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# OCCUPATIONAL SIGNIFICANCE OF CORE VALUES

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# INTRODUCTION

### **Core Values**

People's values define their identities—people's values reflect who they are at a deep and sometimes unconscious level. People are often unaware of their values and are often unable to spell them out completely. Nonetheless, they influence people's lives in important ways. Their values shape their philosophy of life, their choice of friends, and how they spend their spare time. People's values also influence their choice of jobs and careers. People like others who share their values and prefer to work in jobs that support their values.

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# **Uses of this Report**

The Career Compass is based on the Motives, Values, Preferences Inventory (MVPI), a measure of the ten core values found in most cultures throughout history. The Career Compass provides feedback on three important topics. First, it clarifies a person's values, and that is an important part of any person's development. Second, it contains information regarding the fit between a person's values and various occupations and organizational cultures. No matter how talented people may be, if their values are not consistent with the demands of their occupation or current organizational culture, they won't be very happy or successful—and people often choose jobs and careers without considering the values issue. And third, the report describes the kind of people with whom a person will comfortably work and live—because people like others who share their values and dislike people who don't share them.

# Reading this Report

This report is based on a person's scores on ten core values which are organized in four clusters. The next page defines the core values and how they cluster. The following pages provide some values clarification, and interpret the significance of a person's values profile for their career and relations with others. The last page contains a graph of the person's values profile.



# **DEFINING CORE VALUES**

### **Cluster I: Status Interests**

# Recognition

Wanting to stand out and be noticed, and dreaming of fame and success.

#### Power

Wanting to be successful, to make an impact, and to create a legacy.

#### Hedonism

Wanting to have fun and enjoy the fruits of one's success.

### **Cluster II: Social Interests**

#### **Altruistic**

Wanting to help the needy and powerless and improve society.

### **Affiliation**

Wanting to be part of a group and seeking social stimulation.

# **Tradition**

Believing in family values and endorsing socially approved behavior.

# **Cluster III: Financial Interests**

# Security

Wanting occupational and financial safety and avoiding risk.

#### Commerce

Wanting financial success and seeking business opportunities.

# Cluster IV: Decision Making Style

### **Aesthetics**

Wanting to be stylish and fashionable and being concerned about appearances.

### **Science**

Wanting to solve problems and make decisions based on data.



### INTERPRETING MR./Ms. WARREN'S VALUES PROFILE

### I. VALUES CLARIFICATION

### **Status Interests**

Although Mr./Ms. Warren appreciates positive comments and feedback on his/her performance, he/she is reluctant to engage in self-dramatization, and prefers instead to wait for others to notice his/her accomplishments. He/She prefers not to be the center of attention, doesn't like giving public presentations, and dislikes the scrutiny and criticism that often come from working on high profile projects. Mr./Ms. Warren is keenly interested in career advancement, evaluates himself/herself in terms of what he/she has accomplished, hates wasting time, wants to make an impact on his/her organization and profession, and thinks strategically about how to make a difference. He/She doesn't mind competition, conflict, or disagreement, and is willing to challenge others, including superiors, when he/she thinks they are wrong. Moreover, Mr./Ms. Warren is a fun-loving person who likes to travel, socialize, entertain, be entertained, and enjoy the fruits of his/her labor. Others will see him/her as adventurous, spirited, experience-seeking, and convivial. He/She likes fast-paced change and new projects and doesn't like bureaucracy, restrictions, prohibitions, or boring tasks.

### **Social Interests**

Mr./Ms. Warren enjoys advising, assisting, and encouraging others, likes teaching, and seems to be a natural coach and mentor. He/She also thinks it is important to pay attention to the morale of the "little people" by communicating with them regularly, listening to their issues, and encouraging and supporting their efforts. He/She is also open and willing to listen to criticism and feedback concerning his/her performance. Moreover, Mr./Ms. Warren seems equally happy working by himself/herself or as part of a team. He/She enjoys meeting new people, but also enjoys having time to himself/herself when he/she can focus and reflect. He/She likes people, but doesn't need constant interaction. Finally, he/she values stability, established procedures, formal relations, hierarchy, standards, custom, tradition, and socially acceptable behavior. He/She likes the feeling of being part of a larger and more significant social movement. He/She has a clear sense of right and wrong, is comfortable with authority, and prefers to treat others with politeness, courtesy, and respect.

### **Financial Interests**

Mr./Ms. Warren is concerned about safety and job security, and dislikes risk, uncertainty, and making unnecessary mistakes. He/She likes others to spell out their expectations and make their performance standards explicit. He/She would rather be safe than sorry, which means that he/she will take few unnecessary chances, and usually try to minimize his/her exposure to risk. In addition, he/she is quite interested in compensation, investment opportunities, and other financial issues. He/She is alert for methods to increase profitability and improve the bottom line, and uses income as a way to keep score and evaluate himself/herself. He/She doesn't make many mistakes with his/her money, and doesn't have a lot of sympathy for those who do. He/She enjoys making, saving, and investing money and watching his/her net worth grow.



# **Decision Making Style**

Mr./Ms. Warren cares about new trends in fashion and style, the look and feel of consumer products, and may make decisions based on the appearance of a product or the style of an offering. He/She is an advocate for innovation and quality, and values living and working in attractive surroundings. However, his/her passion for matters of style and quality may cause him/her to be hard to please and uncomfortable with people and organizations that lack his/her concern with these issues. Finally, he/she seems equally willing to make decisions based on data and research or based on his/her own personal experience and judgment. He/She is comfortable with technology and understands its importance at work, but he/she is not addicted to following newest trends and evolutions in technology.



### INTERPRETING MR./Ms. WARREN'S VALUES PROFILE

# II. HELPFUL CAREER TIPS

### **Drivers**

Mr./Ms. Warren will like working in an organization that stands for more than just profits, and that supports the traditional virtues of hard work, respect for authority, and appropriate standards of dress and behavior. He/She will be uncomfortable working in environments that encourage diversity, life style experimentation, and unconventional business practices. He/She needs to be sure to remain open to change and not become too comfortable with standard ways of doing things. Another important feature of his/her ideal job is the ability to make a contribution and have an impact on the organization, and possibly create a successful legacy. Conversely, he/she will be restless in custodial jobs that involve maintaining the status quo, and where there are no chances for significant advancement. He/She will be most happy working in sales or management positions in a culture where there is an orientation toward results and a bias toward action. He/She needs to be careful not to criticize others who are less action oriented and intense about their work. Moreover, he/she is motivated by money, interested in salary issues and other forms of compensation, and stays alert for opportunities for financial advancement. He/She is not interested in opportunities for public service where compensation is measured in terms of being able to feel virtuous, and he/she will have little sympathy for people or organizations that are careless with their finances. These values are consistent with work in sales, consulting, banking, real estate, and all forms of finance. He/She should remember that the financial success of any organization depends on the good will of its staff.

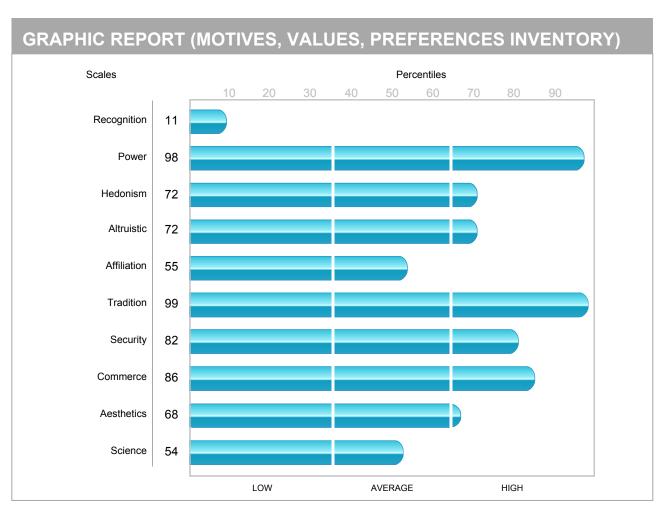
#### **Careers**

The assessment results for Mr./Ms. Warren suggest that he/she will be most satisfied with a career where there are opportunities to take part in and support activities that are bigger and more meaningful than individual lives and careers, which might include government, religious, or military service. He/She will also enjoy being able to accomplish things and make a difference, which might include work in sales, management, marketing, consulting, and entrepreneurship.

### **Preferred Working Environment**

Assessment results for Mr./Ms. Warren suggest that he/she will be more attracted to certain working environments than others. Specifically, he/she will be most satisfied working in organizations that emphasize honesty, integrity, and respect for authority, tradition, and family values. Such cultures are characterized by organizational loyalty, self-discipline, and that observe a traditional work ethic. He/She will be less comfortable working in organizations that value diversity, experimentation, radical innovation, and disregard for traditional values.





High scorers are above the 65th percentile. Average scores are between the 35th and 65th percentile. Low scorers are below the 35th percentile.

Recognition	A desire to be known, seen, visible, and famous.
Power	A desire for success, challenge, competition, and achievement.
Hedonism	A desire for fun, excitement, variety, and pleasure.
Altruistic	A desire to serve others, improve society, and help the less fortunate.
Affiliation	A desire for frequent and varied social contact.
Tradition	A concern about ethics, family values, and devotion to duty.
Security	A desire for structure, order, and predictability in life.
Commerce	A desire for increased income, profits, and business opportunities.
Aesthetics	A concern about style, appearance, and fashion.
Science	A desire to use data to make decisions and solve problems.