This summer, I took Honors ENGL2089. Intermediate Composition is a required class for all Computer Science students, which originally surprised me. I never thought of English as a skill that was critical for computer science students to learn—the most writing we’ll really need to do in the workplace is sending the occasional email, right? However, throughout the semester, English became my favorite class, and surprisingly was one of the classes that contributed the most to my growth as a professional in my field of study.

I wrote a total of two papers over the course of the semester—a 10 page literacy narrative and a 59 page discourse analysis.