

HOW TO WRITE A PROFESSIONAL PROFILE TO SHOWCASE INTERPROFESSIONAL WORK



A professional profile is a brief summary of your skills, strengths, key experiences and expertise. The goal is the creation of a professional identity.

The professional profile can serve as a starting point in online networking platforms such as the National Center for Interprofessional Practice and Education's Professional Directory, or for inclusion in a cover letter for an application.

Suggested Guidelines:

- Keep the document to one page
- Write a personal statement that addresses the following:
 - Focus of your IPECP work.
 - Include work settings (clinics, academic institutions, community, etc.)
 - Include quantifiable results (e.g., Initiated two interprofessional courses focused on effective teamwork serving 200+ students each semester)
 - Choose your words carefully. Keep your profile wording simple and free from figurative language, metaphors and other vague language.
 - Provide 4-5 examples of key scholarly work related to IPECP.

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Personal Statement Example:

Experienced in leading successful large-scale inter-professional initiatives across disciplinary lines in both clinical and academic settings. Scholarly work crosses areas from expert practice, clinical reasoning, professional ethics, assessment, to interprofessional education. Led an initiative to develop a doctoral program in interdisciplinary leadership.

Education and Fellowships:

University of Georgia PhD Public Health
Sarah Taylor Interprofessional Fellowship
University of Georgia

Key Professional Positions:

Dean of the Graduate School and College of Professional Studies
Vice Provost for Learning and Assessment
Professor of Physical Therapy
Interim director for Center for Interprofessional Practice, Education and Research (CIPER)

Presentations/Publications: (Include 4 or 5 key presentations/publications)

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