

**HOS60303 – HOTEL PLANNING & DESIGN**  
**REFLECTIVE LEARNING – INDIVIDUAL**

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The skills which require us to complete this assignment would be Discipline Specific Knowledge, Communication Skills and Interpersonal Skill because we are required to design a presidential suite in AUTOCAD form which require us so basic knowledge to convert our idea and concept into a detailed layout. Communication skill is highly important as this assignment will not able to be done with 2-3 people in a group on time as it requires every effort to get the project complete on time by meeting everyone expectation and merging all the input and idea from the hand until we manage to get the mutual agreement and understanding. We spend so much time and sharing photos to make sure everyone idea in the head can be visualized. Lastly, interpersonal skills is important during this assignment because respecting each other job assigned and due dates by making sure each and individually part is done on time and correctly are definitely play a big part of this project too. By being considerate to each other only able to ensure no much conflict happens during the cooperation and so on.

When a group is formed to work for a project related to design and concept, the most challenging part is to combining each other ideas and specifically in detail getting everyone into a mutual understanding because we realize the imagined and the view pictured in each of our mind is different from everyone. Therefore, when the design team and the furniture scouting team doesn't matches each other will ended up with the finalized concept agreed by everyone at the beginning of the project. However the best part of working in a group is able to share the loads among teammates of all the assignments we had and also the tasks for this project. By sharing our contribution and learning how to give and take, we able to complete our project well on time without in an overstressed situation.

As being an ordinary group member, I realized that providing necessary input from time to time to assist the leader to carry out the agenda and keep our progress well on track according to the group agreed timeline is important. Giving out last minute input and paying no attention during discussion will definitely irritate and become a burden for the team. We should always support the team to keep moving on track and no regrets. If I am given a second chance to do this project, I would definitely need to be more strict and particular for certain details which I noticed earlier.

I was considering more on the emotionally and group harmony rather than deliver a perfect and detailed outcome for the whole team, hence I would rather to be more detail and putting ourselves away from our members comfort zone for the benefits for everyone in terms of learning curve and also outcome of the project.

The difference I realize when we have a diverse cultural background groupmate is the word we used to describe is different from each other. The understanding of certain terms and descriptive words of us are different from everyone even though we are all Chinese and speaking in mandarin but the way we think and perceive other people message is not all the same which actually make this project more challenging to complete.

I think I am doing quite well in terms of producing a concept and related to reality and never compromise about practicality of the concept which able to show case the concept of the design seems much more practically and possible to be happened compare to the others. Besides that, assigning job task and making sure the discussion is productive and efficient is also something I consider to do quite well in this assignment rather than a group of student have a discussion for 3hours and still turning round and round without a finalize decision. I always play a role of deciding what we can do for the next step during a discussion. However, being impatience is weakness in this assignment because I realized that I tend to not easily taking other people suggestion easily we I noticed the idea is not the best or can be done better. Sometimes I would immediately suggest something better immediately and start being impatience when seeing others still insisting on their idea is better without a persuasive reason. While if I start getting impatience, my emotional somehow would be effected with will cause impact on the team dynamic.

In conclusion, I noticed I still need to further improve on how to manage my emotional intelligence and also communication skills by listening more before giving my opinion. I should learn more how to control the team dynamic and harmony without compromising the quality of work to delivery by being more determine and able to deliver my comment and feedback better to my teammates.