

My peer mentor that I got assigned to is Euel Fantaye.

We reached out on rocket chat and we arranged a google meeting. We had a session for about an hour.

Starting from knowing each other, we talked about the task and how we are going to work on it. We also encouraged each other to continue learning and working on it.

What I planned to ask was on the topics that I feel like I need help with i.e What is the concept behind the assignment and how to meet deadlines were some of the questions that I asked to Euel and he helped me in figuring out and extracting insight that can be useful for the company to purchase or not based on the given telecom data.

I have learnt alot from the exercise starting from exploring each data set using multiple exploratory techniques and comparing the results. i.e understand the dataset (data understanding), identifying the missing values & outliers if any using visual and quantitative methods to get a sense of the story it tells. suggesting the next logical steps, questions, or areas of research for the project. In short it helped me to have a bit of a visualization idea and also helped to revise the statistics basics .

We both were supporting each other, whenever he needed a description on statistics and related things he asked me any time and got support whenever possible, same as for me.

What I wish I'd done differently? I think I don't ask a question and reach out for help right after I face a challenge. I just waste my time surfing on the internet till I get a solution to the problem, which is not good and taught me to ask whenever possible.

This peer mentoring program has so far made me realise that collaboration and teamwork is almost an essential part as the technical part of the job.

Which it will help me to build collaboration and teamwork skills i.e the soft skills needed for a job besides the technical part by the end of the program.