

# PERSONAL EXPERIENCE MEMO

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**Subject:** Person who had a significant influence in my life

The concept, "From mere to vast" does not take once life time to achieve, but solitarily a single step. However for this to happen, I had to be focused, determined, have strong conviction to pursue my goals and above all, have mentors and people with significant influence on my life. Mentors may be friends, relatives, close people or even celebrities.

Ever since I was born, I carried with me the passion of being great and the sense of prosperity. I was born in an environment where children were made to believe they had to be better and successful in life than their parents. My prosperity was supported by my father who encouraged me to have a historic role model to guide me in my decision making.

Winston Churchill was one remarkable great person who played not only as a mentor but also as my role model. His past had a great and amazing positive influence in my life and in the choice of my career business. Just like all other children who envy a prosperous person, I envied Winston Churchill major contributions and his charismatic leadership skills as a prime minister in UK during the memorable Second World War. This has had a great impact in my entrepreneurship business which requires quality leadership for prosperity.

He has influenced me in choosing my recent job since he was not only a political leader but also a historian, artist, British army officer and a writer. I viewed him as a great person who was capable of performing from

simple task to immense job which required a lot of efforts. His combination of characters and career has influenced my career development and choice of business where combination of efforts is one of the requirements for prosperity.

Winston Churchill has influenced me in doing the best I can by undertaking what I can. He attained notoriety and great fame as one of the correspondent of war and due to the major contemporary types of books he had to write and most especially illustrating the Britain campaigns. This has helped me in my school artistic and information science writing activities for major business. It has motivated me to describe some of the major activities in writings so as to enlighten people.

As the head of a country in a period when the country was under critical condition of the Nazis attack, he stood ground to support his country. He had patience even after being humiliated by the general public of the Great Britain. Before undertaking any solution, he would research the problem at hand, for instance, he researched if it was essential to get a coalition against the Nazi with the Soviet Union.

Winston Churchill had an unbending determination and his courage motivated me a lot in tackling stressing and demanding problems. He encouraged me to have patience in every thing I undertake and to always have critical research mode while solving a problem. He encouraged me to be always inspired and the importance of flexibility in solving problems and while making decisions. For achievement in any business, patience is imperative.

Apart from his public and political life, Churchill had a surprising and amazing social life. He loved his marriage and gave his family the best he could. He loved his wife abundantly and this is best portrayed where he offered his wife a trip to the East so as to acknowledge her scientific research. During her trip, he remained sad and destructed. This has

influence my social life where I have learned the importance of love towards our families as well as to other people. I have learned that it does not kill or hurt to be good to other, rather it pays. Winston Churchill served various countries such as; Cuba, South Africa, Oldham, Sudan, Pakistan, India among others. This is an encouragement to other people to serve wide to the best of their efforts.

Even after his retirement from the army, Churchill did not give up his work; he joined Imperial Yeomanry and was charged with the responsibility of a captain. This shows that there is no end to our work in this world. It motivates us to remain focused on our work and be ready to work even after our retirement. Winston Churchill is a good example not only to me but also to other people worldwide in category of areas such as; leadership, professional career, achievements, in business among others. Churchill and other people like him have a great impact in the society and the world at large.

The Chicago Booth MBA plays several roles in my desired profession as a translator. I have always desired to be a translator specializing in translating English to Spanish. In this profession, listening is very vital and fundamental in giving the correct information to the desired participants. Listening offers us with imperative data and approach. My desire to pursue library research will therefore enable me to self-explore and gain the strategy of correct listening which is a vital prospect to our lives.

I really want to do research that effects change, something that has really motivated me in my desired career which has led me to recognize that through my research and active participation and self exploration, I would improve my listening skills so as to be an effective translator. As K.A Saleemi book suggests, listening is the general key to obtain understanding and engage in the conversation, it builds trust, and offers an opportunity to achieve ones objectives. Without efficient listening, nothing can be done to help the two parties involved.

The kind of training required in translating professional is called Reflective training. This is a training approach that seeks to help candidates to pay all their concentrate in understanding the subject matter, understanding the other party, and being in a position to talk both languages involved. It always seeks to recognize and understand all the words and their significance, what all the parties are saying either loudly or quietly. Reflective training is therefore a thoughtful, courteous, tolerant, and attentive move towards providing successful service.

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