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Without a doubt, technology has changed the lives of many, including mines. Throughout my undergraduate career at Chaminade University, after speaking with a professor with a computer information systems background, she encouraged me to add the Computer Informations Systems minor at Chaminade to make me a more marketable candidate in the future. Once I started to take courses within the minor, I developed an interest in the technology world and truly learned the importance of technology. In addition, following my participation in the SPICE program during the summer of 2022, it sparked my interest in learning more about Data Science and the concepts of coding. With that being said, I decided to switch my second major of Psychology to a minor and add Data Science, Analytics, and Visualization as my second major alongside Criminology/Criminal Justice.

In addition to the academics of my undergraduate career, participating in various internships both in the Criminal Justice field as well as Data Science, it has helped me to realize that technology is such a fascinating field. Technology has truly elevated and driven our society to a whole new level. From computers to smartphones and other forms of technology, it can truly make a difference in our everyday lives. With the constant development of new technology, it continues to bring our society to new heights.

As for how prevalent technology is, we truly cannot live without it. Technology has become so integrated into our everyday lives that it would be difficult to live a life or lifestyle without technology. There are times where people do need a step away from technology, which is completely normal. Although technology has become such an immense part of our lives, living a lifestyle without technology is possible for those who still believe in the systems of paper and keeping records on paper rather than technology. With that being said, with the direction that our

society is heading, living a life without technology could be challenging due to how much technology is relied on.

Lastly, to further the conversation of technology, following the current data-driven era, I believe that the new innovation or era of technology would lean more towards digitizing our everyday's lives a step further. Currently with the data-driven era, it is showing our society that technology has made our lives much easier and can continue to produce positive outcomes. With that being said, we could possibly be leaning into a digitization era where everything will be completely relied on technology, meaning everything that is currently on paper will be formatted in the technological world. More advanced technological innovations will be created to digitize anything possible.