

Liss Santos-Breton

Writing For Social Sciences - Spring 2021

Professor Furlong

11 April 2021

### Essay #2 Reflection

An interview paper is a form of Journalism, my essays characteristic features are goal-driven, question–answer, structured, controlled, and unbalanced. What prompted me to write about this subject was it being required in the class and being assigned to me. What I hoped to accomplish was to get to know my classmate Nick better and I did, I think we can actually be considered friends.

The potential audience for this essay is Professor Furlong or anyone else who would like to read it. The relationship between me as a writer, my potential audience, and the medium I am using to communicate is very difficult, Nick and I communicated virtually through zoom and text messages. The knowledge, assumptions and/or goals my audience and I share are a couple of things which include, hoping to gain an acquaintance or friend out of this, and also getting a good grade from this essay. I also think we share how we did the process which was either through zoom,call, or even text.

Peer reviews and other feedback aided me in my task because peer review allows us to clarify our own ideas as we explain them to classmates and as they formulate questions about our writing. This is helpful to me at all skill levels, in all classes, and at all stages of the writing process. It helps Adopt new knowledge, Identify mistakes, Enable personal growth in my academic career.

My overall reaction to the assignment at first was not so great, in my head I was thinking “Ugh I have to do another one of these” I said that because in my speech class last semester I had to write a paper on my classmate. But to complete it, it wasn’t that difficult after you have all the answers to your questions, all you have to do is put it together, like telling a story.

The aspects of the revision process that I found the most challenging was adding more to meet the page requirements. The aspects of the revision process that I found that was most effective rereading my essay to fix anything or add something I may have forgotten. The in-class activities, homework readings and assignments, and class discussions impact my final product because it adds a lot of pressure to make sure it's perfect.