# Attempt 2 for M4 - W2 Assignment: Academic Writing Assignment

Dear Monique, I have read your comments about my submission. Thank you for taking your time and effort to help us (students) bring the best in us. I added professional reasons because of this statement in the instructions for the assignment.

*\* it needs to include****three personal / professional reasons for choosing your (imagined) project topic***

I have made some changes including, addition of hook statements at the beginning of each reason. Changed the tone of reasons from professional to personal and then linked a research work with my reason. I have added references at the end. Also, I have made the sentences shorter so that it is interesting and comprehensible for the reader. Here is my altered attempt.

Is it possible to predict the possibility of a person committing crime in the future? With the power of AI, now we can predict human actions based on behavioral patterns.

Firstly, human behavioral patterns can indicate probable future actions. For example, if a personal is involved in drugs, he or she might be also involved in other behaviors that are not accepted by the society. We can now can predict occurrence of a crime before it actually happens using the power of computers. [Neil Shah](https://vciba.springeropen.com/articles/10.1186/s42492-021-00075-z#auth-Neil-Shah-Aff1), [Nandish Bhagat](https://vciba.springeropen.com/articles/10.1186/s42492-021-00075-z#auth-Nandish-Bhagat-Aff1) & [Manan Shah](https://vciba.springeropen.com/articles/10.1186/s42492-021-00075-z#auth-Manan-Shah-Aff2) (2019, p.1)

Secondly, it is widely believed that crimes can be prevented using proper counselling. Nesbit (2022,p.1) suggests, Treatment is most effective in reducing future violent and property crimes, and the effect increases over time since conviction. Counselling is only possible when we can predict the probability of a person committing a crime.

Thirdly, circumstances greatly affect the personality of a person and hence his/her personal choices. For example, it has been observed that financially less fortunate people are more likely to be involved in criminal activities. For instance, studies, such as those cited by L. Fleming (2011,p.14), have identified poverty as a significant precursor to criminal behavior. By identifying and addressing such factors, we can take proactive steps to remove the root causes of crime, ensuring safer communities.

In conclusion, the integration of AI-driven predictive analytics into law enforcement practices holds great promise for crime prevention. By changing from reactive to proactive strategies, authorities can effectively predict and intercept criminal activities before they happen, ultimately contributing to better public safety and the well-being of humanity.

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