Candidate Research Problem Statement #2

A Distributed Cognition Framework for CS1

I am studying the viability of teaching CS1 within a reflective distributed cognition framework because I want to find out how a mindful approach to the use of cognitive artifacts (e.g., an integrated development environment, an archival work site, programming blogs) might serve to enhance student learning in CS1 in order to help my reader understand the potential benefit and possible detriment of teaching CS1 within a reflective distributed cognition framework.