

## My Talents

- As a child, what talents were you praised for?
  
- As a child, what did you believe your talents were?
  
- As a child, what awards, if any did, you win and what were they for?
  
- As a teenager, what did others tell you your talents were?
  
- As a teenager, what did you consider your talents to be?
  
- As a teenager, what awards, if any did you win, and why you awarded them?  
In high school, what were your hobbies?

- In high school, what after school activities were you involved in and why?
- If you participated in high school sports, what sports did you participate in, what positions did you have, how successful were you and how would you describe your role on the team?
- If you participated in music, art, theater or dance in high school, what activities did you participate in, what was your role, what did you enjoy about it and what did others say about your participation?
- What movies and television shows did you watch and what books, Magazines and newspapers did you read in high school? Why did you watch what you watched and why did you read what you read?
- Why did you choose the college you attended? What did you think you'd accomplish or achieve at your college as compared to those you turned down?

- Why did you choose your major? What classes did you choose outside your major and why did you choose it? What talents helped you succeed in class and in your major?
- What did you do outside of class? What organizations were you involved in and why? What activities were you involved in and why? What talents did you bring to bear to these organizations and activities? What did others in these organizations identify as your talents?
- When did you decide to attend law school? Why did you choose law school? What made you think you were qualified to be a lawyer? What skills did you plan on relying upon to succeed in law school?
- Why did you attend your law school? What attracted you to your law school? Why were you a good fit for your law school? If you were a poor fit for your law school, why was that?
- In law school, what practice areas were you considering? What were your talents that you believe made you equipped to practice in those areas?

- Did you participate in law review? Why and what was your role? Did you participate in moot court? Why and what and how did you do? Did you participate in any other law school activities? What did you do, why and what talents did you rely upon?
- Did you receive any awards, accolades, or compliments in law school? If so, for what?
- Did you work during law school? If so, what skills did you develop and apply while working?
- When preparing for the bar exam, what came easy and what was difficult?
- What comes easy at work and what comes difficult?

- What tasks do you enjoy at work and which ones do you avoid?
- What compliments do you receive at work from other attorneys, staff, opposing counsel and others?
- What extra-curricular activities that are career-related have you participated in and why?
- As of today, what are your talents?
- As of today, what do others tell you that your talents are? What compliment do you receive?
- Have you received any professional awards? Any other awards or accolades? For what? What skills contributed to you receiving these awards and accolades?

- List all your talents, starting with your most developed talents and ending with your least developed talents?
  
- What talents serve you best in your career? In your extra-curricular activities? In your personal relationships?