

# Week 13 — Your Signature AI-Assisted Project

Choose one substantial real project, complete it using the four-tool workflow, and document it as a case study — that is how AI capability becomes career evidence.



## When to deploy this playbook

- **For Work Execution**

Any substantial professional deliverable that requires rigorous research, analysis, and drafting.

- **For Career Advancement**

Immediately after completing any project worth documenting. These specific, evidenced examples are built for performance reviews, interviews, and client conversations.

## Project Selection Criteria



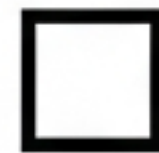
### Real stakeholder

Someone whose opinion actually matters to your work.



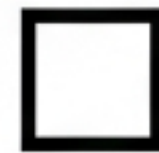
### Substantial

A task that would normally take 2-4 weeks of manual effort without AI.



### Explainable AI contribution

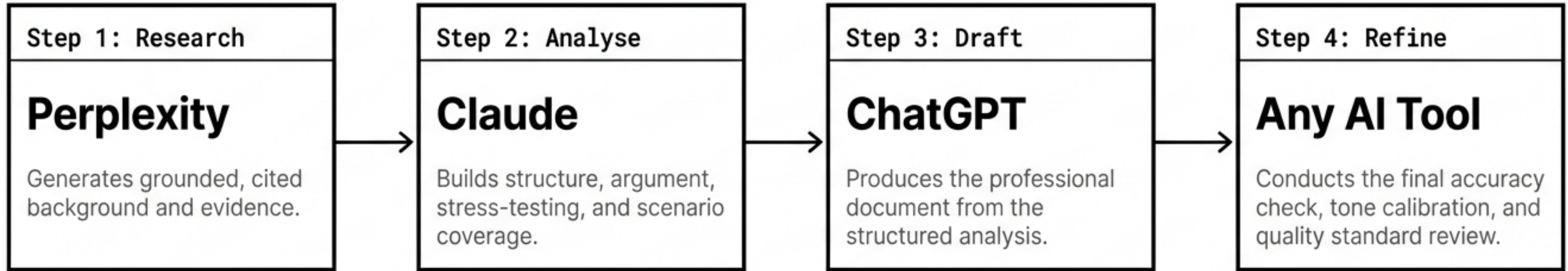
You can state specifically what the AI made possible.



### Documented

Will be captured as a formal before-and-after case study.

# The Four-Tool Workflow



## Case Study Syntax

**Stakeholder:** [who needed this and why it mattered]  
**Deliverable:** [what was produced]  
**AI contribution:** [Perplexity for \_\_ / Claude for \_\_ / ChatGPT for \_\_]  
**Time:** [X hours with AI vs estimated Y hours without]  
**Outcome:** [stakeholder response / what changed / what AI made possible]

### **Critical Pitfall**

**Completing the project but not documenting it.**

The evidence evaporates within a week. Undocumented work has zero career value, no matter how good it was.