

ENG 1101-D381
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Project 1: Introducing Yourself

In SPE 1330, you will make a speech of introduction letting the Being in Brooklyn community know about your passion, philosophy, and vision for your future. For ENG 1101, in your first assignment, draw on your speech to write the biography that you will add to your OpenLab profile, and consider how your bio will represent you to the City Tech community and the larger community on the Internet.

After writing your bio, choose an avatar for your profile that represents you as you described yourself, and write a paragraph in which you call attention to specific details in the image and explain how the image represents you.

Images can be misleading or misinterpreted. Write another paragraph in which you consider how someone might understand your image differently than you intended, or misinterpret it. Again, connect details from the image to your ideas in the paragraph.

Finally, reflect on what your completed profile will convey about you overall, and why that matters.

Your response can be four paragraphs:

1. your bio
2. your consideration of your avatar
3. your consideration of how your avatar can be interpreted differently
4. what your profile will convey and why it matters

Requirements for this project:

- complete the pre-writing homework described on our Being in Brooklyn blog
- 500-600 words long
- an image to use as your avatar
- add it as a post to our OpenLab site
- choose the category Introductions
- re-read it carefully, making changes as needed
- submit it by 9:00am on Monday, September 9th