Exploring Terminology Assignment

**ASSIGNMENT:** Review ALL the course descriptions from the degree program you are enrolled. Find **3** terms, words or concept mentioned in a course description that you are unfamiliar or least familiar. Research this term. Find the definition as well as examples of how that particular tool, practice or process is used in the industry. Seek out job listings, product reviews, and articles targeted to industry professionals to get a more universal sense of the term's use.

**OBJECTIVE:** To become more familiar with your degree program and to enhance your industry vocabulary.

**SUBMISSION:** Submit the completed *Exploring Terminology* worksheet activity on FSO.

**DUE DATE:** Check FSO for due date.

**REQUIREMENTS:** The following information must be included in your submission.

1. Term and/or Concept
2. Title of Course description you found the term
3. Where in the degree program does that course fall (what month?)
4. Definition of term (use your own words to define; do not copy and paste definition from a website or dictionary)
5. Written summary of how the term/concept factors into the common practices and development processes of your industry. For example, if the term is a digital tool, then provide examples of when, where and how the tool is used in your given industry.

**DETAILS:** This is an off-campus lab activity. Submission must be completed by 11:59pm on the same day the lab occurs.

**HELPFUL QUESTIONS TO CONSIDER:**

1. What is the importance of the term and/or concept you found?
2. How it is used? Where is it used?
3. Is this term something all positions in your industry are familiar with or perhaps just particular positions (entry level, middle, or senior levels)?
4. When was this term/concept first developed? How long has it been in use? Is this term one that continues to be important as you industry evolves?

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**Class in which this is covered:**

**In what month of your program does this class occur?**

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**Provide an example of how the word/term is used in your industry:**

**What is the importance of this word/term?**

**Provide at least 2 links where you found information about the word/term:**

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