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**The Good.** Person for most the best thing that I learned during this group project was the different coding styles that we all have. One of my team members had a very modular approach using their Python code to access a separate file that held their SQL code which considering what he was doing was probably the best action. It really gave me insight on the different way that coders do simple things like create functions, comment stuff out, and you can kind of see how their mind works.

The second thing that I learned about a group project was said I'm not the only one there. I often find myself doing all the work because I want it done right. Delegation is not one of my strong suits. But luckily I had some team members step up and say hey I can do that part or you know presentations are my strength so I was really grateful for that as well.

**The Bad.** the most significant bad moment was one of our team members didn't show up until Sunday night and then profusely apologized for not checking his stuff ahead of time. He ended up hardly doing anything after that but it was made up for by the rest of the group. I guess just to summarize the bad part was that we had a bum teammate.

The second bad part was that we were in different time zones and weren't able to meet and talk person to person at all. All of our communications were electronic either through teams, email, or in the discussion board. Nothing seemed to get lost in translation luckily but I do think that we would have been more efficient had we found the opportunity to actually talk to each other on the phone or in some kind of virtual meeting environment.

**The Future.** I think in future teams and projects we will start with a root charter of some kind if we can. It's what I learned how to do in project management where you have the means in which you expect communication, peer review, or expectations. In my job I find myself the leader of a team, and to go back and be a member of the team makes it difficult for me when others don't pull their weight. I do think that a team needs a leader not that it has to be me but it has to have someone to keep it on track.