Reflection on Term Project (BUS 1040)

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There are many things that I learned from this term project. I really got to explore and research an ethical issue that does not just occur in the society that we live in today but that has many viewpoints. I really got to learn about an ethical issue that I was not complete aware of and all the characteristics of it. I learned how to further improve my researching skills and really see the right sources that this project needed. Having to narrow the search to just .edu or .gov at times was hard. But in the end I saw that the more credible sources I could find, the more credible my term project would become in the end. A weakness of this term project was not fully understanding what direction I wanted this essay to be in. It took me a while to understand how I wanted to create the layout of my essay so that it would flow consistently. If I am being completely honest I was not sure how to incorporate my sources with the ethical issue I had chosen. I struggled a lot to decide on an ethical issue and once I finally decided on one, I had a harder time finding accurate research to backup my ethical issue. But after finishing this term project I got a better understanding of how I can structure future essays that are not completely informative but also not completely argumentative.

Overall, I got to see the two side of my ethical issue, and I created my own opinion on the issue. I saw that although there might seem to be two side to the ethical topic that I chose. If you look closely they go along with each other and one can almost say that they are one in the same. I learned that profit in not an end goal it is just a byproduct, if you as a leader are put into a situation where you need to choose between profit and your own code of ethics and your responsibility to your stakeholders. You must realize that they go along with one another, if you have the wellbeing of your stakeholders in mind than profit will come naturally.