

Social Identity Groups and Your Work

1) Please complete the following chart as a brief reflection on your personal and professional identities (you will not be asked to share your responses with anyone else)

Identity Category	Group Membership (please write the word(s) you use to describe your identity)	Identities that I am most aware of when at work (mark the top 3)	Identities that I am most aware of when not at work (mark the top 3)
Age			
Gender			
Level of Education			
Citizenship Status or Nationality			
Race / Ethnicity			
Years of Previous Fieldwork Experience			
Role in Professional Hierarchy (e.g., supervisory or supervisee?)			
Other (identities that are personally or professionally meaningful or important to you)			

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2) Please briefly answer the following questions about field work:

- In your opinion, what is the best part of field work?

- What do you think is the most challenging aspect of field training or research?

- What advice would you give to someone doing field work for the first time?