Where do I want to be by the end of this period/year? What do I want to be doing? (Include as many learning needs as required to achieve agreed objectives)

What do I want/need to learn? Provide a specific description of the desired changes (e.g. skills to gain, knowledge to acquire, topics/themes/content to cover)	What do I have to do to achieve this? Some examples, a new/ongoing course, conference, self-development (like wider research or reading), coaching/mentoring, job shadowing	What resources or support will I need? Some examples, teaching staff support, library support, student advisor support, line manager, etc.	How will I measure success? Some examples, appraisals, course assessments, team feedback, tutor feedback	Target dates for review and completion Note that these need to be realistic/achievable
Technical Skills in Programming and Distributed Workflow	 Enroll in University of Essex courses on programming languages and frameworks. Attend workshops on coding best practices and secure programming. Participate in University seminars focusing on distributed systems and project management tools. Engage in group projects that utilize distributed workflows. 	 Access to faculty for guidance on programming topics and distributed systems. University library resources for textbooks and coding manuals. Online platforms provided by the University for collaboration and project management. 	 Performance on programming assessments and assignments. Feedback on coding projects from instructors. Evaluation of group projects that demonstrate effective distributed workflow. 	 Monthly reviews of progress in programming courses. Course completion deadlines as specified in the syllabus. Mid-semester feedback sessions on group projects using distributed workflows.
System Implementation	 Attend University-hosted sessions on system design and implementation. Take courses related to software deployment and maintenance. 	 Faculty support for understanding system architecture and deployment. Access to case studies and implementation guides in the library. 	 Success in assessments related to system deployment and implementation. Faculty evaluations of project implementations. 	 Project submission deadlines aligned with course schedules. End-of-semester reflections on system implementation learning.

Teamwork Skills	 Join or form study groups to work collaboratively on projects. Participate in team-based coding competitions organized by the University. 	 Peer support for collaborative learning and project work. Resources for effective team dynamics and communication. 	 Assessment of contributions in team projects and peer reviews. Reflections on teamwork experiences documented in a journal. 	 Monthly check-ins on group dynamics and team progress. Participation in competitions by set deadlines.
Database querying and integration	 Enroll in courses covering database management and SQL querying. Attend workshops on integrating databases with applications securely. 	 Library resources for database management and integration literature. Access to software tools for practicing database queries. 	 Performance in assessments on database management and secure querying. Feedback on database integration projects from faculty. 	 Course completion timelines for database management classes. End-of-semester assessments on database querying skills.