

Agenda

- Welcome New Member
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- Expectations
 - What do I expect from you & What you expect from me
- Reflection & Plan



What you want to be upon graduation?

- A technical expert on the subject matter
 - Broad view of the state-of-the-art, in-depth knowledge about your specialization
- Excellent presentation & communication skills
 - Can you imagine to work with someone who cannot present
 & communicate?
- A confident thinker, problem solver, and decision maker
 - Develop your own way of thinking and approaching a problem or task
- A responsible person that other people can count on
 - Do what you say, and deliver as promised



What I expect from you

- Take initiative, ownership & pride
 - I make critiques, comments, and suggestions, but you make decisions
- Do solid work & go deep
 - leave no doubt behind
- Be confident
 - You can do it (and you must do it)!
- Read, read, read!
- Be professional & responsible
- Work hard (and play hard)!



What you expect from me

- What can I do for you?
- Too strict or too soft?
- Too many or too few meetings?
- Others?



Be a better you!

- Try to be an infinite player
 - Outdo yourself, instead of comparing to others
 - Am I getting better and in what aspects?
 - Life has no shortcut!
- Watch the video "Understanding the game we are playing" by Simon Sinek.



Do you procrastinate? If so, how do you want to address it?



Reflection

- What did you accomplish last semester?
- Are you satisfied with your progress?
- What has worked and what has not worked for you?



Plan

- What are your goals for the new semester?
- How to make yourself more productive?
- How to make deliverables/action items meaningful?