

Submit an answer for the following questions (**one paragraph per question**). Students should ask themselves these questions on a daily basis while working through this course, but only need to submit responses once in Canvas and once in their electronic portfolio.

1. Am I an entrepreneur? An entrepreneur, as taught in the module, would be someone who introduces new products and services for a “profit”. To add on, entrepreneurship is for everyone in which one can identify problems and solutions to a field. There’s also Interdisciplinary Entrepreneurship where issues are best solved and solutions identified by collaborators. Lastly, there is social entrepreneurship, which is the application of the core element of entrepreneurship to solve social issues. Having said that, to answer the following question, I would say I am not 100% an entrepreneur yet. I started a business recently but had to call it off due to time management.

2. What is success? Success is not guaranteed by having the best technologies or with a well-known brand, success can be achieved through start-up ventures. A startup venture could be such as Business model canvas wheres one would have a plan focused on what’s needed. This includes keys such as customer segments, value proposition channel customer relationships, and more. Another Startup venture could also be Mission Model Canvas. Overall, these will increase the chance of becoming successful rather than having the “best” technologies.

3. Am I a self-starter? How well do I follow through on my ideas? As regards to being a self-starter, I’d say I am for now. As mentioned in the first paragraph, I have a business of my own falling into this category of being an individual. As far as the ideas, I don’t tend to follow any plans nor correspond to my ideas. Not doing so is probably the reason It’s not as successful as I want it.

4. How does ODU view entrepreneurship? Entrepreneurship and how it’s viewed by ODU would be by demonstrating what are the key terms/concepts. Next, one would move to the phases. The phases are Business Model creation, start-up and funding planning, funding, and execution. More on, Odu categorized startup ventures into 6. Overall, Odu introduced important information regarding how to be an Innovator or an Entrepreneur and know the difference.

5. What is my role in this ecosystem? As for this question, I have not fully found my role, yet. However, I will explain what are my thought process. I want to start a business for cybersecurity or something related that will help the younger

generations through technology. I see a lot of the youth, even children being affected by these cell phones and electronic devices and I feel like it's my duty to step up and contribute something to the table!