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I have been in the computer science program with SNHU for about 2-3 years. I original went to another college in Louisiana before I moved to North Carolina. I can say the previous program was far better than SNHU but all I need now is my degree, so I can have the paper to show that I know what I am doing to hiring managers.

I have learned some things I have not been able to learn from my other program. In the program with SNHU I have learned about databases, mobile app development, and how important technology is in society. I did know about all these topics, but I have been able to further refine my knowledge. I have had classes that focus on each of the topics, while other classes built on all three.

My career directly related to computer science as I am pursuing the field of software development / engineering. This class, along with one other, are my last two classes before I get my degree. I already have a potential job lined up with my current company where I can switch from customer service to the development side of the company.

In terms of career plans, once I get my degree, I can switch my job with my current company to a developer position. Even though I know what to do programing wise, they require a degree for the positions. I will start off in one of the developer positions with MetLife.

In terms of any specialization, I would like to focus on full-stack development. Full stack allows me to do several different things all together, which gives me more use and creativity. I always hate being stuck in the same job, so the flexibility will be great!