Personalized Social Mastery Journal

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Learning Focus:

- Python Mastery
- FastAPI
- Git workflow
- OpenAI API
- Product Launch
- Professional Networking
- Social Skill Engineering

This journal is crafted for you—a growth-minded developer & founder.
Use it to engineer the communication skills that will multiply your technical impact.

PROGRESSIVE SOCIAL MASTERY SYSTEM

An Engineering Approach to Communication Excellence

From Introvert to Influential Communicator

■ SYSTEM FEATURES:

■ Progressive Difficulty: Each week builds on the last with scaffolded challenges

■ Knowledge Modules: Learn the theory before practicing the skills

■ Concrete Metrics: Measurable success criteria for every challenge

■ Personal Goals: Customize each week to your specific social contexts

■ Daily Tracking: Detailed reflection and progress monitoring

■ Evidence-Based: Rooted in psychology, neuroscience, and communication research

■ YOUR TRANSFORMATION COMMITMENT:

This system will transform you from socially anxious to socially confident.
You will master the engineering principles of human connection.
Every interaction becomes data. Every challenge builds competence.
In 7 weeks, you will have the communication skills to accelerate your career.
Commit fully. Follow the system. Become unstoppable.

WEEK 1 KNOWLEDGE MODULE
Emotional Intelligence & Self-Awareness

■ **TIME INVESTMENT: 30-60 minutes before starting Week 1**

■ **RECOMMENDED LEARNING RESOURCES:**

1. YouTube: 'Daniel Goleman: Emotional Intelligence' (TED Talk)
2. Book: 'Emotional Intelligence 2.0' by Travis Bradberry
3. Article: 'The Four Domains of Emotional Intelligence' (Harvard Business Review)
4. Practice: 'Body Scan Meditation' for emotional awareness

■ **KEY CONCEPTS TO MASTER:**

• The 4 domains: Self-awareness, Self-management, Social awareness, Relationship management
• Recognizing emotional triggers and physical sensations
• The difference between emotions and reactions
• Mindful awareness vs. autopilot responses

■ **LEARNING COMPLETION CHECKLIST:**

■ Watched/read at least 2 recommended resources

■ Can explain the key concepts in my own words

■ Identified how these concepts apply to my personal goals

■ Ready to practice these skills in real conversations

■ **MY PERSONAL APPLICATION GOAL:**

My specific goal this week: Reduce social anxiety in [specific context, e.g., team meetings] by practicing low-stakes interactions to build confidence.

■ **THIS WEEK'S SUCCESS METRIC:**

Binary Success Metric: Did you complete each day's specific challenge? Track: Yes/No + comfort level (1-10) + one thing learned

Week 1: Progressive Social Lab

■ DAY 1 PROGRESSIVE CHALLENGE

Day 1: Make conscious eye contact with 5 strangers and smile. Log their reactions.

SUCCESS METRICS:
- ■ Challenge completed (Yes/No) ■ Comfort level: ___/10

■ EXECUTION & METRICS TRACKING

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■ DAY 2 PROGRESSIVE CHALLENGE

Day 2: Eye contact + smile with 3 people, say 'Hello/Good morning' to 2 others.

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■ DAY 3 PROGRESSIVE CHALLENGE

Day 3: Ask 1 person a simple logistical question ('Excuse me, do you know the time?').

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■ DAY 4 PROGRESSIVE CHALLENGE

Day 4: Give 1 genuine compliment to a service worker or acquaintance.

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■ DAY 5 PROGRESSIVE CHALLENGE

Day 5: Ask a logistical question + make one follow-up comment/observation.

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■ DAY 6 PROGRESSIVE CHALLENGE

Day 6: Have one complete 3-turn conversation (You speak, they respond, you respond).

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■ DAY 7 PROGRESSIVE CHALLENGE

Day 7: Initiate 2 brief conversations in low-stakes environments (e.g., coffee shop).

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WEEK 2 KNOWLEDGE MODULE
Response Control & Emotional Regulation

■ **TIME INVESTMENT: 30-60 minutes before starting Week 2**

■ **RECOMMENDED LEARNING RESOURCES:**

1. YouTube: 'Viktor Frankl: Between Stimulus and Response'
2. Book: 'The Power of Now' by Eckhart Tolle (Chapter on reactive patterns)
3. Article: 'The Science of Self-Control' (Psychology Today)
4. Technique: 'STOP Method' (Stop, Take a breath, Observe, Proceed)

■ **KEY CONCEPTS TO MASTER:**

• The neurological 6-second rule for emotional hijacking
• Breathing techniques for immediate regulation
• Creating space between trigger and response
• Reframing thoughts to change emotional responses

■ **LEARNING COMPLETION CHECKLIST:**

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■ **MY PERSONAL APPLICATION GOAL:**

My specific goal this week: Gain control over my [specific trigger, e.g., critical feedback] reactions, especially in [context like code reviews/family].

■ **THIS WEEK'S SUCCESS METRIC:**

Response Time Metric: How long between trigger and thoughtful response? Track: Seconds + technique used + outcome quality (1-10)

■ DAY 1 PROGRESSIVE CHALLENGE

Day 1: Use the 'tactical pause' (3 deep breaths) before responding to any minor irritation.

SUCCESS METRICS:
■ Challenge completed (Yes/No) ■ Comfort level: ___/10

■ EXECUTION & METRICS TRACKING

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Week 2: Progressive Social Lab

■ DAY 2 PROGRESSIVE CHALLENGE

Day 2: Catch yourself planning a response while someone is talking. Reset and listen.

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- ■ Challenge completed (Yes/No) ■ Comfort level: ___/10

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■ DAY 3 PROGRESSIVE CHALLENGE

Day 3: When feeling triggered, name the emotion silently before responding.

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■ DAY 4 PROGRESSIVE CHALLENGE

Day 4: Use the STOP technique in one potentially reactive situation.

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■ DAY 5 PROGRESSIVE CHALLENGE

Day 5: Transform one complaint into a specific, actionable request.

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■ DAY 6 PROGRESSIVE CHALLENGE

Day 6: Practice the 6-second rule when receiving difficult code review feedback.

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Week 2: Progressive Social Lab

■ DAY 7 PROGRESSIVE CHALLENGE

Day 7: Navigate one challenging conversation using all response control techniques.

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WEEK 3 KNOWLEDGE MODULE
Active Listening & Deep Communication

■ **TIME INVESTMENT: 30-60 minutes before starting Week 3**

■ **RECOMMENDED LEARNING RESOURCES:**

1. YouTube: 'How to Really Listen' by Julian Treasure (TED Talk)
2. Book: 'Just Listen' by Mark Goulston
3. Article: 'The Levels of Listening' by Otto Scharmer
4. Practice: 'Reflective Listening Exercises'

■ **KEY CONCEPTS TO MASTER:**

• The difference between hearing and listening
• Levels of listening: Internal, focused, empathic, generative
• Paraphrasing vs. summarizing techniques
• Nonverbal listening cues and body language

■ **LEARNING COMPLETION CHECKLIST:**

■ Watched/read at least 2 recommended resources
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■ **MY PERSONAL APPLICATION GOAL:**

My specific goal this week: Become a better listener in [specific relationship/context, e.g., with my mentor]
to deepen understanding and connection.

■ **THIS WEEK'S SUCCESS METRIC:**

Listening Quality Metric: In each conversation, did the other person say 'Yes, that's exactly right' to your
paraphrase? Track: Yes/No + their satisfaction level

■ DAY 1 PROGRESSIVE CHALLENGE

Day 1: In one conversation, focus only on listening - no planning your response.

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Day 2: Ask 'What I heard is...' to confirm understanding in a technical discussion.

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PATTERN RECOGNITION: What patterns did you notice in your social behavior?

KNOWLEDGE APPLICATION: How did the pre-week learning help your practice?

■ WEEK 4 PREPARATION

WEEK 4 GOAL CUSTOMIZATION: How will you personalize next week's challenges?

KNOWLEDGE MODULE PLAN: When will you complete Week 4's learning?

ACCOUNTABILITY PLAN: How will you ensure consistent practice next week?

WEEK 4 KNOWLEDGE MODULE
Clear Communication & Assertiveness

■ **TIME INVESTMENT: 30-60 minutes before starting Week 4**

■ **RECOMMENDED LEARNING RESOURCES:**

1. YouTube: 'Nonviolent Communication' by Marshall Rosenberg
2. Book: 'Crucial Conversations' by Kerry Patterson
3. Article: 'I-Statements vs You-Statements' (Psychology Today)
4. Framework: 'COIN Method' for difficult conversations

■ **KEY CONCEPTS TO MASTER:**

• The anatomy of I-statements: Observation, Feeling, Need, Request
• Separating facts from interpretations
• Assertive vs. aggressive vs. passive communication
• The art of making clear, specific requests

■ **LEARNING COMPLETION CHECKLIST:**

■ Watched/read at least 2 recommended resources

■ Can explain the key concepts in my own words

■ Identified how these concepts apply to my personal goals

■ Ready to practice these skills in real conversations

■ **MY PERSONAL APPLICATION GOAL:**

My specific goal this week: Learn to express my technical opinions clearly in [specific situations, e.g., planning sessions] without being aggressive or passive.

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■ **THIS WEEK'S SUCCESS METRIC:**

Message Clarity Metric: Did your message land as intended? Track: Their response matched your intent (Yes/No) + follow-up questions needed

Week 4: Progressive Social Lab

■ DAY 1 PROGRESSIVE CHALLENGE

Day 1: Replace one 'You' statement with an 'I' statement in a team chat (e.g., Slack/Discord).

SUCCESS METRICS:
- ■ Challenge completed (Yes/No) ■ Comfort level: ___/10

■ EXECUTION & METRICS TRACKING

PRE-CHALLENGE MINDSET: How are you feeling before attempting this challenge?

EXECUTION DETAILS: Describe exactly what happened when you tried the challenge:

COMFORT LEVEL: Rate your comfort (1=terrifying, 10=completely natural): ___/10

SUCCESS METRICS: Did you achieve the specific goal? ■ Yes ■ Partial ■ No

■ DAILY GROWTH & CAREER REFLECTION

BREAKTHROUGH MOMENT: What surprised you most about today's interaction?

WHAT TO ADJUST: What will you do differently in similar situations?

DEV-SPECIFIC APPLICATION: How did today's skill help you solve a technical problem, debug code, or learn a new concept?

NEXT STEPS: How will you build on today's progress tomorrow?

Did you share a learning or social breakthrough on LinkedIn or GitHub today?

■ DAY 2 PROGRESSIVE CHALLENGE

Day 2: Make one request using the format: 'I would appreciate if...' instead of complaining.

SUCCESS METRICS:
- ■ Challenge completed (Yes/No) ■ Comfort level: ___/10

■ EXECUTION & METRICS TRACKING

PRE-CHALLENGE MINDSET: How are you feeling before attempting this challenge?

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■ DAY 3 PROGRESSIVE CHALLENGE

Day 3: Express a technical opinion clearly without apologizing or over-explaining.

SUCCESS METRICS:
- ■ Challenge completed (Yes/No) ■ Comfort level: ___/10

■ EXECUTION & METRICS TRACKING

PRE-CHALLENGE MINDSET: How are you feeling before attempting this challenge?

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■ DAY 4 PROGRESSIVE CHALLENGE

Day 4: Share a learning challenge using 'I feel... when... because...' format.

SUCCESS METRICS:
■ Challenge completed (Yes/No) ■ Comfort level: ___/10

■ EXECUTION & METRICS TRACKING

PRE-CHALLENGE MINDSET: How are you feeling before attempting this challenge?

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■ DAY 5 PROGRESSIVE CHALLENGE

Day 5: Set one clear boundary regarding your focus/work time.

SUCCESS METRICS:
■ Challenge completed (Yes/No) ■ Comfort level: ___/10

■ EXECUTION & METRICS TRACKING

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■ DAY 6 PROGRESSIVE CHALLENGE

Day 6: Ask for something you want directly and specifically (e.g., a specific type of mentorship).

SUCCESS METRICS:
- ■ Challenge completed (Yes/No) ■ Comfort level: ___/10

■ EXECUTION & METRICS TRACKING

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■ DAY 7 PROGRESSIVE CHALLENGE

Day 7: Have one difficult conversation about project scope using I-statements.

SUCCESS METRICS:
- ■ Challenge completed (Yes/No)   ■ Comfort level: ___/10

■ EXECUTION & METRICS TRACKING

PRE-CHALLENGE MINDSET: How are you feeling before attempting this challenge?

EXECUTION DETAILS: Describe exactly what happened when you tried the challenge:

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WEEK 5 KNOWLEDGE MODULE
Empathy & Perspective-Taking

■ **TIME INVESTMENT: 30-60 minutes before starting Week 5**

■ **RECOMMENDED LEARNING RESOURCES:**

1. YouTube: 'The Power of Empathy' by Brené Brown
2. Book: 'Nonviolent Communication' by Marshall Rosenberg
3. Article: 'Cognitive Empathy vs. Affective Empathy' (Greater Good Science Center)
4. Exercise: 'Perspective-Taking Scenarios'

■ **KEY CONCEPTS TO MASTER:**

• Types of empathy: Cognitive, affective, compassionate
• The difference between empathy and sympathy
• Understanding needs beneath behaviors
• Cultural and individual differences in communication styles

■ **LEARNING COMPLETION CHECKLIST:**

■ Watched/read at least 2 recommended resources

■ Can explain the key concepts in my own words

■ Identified how these concepts apply to my personal goals

■ Ready to practice these skills in real conversations

■ **MY PERSONAL APPLICATION GOAL:**

My specific goal this week: Build deeper empathy with [specific people, e.g., end-users of my project] to strengthen product quality.

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■ **THIS WEEK'S SUCCESS METRIC:**

Empathy Accuracy Metric: When you guessed someone's feeling/need, were you right? Track: Accurate guess (Yes/No) + their confirmation

■ DAY 1 PROGRESSIVE CHALLENGE

Day 1: Ask a colleague 'How are you really doing?' and listen for the deeper answer.

SUCCESS METRICS:
- ■ Challenge completed (Yes/No) ■ Comfort level: ___/10

■ EXECUTION & METRICS TRACKING

PRE-CHALLENGE MINDSET: How are you feeling before attempting this challenge?

EXECUTION DETAILS: Describe exactly what happened when you tried the challenge:

COMFORT LEVEL: Rate your comfort (1=terrifying, 10=completely natural): ___/10

SUCCESS METRICS: Did you achieve the specific goal? ■ Yes ■ Partial ■ No

■ DAILY GROWTH & CAREER REFLECTION

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Week 5: Progressive Social Lab

■ DAY 2 PROGRESSIVE CHALLENGE

Day 2: Before responding to a bug report, mentally summarize the user's frustration.

SUCCESS METRICS:
■ Challenge completed (Yes/No) ■ Comfort level: ___/10

■ EXECUTION & METRICS TRACKING

PRE-CHALLENGE MINDSET: How are you feeling before attempting this challenge?

EXECUTION DETAILS: Describe exactly what happened when you tried the challenge:

COMFORT LEVEL: Rate your comfort (1=terrifying, 10=completely natural): ___/10

SUCCESS METRICS: Did you achieve the specific goal? ■ Yes ■ Partial ■ No

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■ DAY 3 PROGRESSIVE CHALLENGE

Day 3: Ask one person in your network about their career goals and what they're excited about.

SUCCESS METRICS:
- ■ Challenge completed (Yes/No) ■ Comfort level: ___/10

■ EXECUTION & METRICS TRACKING

PRE-CHALLENGE MINDSET: How are you feeling before attempting this challenge?

EXECUTION DETAILS: Describe exactly what happened when you tried the challenge:

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■ DAY 4 PROGRESSIVE CHALLENGE

Day 4: Share something vulnerable about your own experience or struggles with a coding problem.

SUCCESS METRICS:
- ■ Challenge completed (Yes/No) ■ Comfort level: ___/10

■ EXECUTION & METRICS TRACKING

PRE-CHALLENGE MINDSET: How are you feeling before attempting this challenge?

EXECUTION DETAILS: Describe exactly what happened when you tried the challenge:

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■ DAY 5 PROGRESSIVE CHALLENGE

Day 5: When someone is upset about a project delay, focus on understanding their underlying need.

SUCCESS METRICS:
- ■ Challenge completed (Yes/No) ■ Comfort level: ___/10

■ EXECUTION & METRICS TRACKING

PRE-CHALLENGE MINDSET: How are you feeling before attempting this challenge?

EXECUTION DETAILS: Describe exactly what happened when you tried the challenge:

COMFORT LEVEL: Rate your comfort (1=terrifying, 10=completely natural): ___/10

SUCCESS METRICS: Did you achieve the specific goal? ■ Yes ■ Partial ■ No

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■ DAY 6 PROGRESSIVE CHALLENGE

Day 6: Practice seeing a current technical debate entirely from the other person's viewpoint.

SUCCESS METRICS:
- ■ Challenge completed (Yes/No) ■ Comfort level: ___/10

■ EXECUTION & METRICS TRACKING

PRE-CHALLENGE MINDSET: How are you feeling before attempting this challenge?

EXECUTION DETAILS: Describe exactly what happened when you tried the challenge:

COMFORT LEVEL: Rate your comfort (1=terrifying, 10=completely natural): ___/10

SUCCESS METRICS: Did you achieve the specific goal? ■ Yes ■ Partial ■ No

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Week 5: Progressive Social Lab

■ DAY 7 PROGRESSIVE CHALLENGE

Day 7: Have one conversation where you spend 80% of the time understanding their technical perspective.

SUCCESS METRICS:
- ■ Challenge completed (Yes/No) ■ Comfort level: ___/10

■ EXECUTION & METRICS TRACKING

PRE-CHALLENGE MINDSET: How are you feeling before attempting this challenge?

EXECUTION DETAILS: Describe exactly what happened when you tried the challenge:

COMFORT LEVEL: Rate your comfort (1=terrifying, 10=completely natural): ___/10

SUCCESS METRICS: Did you achieve the specific goal? ■ Yes ■ Partial ■ No

■ DAILY GROWTH & CAREER REFLECTION

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Week 5 Performance Review

Growth Mindset: 'Every challenge makes me a stronger leader and developer.'

■ TECH & CAREER INTEGRATION

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• Learning (explaining concepts, asking better questions)?

Action Step: What's one developer or AI founder you will connect with next week?

■ QUANTITATIVE RESULTS

CHALLENGE COMPLETION RATE: ___/7 days completed successfully

AVERAGE COMFORT LEVEL: Day 1: ___ Day 7: ___ (Improvement: ___)

SUCCESS METRIC ACHIEVEMENT: How well did you hit this week's metric?
Empathy Accuracy Metric: When you guessed someone's feeling/need, were you right? Track: Accurate
guess (Yes/No) + their confirmation

■ QUALITATIVE INSIGHTS

BIGGEST BREAKTHROUGH: What was your most significant 'aha' moment?

PATTERN RECOGNITION: What patterns did you notice in your social behavior?

KNOWLEDGE APPLICATION: How did the pre-week learning help your practice?

■ WEEK 6 PREPARATION

WEEK 6 GOAL CUSTOMIZATION: How will you personalize next week's challenges?

KNOWLEDGE MODULE PLAN: When will you complete Week 6's learning?

ACCOUNTABILITY PLAN: How will you ensure consistent practice next week?

WEEK 6 KNOWLEDGE MODULE
Conflict Resolution & Difficult Conversations

■ **TIME INVESTMENT: 30-60 minutes before starting Week 6**

■ **RECOMMENDED LEARNING RESOURCES:**

1. YouTube: 'Getting to Yes: Negotiating Agreement' by Roger Fisher
2. Book: 'Difficult Conversations' by Douglas Stone
3. Article: 'The Anatomy of Peace' concepts
4. Framework: 'Nonviolent Communication in Conflict'

■ **KEY CONCEPTS TO MASTER:**

• Separating positions from interests
• De-escalation techniques and language patterns
• Finding win-win solutions
• Managing your own triggers during conflict

■ **LEARNING COMPLETION CHECKLIST:**

■ Watched/read at least 2 recommended resources

■ Can explain the key concepts in my own words

■ Identified how these concepts apply to my personal goals

■ Ready to practice these skills in real conversations

■ **MY PERSONAL APPLICATION GOAL:**

My specific goal this week: Address [specific conflict/tension, e.g., a disagreement on architecture] using structured approaches rather than avoidance.

■ **THIS WEEK'S SUCCESS METRIC:**

Resolution Success Metric: Did the conflict discussion end with agreed-upon next steps? Track: Mutual agreement reached (Yes/No) + relationship strengthened

Week 6: Progressive Social Lab

■ DAY 1 PROGRESSIVE CHALLENGE

Day 1: Address one small issue in a collaboration directly instead of letting it build up.

SUCCESS METRICS:
- ■ Challenge completed (Yes/No) ■ Comfort level: ___/10

■ EXECUTION & METRICS TRACKING

PRE-CHALLENGE MINDSET: How are you feeling before attempting this challenge?

EXECUTION DETAILS: Describe exactly what happened when you tried the challenge:

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Week 6: Progressive Social Lab

■ DAY 2 PROGRESSIVE CHALLENGE

Day 2: Use collaborative language ('How can we solve this?') in one disagreement.

SUCCESS METRICS:
- ■ Challenge completed (Yes/No) ■ Comfort level: ___/10

■ EXECUTION & METRICS TRACKING

PRE-CHALLENGE MINDSET: How are you feeling before attempting this challenge?

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■ DAY 3 PROGRESSIVE CHALLENGE

Day 3: Practice the COIN method for giving difficult feedback on a pull request.

SUCCESS METRICS:
■ Challenge completed (Yes/No)   ■ Comfort level: ___/10

■ EXECUTION & METRICS TRACKING

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■ DAY 4 PROGRESSIVE CHALLENGE

Day 4: Apologize for a mistake (e.g., breaking the build) without making excuses.

SUCCESS METRICS:
- ■ Challenge completed (Yes/No) ■ Comfort level: ___/10

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■ DAY 5 PROGRESSIVE CHALLENGE

Day 5: Find one area of agreement in a conversation with someone you disagree with.

SUCCESS METRICS:
- ■ Challenge completed (Yes/No) ■ Comfort level: ___/10

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Week 6: Progressive Social Lab

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Day 6: Turn one conflict into a problem-solving session by focusing on solutions.

SUCCESS METRICS:
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■ EXECUTION & METRICS TRACKING

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■ DAY 7 PROGRESSIVE CHALLENGE

Day 7: Reach out to an expert for advice on your NEETPrepGPT product launch strategy.

SUCCESS METRICS:
- ■ Challenge completed (Yes/No) ■ Comfort level: ___/10

■ EXECUTION & METRICS TRACKING

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WEEK 7 KNOWLEDGE MODULE
Relationship Building & Network Cultivation

■ **TIME INVESTMENT: 30-60 minutes before starting Week 7**

■ **RECOMMENDED LEARNING RESOURCES:**

1. YouTube: 'How to Win Friends and Influence People' key concepts
2. Book: 'Never Eat Alone' by Keith Ferrazzi
3. Article: 'The Science of Strong Relationships' (Harvard Business Review)
4. Practice: 'Gratitude and Appreciation Expressions'

■ **KEY CONCEPTS TO MASTER:**

• The principle of reciprocity in relationships
• Building trust through consistency and vulnerability
• The art of following up and staying connected
• Adding value before asking for favors

■ **LEARNING COMPLETION CHECKLIST:**

■ Watched/read at least 2 recommended resources

■ Can explain the key concepts in my own words

■ Identified how these concepts apply to my personal goals

■ Ready to practice these skills in real conversations

■ **MY PERSONAL APPLICATION GOAL:**

My specific goal this week: Strengthen my [professional/personal] network by reconnecting with [specific types of people, e.g., other AI developers].

■ **THIS WEEK'S SUCCESS METRIC:**

Connection Depth Metric: Did your interaction lead to concrete next steps? Track: Follow-up planned (Yes/No) + relationship investment level (1-10)

■ DAY 1 PROGRESSIVE CHALLENGE

Day 1: Send a specific appreciation message to someone who helped you with a technical problem.

SUCCESS METRICS:
- ■ Challenge completed (Yes/No) ■ Comfort level: ___/10

■ EXECUTION & METRICS TRACKING

PRE-CHALLENGE MINDSET: How are you feeling before attempting this challenge?

EXECUTION DETAILS: Describe exactly what happened when you tried the challenge:

COMFORT LEVEL: Rate your comfort (1=terrifying, 10=completely natural): ___/10

SUCCESS METRICS: Did you achieve the specific goal? ■ Yes ■ Partial ■ No

■ DAILY GROWTH & CAREER REFLECTION

BREAKTHROUGH MOMENT: What surprised you most about today's interaction?

WHAT TO ADJUST: What will you do differently in similar situations?

DEV-SPECIFIC APPLICATION: How did today's skill help you solve a technical problem, debug code, or learn a new concept?

NEXT STEPS: How will you build on today's progress tomorrow?

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■ DAY 2 PROGRESSIVE CHALLENGE

Day 2: Reach out to one person on LinkedIn you haven't connected with in months.

SUCCESS METRICS:
■ Challenge completed (Yes/No) ■ Comfort level: ___/10

■ EXECUTION & METRICS TRACKING

PRE-CHALLENGE MINDSET: How are you feeling before attempting this challenge?

EXECUTION DETAILS: Describe exactly what happened when you tried the challenge:

COMFORT LEVEL: Rate your comfort (1=terrifying, 10=completely natural): ___/10

SUCCESS METRICS: Did you achieve the specific goal? ■ Yes ■ Partial ■ No

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■ DAY 3 PROGRESSIVE CHALLENGE

Day 3: Ask someone senior for advice on a career or technical challenge.

SUCCESS METRICS:
- ■ Challenge completed (Yes/No)   ■ Comfort level: ___/10

■ EXECUTION & METRICS TRACKING

PRE-CHALLENGE MINDSET: How are you feeling before attempting this challenge?

EXECUTION DETAILS: Describe exactly what happened when you tried the challenge:

COMFORT LEVEL: Rate your comfort (1=terrifying, 10=completely natural): ___/10

SUCCESS METRICS: Did you achieve the specific goal? ■ Yes ■ Partial ■ No

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BREAKTHROUGH MOMENT: What surprised you most about today's interaction?

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■ DAY 4 PROGRESSIVE CHALLENGE

Day 4: Invite someone from your network for a virtual coffee chat.

SUCCESS METRICS:
- ■ Challenge completed (Yes/No) ■ Comfort level: ___/10

■ EXECUTION & METRICS TRACKING

PRE-CHALLENGE MINDSET: How are you feeling before attempting this challenge?

EXECUTION DETAILS: Describe exactly what happened when you tried the challenge:

COMFORT LEVEL: Rate your comfort (1=terrifying, 10=completely natural): ___/10

SUCCESS METRICS: Did you achieve the specific goal? ■ Yes ■ Partial ■ No

■ DAILY GROWTH & CAREER REFLECTION

BREAKTHROUGH MOMENT: What surprised you most about today's interaction?

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■ DAY 5 PROGRESSIVE CHALLENGE

Day 5: Introduce two people in your network who could benefit from knowing each other.

SUCCESS METRICS:
- ■ Challenge completed (Yes/No) ■ Comfort level: ___/10

■ EXECUTION & METRICS TRACKING

PRE-CHALLENGE MINDSET: How are you feeling before attempting this challenge?

EXECUTION DETAILS: Describe exactly what happened when you tried the challenge:

COMFORT LEVEL: Rate your comfort (1=terrifying, 10=completely natural): ___/10

SUCCESS METRICS: Did you achieve the specific goal? ■ Yes ■ Partial ■ No

■ DAILY GROWTH & CAREER REFLECTION

BREAKTHROUGH MOMENT: What surprised you most about today's interaction?

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■ DAY 6 PROGRESSIVE CHALLENGE

Day 6: Offer specific help to someone in your developer community without them asking.

SUCCESS METRICS:
- ■ Challenge completed (Yes/No) ■ Comfort level: ___/10

■ EXECUTION & METRICS TRACKING

PRE-CHALLENGE MINDSET: How are you feeling before attempting this challenge?

EXECUTION DETAILS: Describe exactly what happened when you tried the challenge:

COMFORT LEVEL: Rate your comfort (1=terrifying, 10=completely natural): ___/10

SUCCESS METRICS: Did you achieve the specific goal? ■ Yes ■ Partial ■ No

■ DAILY GROWTH & CAREER REFLECTION

BREAKTHROUGH MOMENT: What surprised you most about today's interaction?

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DEV-SPECIFIC APPLICATION: How did today's skill help you solve a technical problem, debug code, or learn a new concept?

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Week 7: Progressive Social Lab

■ DAY 7 PROGRESSIVE CHALLENGE

Day 7: Pitch your AI project (NEETPrepGPT) to 2 new LinkedIn connections.

SUCCESS METRICS:
- ■ Challenge completed (Yes/No) ■ Comfort level: ___/10

■ EXECUTION & METRICS TRACKING

PRE-CHALLENGE MINDSET: How are you feeling before attempting this challenge?

EXECUTION DETAILS: Describe exactly what happened when you tried the challenge:

COMFORT LEVEL: Rate your comfort (1=terrifying, 10=completely natural): ___/10

SUCCESS METRICS: Did you achieve the specific goal? ■ Yes ■ Partial ■ No

■ DAILY GROWTH & CAREER REFLECTION

BREAKTHROUGH MOMENT: What surprised you most about today's interaction?

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Week 7 Performance Review

Growth Mindset: 'Every challenge makes me a stronger leader and developer.'

■ TECH & CAREER INTEGRATION

This week, how did improved social skills help you with:
• Technical collaboration (code review, study group, feedback)?
• Networking (LinkedIn, expert outreach for NEETPrepGPT)?
• Learning (explaining concepts, asking better questions)?

Action Step: What's one developer or AI founder you will connect with next week?

■ QUANTITATIVE RESULTS

CHALLENGE COMPLETION RATE: ___/7 days completed successfully

AVERAGE COMFORT LEVEL: Day 1: ___ Day 7: ___ (Improvement: ___)

SUCCESS METRIC ACHIEVEMENT: How well did you hit this week's metric?
Connection Depth Metric: Did your interaction lead to concrete next steps? Track: Follow-up planned (Yes/No) + relationship investment level (1-10)

■ QUALITATIVE INSIGHTS

BIGGEST BREAKTHROUGH: What was your most significant 'aha' moment?

PATTERN RECOGNITION: What patterns did you notice in your social behavior?

KNOWLEDGE APPLICATION: How did the pre-week learning help your practice?

■ MASTERY ASSESSMENT

TRANSFORMATION SUMMARY: How have you changed since Week 1?

SKILL MASTERY: Rate each skill (1-10): Self-awareness: ___, Response control: ___, Listening: ___, Communication: ___, Empathy: ___, Conflict resolution: ___, Relationship building: ___

ONGOING PRACTICE PLAN: How will you maintain and continue growing these skills?

SOCIAL MASTERY ACHIEVED

Final Transformation Assessment

BEFORE vs. AFTER ASSESSMENT:

Week 1 Comfort Level: ___/10   Week 7 Comfort Level: ___/10

Most Significant Transformation in your developer workflow:

New Social Superpowers Acquired:

1. _____ 2. _____ 3. _____

NEETPrepGPT IMPACT: How will these new skills accelerate your project's launch, user feedback gathering, and potential team building?

CAREER IMPACT: How will these skills help you achieve your goals as an AI Engineer/Founder?

ONGOING PRACTICE PLAN: How will you maintain and expand these abilities?

■ CONGRATULATIONS! ■

You now possess the systematic communication skills

to build any relationship and influence any outcome.

Your AI/health-tech career will benefit immeasurably.

Social & Career Achievement Badges

■ ■ First LinkedIn tech connection made

■ ■ First open-source collaborator onboarded

■ ■ First AI project demo delivered (NEETPrepGPT)

■ ■ First successful professional introduction made

■ ■ First technical mentorship call completed

■ ■ Positive code review feedback received

■ ■ Pitched your project to a potential user/stakeholder

■ ■ Organized a study or collaboration session

Add your custom badges as you progress!

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