Connect to Your Career

1-1 Online Presence

1. Enter your name in the following search engines: Google, Bing, Ixquick, Dogpile, and Spokeo. If you found multiple people with your name, try entering your name and city to narrow the results.

2. What entries were displayed when you entered your name? Record the top four entries for each search engine.

• google.com

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• bing.com

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• ixquick.com

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• dogpile.com

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• spokeo.com

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3. Search engines do not always display the same results. Compare and contrast your findings from each search engine. What information is the same from one search engine to the next? What information is different?

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4. An interviewer will attempt to visit profiles of job seekers to find information. Is there anything that you should change on those sites before the interviewing process begins?

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5. Save your Word document as *FirstnameLastname\_*Activity1-1.docx (i.e., JohnSmith\_Activity1-1.docx).