

# CAREER AND LIFE PLANNING EXERCISE



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Long-term vision,  
long-term plans,  
long-term success!

With this exercise, you'll learn how to distinguish yourself from the other candidates and discover and define your career goals.

## Objectives:

In this exercise the participant will learn to:

- Define their career and personal goals and vision to aid them in identifying distinguishing factors that can help them to stand out from other candidates.



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## How to Use This Tool:

1. Answer each question focusing on your unique distinguishing factors in each area.
2. Assess your responses against various interview questions.
3. Rehearse your ability to draw unique correlations between your distinguishing factors and the different types of interview questions.

## Related Resources

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TITLE	RESOURCE NO.
<a href="#">Search Strategy</a>	ST-05
<a href="#">How to Build Your Search Strategy</a>	E-17
<a href="#">Creating and Using an Elevator Speech</a>	E-18



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## Instructions:

Find a quiet space for you to concentrate and answer the below questions in detail. Give yourself thirty minutes to complete. Tell your story.

1. What vision do you have for your life; what will your legacy be in thirty years?

2. What kinds of service would you like to give your community?

3. How will you truly make a difference in your career/work?

4. What are your highest values?

5. Describe your ideal relationship with administration?

6. What are your greatest needs for your future employer?