

Individual Reflection 8/4 - 2019

- What do I want to learn or understand better?

A: I have learnt more about the concepts of Agile/Scrum. Specifically I have learnt about how to break down User Stories vertically and thereby delivering value in each sprint. I have learnt about acceptance criterias, DoD and testing mainly during lectures. I have had the ability to implement this in the project where we have begun formulating user stories. During the project I have also learnt how to create a mock-up using figma and how to set up git.

B: I would like to learn more about how to apply the concepts of Agile/Scrum and obtain deeper knowledge about the technical skills associated with software engineering (i.e. coding). Specifically I want to learn how to set up an Android Development Environment and make a first hello world, pull/push this to a repository and learn some more basics of Android App Development.

A->B: I will bridge these gaps through working with my Scrum Team. A lot of my learnings are included in our tasks. I have my team mates as well as internet as my resources for learning technical skills. For learning the scrum methodology we have appointed a Scrum Master for our coming sprint and aim to apply this to our work processes.

- How can I help someone else, or the entire team, to learn something new?

A: The last sprint, I learnt some team members about the concept of Business Model Canvas and the components that it consists of.

B: My ambition is keep learning about the technical aspects of application development but also share my knowledge of project management, adapted for the scrum methodology.

A->B: I aim to share what I learn myself and what other team members teach me, so that we can be effective in our work and knowledge sharing.

- What is my contribution towards the team's use of Scrum?

A: We have made our first iterations of the Social Contract. We have also conducted our first Retrospective, but have not yet completed our first review. We formulated user stories for our product backlog and broken these down into sprint backlogs. I have contributed in all these areas.

B: My goal is to partake in all aspects of the Scrum Methodology. That is keep doing what we already have been doing but also utilizing a Scrum Master, doing our first print, conduct daily meetings (perhaps more seldom than daily), break down user stories into tasks and review.

A->B: We will apply the entire of Scrum Methodology to our next sprint keeping in mind that it is a learning process and that we might not get it right the first time.

- What is my contribution towards the team's deliveries?

A: I have been engaged in co-authoring the teams Social Contract, the Business Model Canvas and the mock-up. I have also been engaged in delivering our first team reflections.

B: Our next main delivery, that is valuable to our product owner, is a runnable application with some functionality.

A->B: My aim is to contribute to this both in concept but also in writing code and completing the tasks necessary for our sprints, that is to set up a development environment and learning the basics of android and git.