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Reflection #3

Introduction and Class Content

I feel that for this period of the internship, the emphasis was mostly on larger projects, but that was fine with me. A significant assignment was to critique each other's dry runs. This was a good exercise, as it was not only beneficial for each group, but I saw the value in learning about mistakes and trying to avoid those for our presentation.

Individual Work

The only individual work that we had was the presentation both in and out of class. While this could be group work due to my team working together at times, our structure was focused on different areas and finishing them mostly separately. My responsibility was helping with adding content to areas of the report and presentation, as well as editing and clean-up. These days helped me to make significant progress on the presentation.

Group Work

A prominent form of group work for us was our dry run. I felt that that first attempt was fine but needed improvements. Hearing everyone's critiques was eye-opening, as it helped us understand what key aspects to improve. This then led to changes up to the briefing day. I was nervous, and I felt that I talked too much, but people said my section was fine. It was great being able to finally show the work and address comments, questions, and clarification.

Conclusion

In conclusion, this second to last period was the culmination of me and my team's work. Dry runs helped me to learn how to present differently. Workdays were beneficial for progress and cleaning up information. Both our dry run and briefing day were stressful for me, but they paid off significantly. Overall, I was proud of my teammates and the work we put in. With further reflections being the last part, I look forward to writing out my final comprehensive thoughts.