**Career Exploration Interview and Synopsis**

**Student Writing Center:** [**www.slcc.edu/swc**](http://www.slcc.edu/swc)

**This assignment has multiple components: (200 points total)**

1. List of questions to be used to conduct the interview (20)
2. Interview subject and justification for your choice (10)
3. Evidence of interview (data) (40)
4. Written synopsis that incorporates important quotes (properly formatted) (60)
5. Works Cited source card (10)
6. Log charting your writing process (planning, drafting, and revising) that includes strategies, successes, failures, weaknesses, strengths, insights, strategies that might have been better, what you would do differently next time, what you’ll incorporate into future assignments, where did you need to be more specific, plan better, etc. (20)
7. Thank-you letter to interviewee (20)
8. Written analysis of a kind of reading (specific genre) this career requires. Identify the four rhetorical elements of the piece and then articulate where/what you need to learn, improve, or practice in order to be a strong reader of this genre. (20)

**Interview subject and questions due Wednesday, 11 September 2013**

**Interview evidence, synopsis & works cited card due Thurs., 19 Sept. 2013**

**Reading analysis, writing log, and thank-you letter due Fri., 27 Sept. 2013**

**Writing Community Considerations:**

1. best way to present these components to me (writer, audience)
2. effective ideas or considerations in order to identify a good subject
3. effective questions/follow-up questions (writer, audience)
4. appropriate interview techniques (writer, audience)
5. appropriate amount of time for interview (writer, audience)
6. information (preparation) interviewer should contemplate before the interview and that interviewee should be given before interview (writer, audience)
7. effective organization, introduction, summarization, and conclusion for synopsis (text)
8. effective format/length for synopsis (medium)
9. identification/appropriation and analysis of writing genre (medium, text)

appropriate medium, text, and timeframe for thank-you letter