

Sophomore Personal Reflective Essay

***Due: in-class on **Thursday, December 4th** (Week 9)*

Purpose: With this writing exercise, we would like for you to think further about your personal, academic, and career goals, as well as how you may have changed and evolved since last fall when you wrote your Freshman essay.

Formatting:

- 2 pages, typed, double-spaced
- Approximately 500-700 words (make sure to do a word count)
- 12-point Time New Roman font (or smaller)
- 1-inch margins (or less) on all sides

Tips:

This assignment is meant to give you maximum flexibility. However, here are some questions to consider if you're not sure where to start:

- You had certain expectations about what your college education would be like. In your opinion how well have you done meeting those expectations?
- You had certain career and academic goals before arriving at UCLA. How have these goals changed or shifted after your first year? If they have remained the same, why?
- As you look forward to your sophomore year, what are some of the lessons learned in your freshman year that will help you achieve success in your sophomore year.

Additional Notes:

You need to turn in this assignment in **WEEK 9, Thursday, December 4th** during class. If you have any questions, please contact Tanya Chirapuntu (tchirapuntu@college.ucla.edu) ASAP.

This is a required assignment for EEB97X.