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Professional Assessment

Compiling and completing this portfolio has been an incredible learning experience for me, and has helped me realize my strengths and address my areas of weakness. Throughout the course of my SNHU career, I have felt myself growing in confidence in all areas of computer science, however this final portfolio represents the culmination of my time here, and has provided me a powerful point of reflection upon what I have achieved while pursuing this degree. I feel as though I have been given the opportunity to experience and work in many different areas of computer science, from robotics to database management, which has helped me narrow my field of focus and begin to discover where my passion in computer science lies. The completion of this degree has provided me with a firm foundation to continue to build upon as I pursue more advanced degrees in computer science.

Although I have always been confident in my abilities to communicate with others orally and in writing, I had never before had experience with the kind of writing that would be used to communicate complex technological concepts to individuals who have no working knowledge of the subject matter, but whose decisions are pivotal to it. The coursework in this degree, particularly in my Cyberlaw and Ethics course helped me perfect the balance between technical detail and readability that is necessary to communicate ideas clearly to individuals such ash shareholders, executives, or simply other employees.