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Noun Phrase Analysis

Directions: Circle the head noun in the underlined noun phrases

- A. Design seems to have reached a center stage also in innovation policies and in the agenda of many public bodies (...).
- B. There are thus fewer hurdles for elected officials to overcome; and their eagerness to support the installation of art that is either permanent or transitory.
- C. This wealth of approaches makes the field extremely large.
- D. At the same time, this variety makes measuring, proving, and advocating for design value a highly complex undertaking.
- E. You will read a variety of academic articles, develop a strong repertoire of reading strategies, continue your work on paraphrasing and summarizing, and produce a number of written products on your way to a formal research paper.

	Modifiers				Head Noun	Qualifiers	
	Quantifier	Determiner	(Adverb +) Adjectives	Noun Modifier		Prepositional Phrase(s)	(Reduced) Embedded Clause
A1							
A2							
A3							
A4							
B1							
B2							
C1							
D1							
E1							
E2							

Note: Sentences A, C, and D are from Sussman (2013), B is from Mortati (2015), and E is from an ESL syllabus.

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Noun Phrase Task

Directions: Write 2 noun phrases to complete each of the following sentences. Use a variety of modifiers and quantifiers.

- A. Learning English is...
- B. In the future, I would like to become...
- C. ...is an exciting development in my field.
- D. ...is an important part of my work as an artist/designer.

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A							
B							
C							
D							