

Career Insights

- Career Satisfiers

- Allows you to work independently but with periodic interaction with a small group of intellectual people within a smooth-running environment free from interpersonal squabbles
 - I like to work by myself on ideas but then I like to get feedback from people who are knowledgeable in that area, but don't have a personal agenda
- Exposes you to a steady stream of new information, providing you with new ways to increase your proficiency and competence
 - I like the chance to learn new things
- Lets you produce a product or service that meets with your own high standards of quality rather than with the personal likes or dislikes of others
 - I do not like to have my success based on the whims of others
- Does not require the repetitive execution of factual and detail-oriented tasks
 - I work on ideas and like to minimize repetitive work
- Provides you with a high degree of autonomy and control, with the freedom to effect change and develop people and systems
 - I work best when I can set my own goals, get agreement to them and are then left alone

- Satisfying Career Fields and Jobs

- **Top 15 Career Fields & Jobs**
 - Business/Finance
 - CFO/COO/CEO
 - Financial Analyst or Budget Analyst
 - Strategic Planner
 - Treasurer
 - Education
 - University teacher
 - University administrator/CFO
 - Technology
 - Business Analyst
 - Application Architect
 - New Bus Developer – Info Systems
 - Computer Software Applications Engineer
 - Computer Programmer
 - Web developer
 - Professional
 - Lawyer
 - Management Consultant
 - Economist
 - Investment Banker
 - Engineer

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- **Bottom 3 Career Fields & Jobs** - Health Care/Medicine - all of the 12 careers/jobs in this area, e.g.
 - Cardiologist
 - Neurologist
 - Surgeon
- **How to use personality strengths to conduct a successful job search**
 - Build on your unique abilities
 - Anticipate trends, forecast future needs
 - Create your own career options, design your own job
 - Develop an innovative career plan
 - Watch for your blind spots
 - Attend to all necessary and relevant facts, not just the new and novel ones
 - Use tact and diplomacy in getting others to buy your ideas
 - Avoid appearing arrogant and condescending to potential employers
- **Career Insights Summary**
 - My personality type (INTJ) represents only 2 to 3% of the US population so I am somewhat unique
 - But INTJ has a lot of potential careers/jobs that are very appealing to me. They play well to personality preferences I really enjoy
 - Thinking – making decisions based on logic and objective analysis
 - Judging - planned and organized approach where things get settled
 - I need to pay attention to the Secrets to Success
 - Consider practical realities
 - Recognize the value of input from others
 - Balance your work and personal life