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Work Undertaken

- **Working on the BC Health Guide project as part of ACTION for Health**
 - Study looking at how groups use the internet to find health information
- **Skills and experience gained**
 - Applying and improving analytical and research skills: observer notes, consulting literature, coding, visually representing data, journal writing
 - Computer skills, specifically qualitative research software (NVivo7)
 - Participating in meetings and conferences: presenting, chairing; travel



High and Low Points

- **Perspective of an undergrad:**
- **High points:**
 - Seeing my work as part of a bigger picture; contributing to goals of ACTION for Health
 - Seeing how research happens, improving my own skills
 - Widely applicable work experience: academic and non-academic
 - Mentorship: deciding on further schooling, fields of work
- **Low points:**
 - Challenging because not geared towards undergrads
 - Timing: finishing my BA while trying to get the most out of my research project