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Career Masterclass

Part I

Identify your talents

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It is really important that you take the time to go through the exercises thoroughly. Ideally take a day (or half day) for yourself and walk along a secluded beach, spend some time in a national park – Just get away from it, slow down, turn off the mobile and be honest with yourself.

TALENTS & EXPERTISE

1. What are you really good at doing? What are your talents?
2. What would you do if you knew you could not fail?
3. If you were to write a book, what would it be about?
4. When was the last time you were in a state of flow, in the zone and totally lost track of time? What were you doing?

5. When was the last time you massively over-delivered on something? What was it and why did you work so hard

LEADERSHIP TRAITS

1. Who do you look up to? Who are your mentors? Who inspires you? Why?

2. When was the time you felt like a true leader? What did you do, how did you act?

3. Name the top 3 products you can see yourself using religiously for the next ten years.

4. Name the top 3 essentials in your life (ie health, food, electricity, transport, communications, water)

PERSONAL MOTIVATORS

1. If you were to give a school leaver career advice, what is the best bit of advice you could give them.

2. Rocking chair test – When you come to reflect on your career what would you liked to have achieved?

The following is a list of personal values that many people have identified as being important to them in their careers. To begin exploring your own personal work values, rate each value listed with the following scale and add other values you consider essential to your list.

- 1 - Things I value VERY MUCH
- 2 - Things I VALUE
- 3 - Things I DON'T VALUE very much

RATE	PERSONAL WORK VALUES
	Help Society
	Help Others
	Public Contact
	Work with Others
	Work Alone
	Competition
	Make Decisions
	Work Under Pressure
	Influence People
	Knowledge
	Work Mastery
	Artistic Creativity
	General Creativity
	Aesthetics

	Supervision
	Change and Variety
	Precision Work
	Stability
	Security
	Recognition
	Fast Pace
	Excitement
	Adventure
	Financial Gain
	Physical Challenge
	Independence
	Moral Fulfilment
	Community
	Time/Freedom