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Academic and Employability Skills (BMSW400)
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INTRODUCTION

In this presentation I will analyze my academic and employability skills that I will need for my intended career Child Psychologist and I will compare the skills that I have for the world of work. I will analyze also my SWOT and PDP.



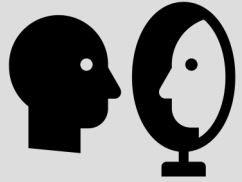
According to Psychologist School website:

“Child psychologists provide a host of services to children, and sometimes adolescents and families, who are experiencing some sort of life difficulty.

They are generally concerned with the primary issues that children and adolescents are faced with as they grow up. Developmental milestones, social skills, educational issues, and behavioural or emotional problems are common areas of focus with child clients.”



CHILD
PSYCHOLOGIST?



WHAT QUALIFICATIONS DO I NEED TO BECOME A CHILD PSYCHOLOGIST?

Qualifications required	My qualifications
• Complete A Related Bachelor's Degree • Have at least two years' (voluntary or professional) experience working with children or families to get started. • A minimum of a master's degree, with a major in child development or clinical psychology studies.	• I have a Bachelor Degree in Communication. • Good Communication Skills, (in add to it, I speak 3 languages: Spanish, French and English). • I will have a Degree in Health and Social Care.



SKILLS FOR CHILD PSYCHOLOGIST CAREER.

1. Sensitivity.
2. Excellent communications skills.
3. The ability to cope with the extremes of human emotion and vulnerability.
4. The ability to work on your own and as part of a multidisciplinary team.
5. Resilience.
6. Differentiate your personal feelings and emotions from the others.
7. Confidence.
8. Empathy.
9. Problem-solving.
10. Decision-making.

I have many of these skills and in addition the following ones:

1. Creativity.
2. Enthusiasm.
3. Positivism.
4. I worked with children as an Au-pair.

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Strengths

- Quick learner.
- Speak 3 languages (Spanish, French and English).
- Empathy.
- Compassion.
- Honest.
- Patient.
- Team working skills.
- Creative

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Weaknesses

- Sometimes, I mix my feelings in critical situations.
- I'm in the process of improving my English.
- Fear of changes.

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Opportunities

- There is a high demand in employability .
- Time to study.

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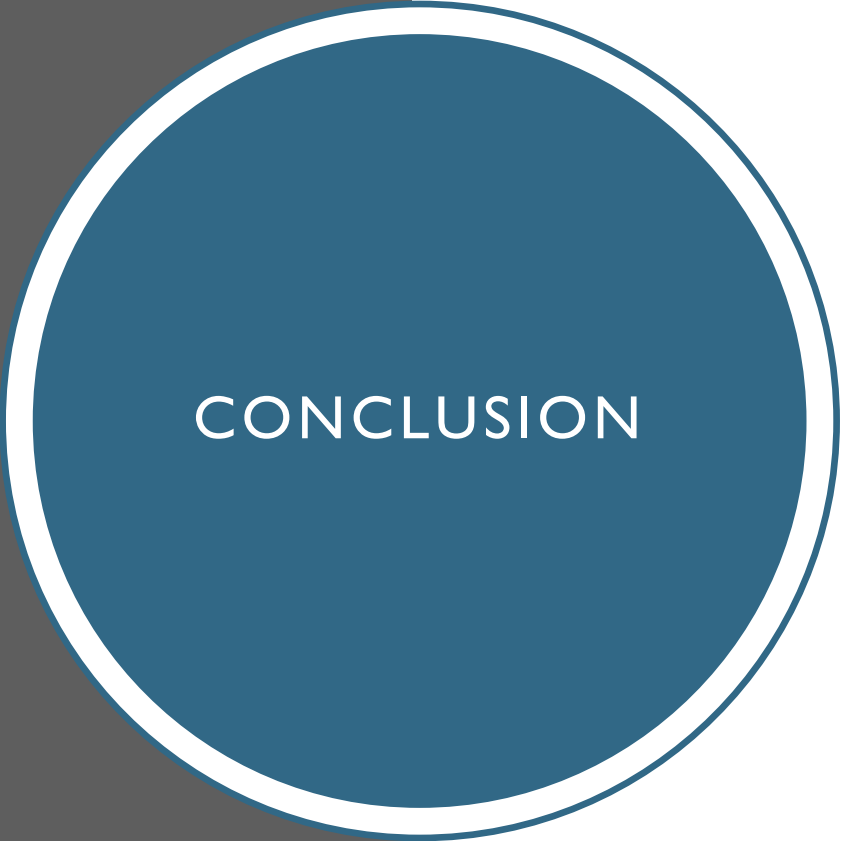
Threats

- I don't have any experience yet.

PDP

(Personal Development Plan)

GOALS	DEADLINE
• Finish the course at UWTSD. • Voluntary working with children in a school. • Get a place at Middlesex University London and study Psychology. • Study a master's degree, with a major in child development.	• October 2021 • 2021-2023 • 2021/2022 – 2024/2025 • 2024/2025



CONCLUSION

In conclusion, I know that I'm very young (I have to take advantage of it) and I have many things in my life to learn, to change and to improve to achieve my intended career which is Child Psychologist.

To know this, motivates me to work in my weaknesses to be closer to my goal every day, as improve my English and study hard to get a place at Middlesex University London, which will be an essential step in this process of learning.

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