finish on time and submit on Sunday at the latest Project Proposal and the Ethics Declaration From for this Module. But as I have other CA’s with deadlines for this Thursday and Sunday for the Strategic Management and Multimedia & Mobile Application Development Modules, work on my Final Project must be done in parallel with two CA’s.

Today is Wednesday and I have uploaded the CAs for Strategic Management Module and on time and Mobile Application Development Modules. I have to say that I was a bit worried about not being able to reach the total required the number of words in the Analysis, but I managed to pass over 2000 words and I only got 5 per cent similarity on my submission.

Thursday afternoon I uploaded on Turnitin my Project Proposal and Saturday evening after class I submitted the Ethics Declaration Form, it was quite easy as I will use mock-up data for this project.

Next week my focus it will be to start working on few others CAs that due dates are approving fast and for the Project part of the tasks I will have to start doing some refreshment reading on Node.js and front end for web designing.

# Week 7: 9th November / 15th November

This week I was busy with other work that was necessary to be done for the class CA’s and some overtime in work and I didn’t manage to do much work for the Final Software project class.

The class on Saturday was very interesting, a presentation on how I can possibly commercialise my final project was made by the guest presenter for our class. I will keep this in mind and hopefully, at the end of the course, I will have something fully working properly to be able to successfully deploy online and get some capital for improvements and expansion.

Next week it looks very busy too, but I hope to have some spare time to work on my final year project assignment too.

# Week 8: 16th November / 22nd November

This week I managed to create and write an IEEE format paper for one of the CA’s, the amount of work that I put on this paper was demanding because this format is different from the one used by me in the past, but as I have seen from the documentation for my Final Project I will have a similar IEEE document to submit too and I have to be honest that this work was good practice for me.

In this Saturday's class, an overview on how I have to do the report writing and referencing was presented by the NCI Library staff, this information was important to me as I got a better understating of this process and helped me a lot in finishing one of my CA’s that had included in an IEEE paper.

Next week focus it will be to set up a separate Git Hub account from the college one, preferably to set it up using my personal email address as we have been advised in Saturday class for the Software Project.

# Week 9: 23rd November / 29th November

For this week my focus is to set up a new Git Hub account using my personal email address and after the Saturday’s class for my final Software Project, I will start pushing up on Git Hub my local folder from my laptop to have it as a backup copy just in case something goes wrong and I lose data from my original folder.

Today is Wednesday and work for the Final Project has resumed and I managed to create a new Git Hub account, next step is to see Saturday class where the lecturer is going to be presenting us the methods on how to commit my work in Git Hub.

Today during the class, I managed to push my local repository to Git Hub, I had to install Hit Bash too to be able to commit my work. The uploaded was successfully done and from now one I have an online version of my work to access it at any time. I was advised to commit every 15 to 20 minutes into my work, in this way I will avoid having conflicts or missing work in between my repositories.

Next week focus it will be on submitting the current reflecting journal for Tuesday and have to finish some other CA’s too.