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After these two weeks as part of the summer school, I could be more involve in the topic of resilience cities. I was completely novice in this topic, and it was crucial the understanding of it in the workshops and lectures as part of the introduction. Once the case was assigned, it took more sense the things that I learnt about resilience cities. Immediately, my understanding on the topic change radically. We got so many questions during the first week. Even though, we were getting help from the mentors, we were struggling to determine and define what was the real problem. It was after the meeting with the case providers, when we could see the whole picture and clearly understand the problem. Given this, we could define a solution and the evolution of the project increased radically.

Our solution was a complete procedure and recommendations for the municipality. These recommendations were thought as an iterative process with the idea to generate some revenues for the stakeholders, the residents and the municipality. So, I could observe that my knowledge in business management was deterministic to provide a solution. On this case, my technical skills were on second plane. This helped me to apply the knowledge that we received in my first year.

As part of my opportunities on this project, pitching was something I should improve. This is something which is important to have in every project, given that is the way to present the idea. One project could be great but if there is not a good presentation of it, then it would be harder that someone put attention on it. In the other hand, my assets that I have is the planification. I consider that I can analyze deeper any case and have more questions which may help to understand clearly the problems or situation.