Advisor Worksheet

Student’s Name__________________________________________________________

Advisor’s Name__________________________________________________________

Interview Date and Time__________________________________________________

Academic Credentials

Where did your advisor go to school?

What degrees does your advisor hold?

What subjects did your advisor study?

What are your advisor’s current areas of scholarship?

What significant scholarly contributions has your advisor made?

Background

What is your advisor’s home town?

How long has your advisor worked at Delta State?

Where has your advisor worked prior to Delta State?

What types of jobs has your advisor had besides being a professor?

Interests

Ask 2 of the following:

Who has had a significant influence on your advisor? How?

What sorts of community work and activities is your advisor involved in?

What kind of entertainment does your advisor enjoy (e.g. sports, television, reading, movies, music)?

What is your advisor’s favorite _______ (e.g. team, TV show, book, movie, song)?

What qualities does your advisor like to see in students?

What are the characteristics of a good teacher?

Come up with 2 additional questions on your own, pertaining to your advisor’s interests, and ask them during the interview. Make sure your questions are not TOO personal.