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**Part 1**

🡺 Write your future history and/or make a list. (~250 words in all) Keep a copy for your future self.

After I graduate from Seneca, I want to work in a company that has a good environment. Also, I would love to work in a company that develops a system or a program that would help the users to make their lives better. To work in such a company, I will need to study more in Seneca before the graduation. Since the society is developing and people are depending more towards technology, I will need to learn more about computer languages and be comfortable developing a software or program in any language. Especially when people are using the mobile devices more often, it would be convenient to have knowledge of developing mobile apps.

If I want to work in my dream job, I will need to learn multiple skills in Seneca. Skill to cooperate with others is needed because to work in an environment where I need to work with others, cooperation is important. Ability to think fast and able to put those ideas on the spot is also crucial because if there is an error within a program, I will need to able to think of a solution quickly and fix the problem. Another skill I need is adapting to different environments because I want to work in different companies and experience new environments, while expanding my connections. Therefore, as my future history, I would be working in a company where the environment is friendly and develops software that would help the users with their lives.

**Part 2**

1. ICT news, tutorial, or CP4P course topic:

A Case for Banning Facial Recognition

* 1. News or tutorial item’s URL:

https://messaging-custom newsletters.nytimes.com/template/oakv2?uri=nyt://newsletter/04d19fe4-fa11-476f-b0ec-ffce584086e5&productCode=OT&te=1&nl=on-tech-with-shira-ovide&emc=edit\_ot\_20200610

* 1. News or tutorial item Summary:

🡪 This news item is about how the face recognition software does not work properly for those who have darker skin colour. In some areas, the police use the face recognition software and the social media pictures, to catch criminals, but sometimes due to the error within the software they tend to catch wrong person. Therefore, the face recognition software could bring harm to innocent people and currently not stable.

* 1. Why did you choose that topic? What interests you about it?

🡪 This topic was chosen because I thought the face recognition system was perfect until I read this article, which told me that the face recognition software has more error to those with darker skin. Also, I thought that the software that was created by the major companies, like Samsung, would be nearly perfect, but to have error with the skin colour caught my attention.

* 1. Why did you find that news/tutorial item of value?

🡪 Yes, this article is an item of value because it shows that the face recognition software is not perfect, so there are problems occurring around the world. Also, this article is telling that some people are caught with no reason, but due to the face recognition system. From this article, the readers would be aware of using the software.

1. ICT news, tutorial, or CP4P course topic:

Why Restaurants Are Fed Up With Apps

* 1. News or tutorial item’s URL: https://www.nytimes.com/2020/06/10/technology/food-delivery-apps.html?action=click&auth=link-dismiss google1tap&module=Briefings&pgtype=Homepage
  2. News or tutorial item Summary:

🡪 The news article is trying to convey the readers that the delivery apps, such as Uber Eats, is ruining restaurants’ businesses. Whenever customers order the food through the app, the restaurants lose profit because the delivery app companies do not make fair agreements with them and the restaurants lose more customers. However, the restaurants started to find the solution, which is to use their personal website to take orders and deliver them.

* 1. Why did you choose that topic? What interests you about it?

🡪 I chose the topic because the title caught my attention because I am one of the customers who sometimes uses the delivery. Before reading this article, I thought that by using the delivery app more often, it would help the restaurants to gain more profit and popularity. However, the reality was that it was the opposite outcome and was shocked.

* 1. Why did you find that news/tutorial item of value?

🡪 I found this news the item of value because with this pandemic breakout, the truth behind the delivery apps holding hands with restaurants. Also, the article shows the readers that the restaurants are suffering and may close at worst case. Hence, maybe this news would get people to start ordering at the restaurants’ website, not the apps.

1. ICT news, tutorial, or CP4P course topic:

The Long, Dangerous Road to the World of Driverless Cars

* 1. News or tutorial item’s URL:

<https://www.theglobeandmail.com/opinion/article-the-long-dangerous-road-to-the-world-of-driverless-cars/>

* 1. News or tutorial item Summary:

🡪 This article is about whether it is safe to have self-automated cars, while comparing with the airplanes. The pilots should be able to take over the auto pilot in any case of scenario. From the studies of the driving training or skills, the drivers would not be able to handle the situation. Hence, it is up to the people if they want to increase the difficulty or accept losing many lives.

* 1. Why did you choose that topic? What interests you about it?

🡪 I chose this topic because I was also skeptical of having an automated system in cars because machines are meant to have a trouble occasionally.

Having the safety system compared between the car and the airplane was interesting. Through this article, I was able to double check my idea and have a second thought of using the automated feature in a car.

* 1. Why did you find that news/tutorial item of value?

🡪 I found this news the item of value because I also agree with to the point the article made, which is to increase the difficulty to obtain the driver’s license. Also, this article had good scenarios, where the machines could break down in any minute and if the drivers can handle them. Therefore, this news could have the readers to think twice before using the automated feature.

1. ICT news, tutorial, or CP4P course topic:

Apple, Google release their joint technology for pandemic-tracking apps

* 1. News or tutorial item’s URL: <https://www.cbc.ca/news/technology/apple-google-covid-app-1.5577166>
  2. News or tutorial item Summary:

🡪 This new is about Apple and Google joining hands to create an app which will alert the user of the app if they were exposed to coronavirus. The app uses Bluetooth and notifies the user whether later in the day, the user has been near another person who was tested positive with coronavirus. Moreover, Google and Apple decided not to use the GPS because of the privacy policy of the users and help others in the pandemic state.

* 1. Why did you choose that topic? What interests you about it?

🡪 I chose this topic because it is rare to see two rival companies to hold hands to create a product which would help a lot in this pandemic state. If they join hands to create this product, then they would create more amazing products too in the future. This news is important because after reading this article I could share this news with others around me.

* 1. Why did you find that news/tutorial item of value?

🡪 I found this news item of value because this article would get the readers to download the app and join the community. This article also shows the readers that Apple and Google care about their customers. Therefore, this new is an item of value because the new product is important to the users to be safe.