

Final Touches

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The final steps of any big software development project are also generally some of the most difficult times for the company because it is usually the time when every person must put in their all and the project will need to be quality assurance tested and documented from an end to end standpoint. Culminating this with the fact that this project was developed completely independently, the process becomes more challenging.

This past week I had the opportunity to reach the final steps in my project. In doing so, I was able go through one of the most important steps within the software development process: in-depth quality assurance testing.

One of the major challenges of conducting an in-depth quality assurance test is that quality assurance is a new field for me. In that regard, QA testing required extensive research into new technologies and best practices. Through doing this, I was able to not only able to learn the different aspects of quality assurance testing but also learn how to learn efficiently and quickly. This a skill that will come in handy both in the technical and interpersonal worlds. For example, QA testing is used in every corporation and therefore the skills I have gained from this experience will be beneficial for the future. Additionally, the skill of learning quickly and efficiently will make me a real asset as I will be able to grasp new technologies and adapt to new platforms within a short period of time, making my skills more desirable within the software development industry.

Reflecting for the future, this week's experiences have been instrumental in setting me up for success when working in the software industry. It has helped me grow both as a developer and as a leader within the technology industry, a combination of growth that is certain to be a pathway for success.

