

DAT257/DIT143

INDIVIDUAL REFLECTION W3

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DURING THIS WEEK I've contributed to writing more user stories, making a domain and a design model. I've also started making small Android apps to learn the framework. I learned that writing user stories doesn't have to be for the user, but can be for e.g. the developer, which was a big piece of the puzzle to me. Making domain and design models really refreshed my knowledge on those topics, since I haven't done that in a year. Making a design model can be pretty tricky, but I believe those are necessary, not the least to avoid classes with thousands of LOC or ones which most don't understand the purpose of. One challenge is how to implement MVC into Android development, since an essential feature of the latter is Activity classes, which seem to function as some sort of combined view and controller. Another question is also whether these classes should be a part of the design model. Strictly speaking, framework classes shouldn't, but making wrapper classes as well is a huge overhead which seems very contrived for this scope.

HOPEFULLY WE'LL DO the first sprint next week and my goal for that one is start learning the Scrum methodology, Android development and Git better. Some reading is obviously required, but getting there is mostly a case of learning by doing, I believe.