**Blog 10**

After finishing our poster presentation, we will have the last phone meeting with our client on May 3th before our final presentation on May 7th. In this call, we are able to display the way we present and get some feedback from our clients so that we can improve our performance for the final presentation. Since we all need prepare for our final exam, Rashi helped us to schedule the time for the phone call, which would be suitable for five of us.

Before taking the phone call meeting, we improved the content in our slides based on the previous feedbacks from clients and professors. Also, Chris gave us some good suggestions on the poster presentation day. Rashi contacted professor and Mariem to learn how to setup WebX and told us the primary steps. We also got to know what our clients want us to highlight for our final presentation so that we can spend the rest of the time preparing better and make sure all the work has been done beforehand. We added the content with regard to future step and what lesson we gain from this project experience. On May 2th, Yuming contacted with Mariem and walked through our slides again to learn how to present in a clear and desirable way. Combing the slides and PowerBI dashboard, we would be able to present like a storyteller.

Since it is about the end on the capstone project, I reflected the process we were getting though so far from the very begging and reflected a lot. I really appreciate this valuable opportunity and it’s a great honor to work with my team members for Credit Suisse. In the initial stage, we are a little behind other teams since we had difficulties understanding the dataset. Due to the fact that we can only work on authorized computers in Pittsburgh building, our work efficiency was not as expected. However, thanks to the technical support and kind help from our clients, we overcame the difficulties and gradually gained some desirable outputs over time. Professor Jason and Chris also offered a lot of help by giving suggestive feedback and advice so that we knew how to improve our progress. I am equally thankful to my other team members for their productive contribution. Everyone played their own roles, whether it’s about technical part or communication. It is our collaborative work that lead to current outputs.

This capstone project is one of the biggest harvest I gained this semester. It is the first time that I have the chance to work for a leading company with the skills and knowledge I gained from my master program. It is a valuable experience that would surely be beneficial to my future career development.