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TOPIC: Our Digital World

Today we discussed the different ways we can make ourselves more accessible and likeable to employers. I just realized that Algonquin College offers several resources to help the students get employed. The Employment Support Centre provides students with tools to help with creating resumes and preparing for interviews.

We also discussed the importance of having an online presence. Having a professional online presence is a necessity in the Programming industry. Since we spend most of our time working on computers and the internet, we must show our presence in platforms commonly used by IT professionals. Our background and portfolio should be accessible to potential employers. It should also highlight the qualities that most employers look for in a Programmer.

Today’s class served as a reminder for me to update my Linkedin account. As I reviewed my own profile, I noticed that some of the information are not up to date. I should be more mindful in updating my credentials online, especially that I am planning to work in the tech industry.