

CSC420 – Progress Report¹

Make a copy of this progress report, then complete it. Submission instructions and a grading rubric are included below.

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Progress Report

- **Accomplishments:** What did you accomplish since the last class meeting, the last progress report, or since you started the project? If you didn't complete anything since the last report, enter **N/A**.

I have not made as much progress as I originally planned because of how busy I have been, but I have made some important progress still. Since I've started I successfully (while following a tutorial) got a slack bot that will respond to various user input with messages. I then have set up and started to integrate the GitHub API into my work. My GitHub API can now look at PR's but I still need to figure out how exactly I want to mark a PR as "outstanding" and integrate that.

- **Future Goal:** What do you plan to accomplish before our report? These plans should be related to roadblocks or discussion points. If you plan to change direction, explain why.

I plan to fully finish the GitHub integration so that the bot can identify when a program is outstanding. I also plan to start working on mapping the current SSDT members to their slack users so I can reference them when they have a PR outstanding or when they need to review PRs.

- **Challenges:** What are your current roadblocks?

My current roadblocks are lack of documentation. I'm having trouble finding docs and tutorials that do similar things to what I hope to accomplish. I have had to look at the source code to figure out most of what I want to know about the Go GitHub API. Otherwise I have had to repurpose tutorials that are on closely related topics to do what I need them to.

- **Desired Discussion Points:** Do you have any desired discussion points that are not related to roadblocks?

There are lots of moving parts to this project and each is going to require me to learn about a technology I know nothing about. I also am having trouble with language syntax and intricacies. This may make my code less organized and readable

Submission to your Project github repository

1. Download the completed report as a PDF
2. Give your PDF a unique name, for example: **2023-02-21-progress-report.pdf**, obviously change the date as appropriate.
3. Add the PDF to your Project github repository, add it, commit it, and then push it by the due date listed in Moodle.

¹ This progress report is based on a Weekly Progress Report created by Dr. Nakazawa for CSC493

Rubric:

The following rubric will be used, but they might change as needed.

Accomplishments (3 points)

1 point for a general description of progress, 2 points for specifics on progress, 3 points for specifics AND referring to previous targets and explaining how currently accomplishments build on previous ones.

Challenges (3 points)

1 point for mentioning there are roadblocks, 2 points for specifics, 3 points for specifics AND what was done already to try to overcome them.

Desired discussion points (2 points)

1 point for at least one relevant discussion point as a general question, 2 points for relevant discussion points with specifics

Future Goals (2 points)

1 point for concrete future targets (i.e. "working more on the project" is a zero, but "working on getting component X to interface with component Y" suffices), 2 points for tying in the targets with what was hopefully discussed in the meeting.