Career Ready Skills Reflection Worksheet

Career ready skills are acquired abilities that allow college graduates to transition well into a work setting. Employers are looking for candidates with the competencies and skills listed below, which can qualify students to complete their roles in an entry-level job, fellowship, internship, or graduate school program. Therefore, it is critical for students to reflect on these skills (from course, job, internship, volunteer/student organization experience) and describe them effectively in a resume, cover letter, or interview.

Experience/ Responsibility: List the experience and the activity completed	What Did I Actually Do? State specific tasks completed for this job duty/activity	Competencies Developed: Reflect on how this position helped with gaining specific career ready skills	Think about your CliftonStrengths themes and how they were used to complete task*
Example: "Intro to Sales & Marketing" (Course) Develop and facilitate a presentation on creating marketing campaigns	Conducted research Developed a PowerPoint presentation Took the lead in presenting to a group of 25 students Coordinated teammates' responsibilities	 Critical thinking/problem solving Oral/written communication Informational technology application Leadership 	Woo Harmony Includer
Experience/ Responsibility #1:		 Critical thinking/problem solving Oral/written communication Teamwork/collaboration Digital technology Leadership Professionalism/work ethic Career management Global/intercultural fluency 	
Experience/ Responsibility #2:		 Critical thinking/problem solving Oral/written communication Teamwork/collaboration Digital technology Leadership Professionalism/work ethic Career management Global/intercultural fluency 	
Experience/ Responsibility #3:		Critical thinking/problem solving Oral/written communication	
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Experience/ Responsibility #4:		 Critical thinking/problem solving Oral/written communication Teamwork/collaboration Digital technology Leadership Professionalism/work ethic Career management Global/intercultural fluency 	
Experience/ Responsibility #5:		 Critical thinking/problem solving Oral/written communication Teamwork/collaboration Digital technology Leadership Professionalism/work ethic Career management Global/intercultural fluency 	

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*Discover your strengths by taking the <u>CliftonStrengths</u> assessment.



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