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Excerpts from Externship

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 Excerpts from Externship course goal-setting and self-assessment at  
 the start of the fieldwork and at the end.

\_\_\_\_\_ In the first couple of weeks of the externship, I will share this plan with my supervisor.  
 (please initial)

<u>My Specific Goals:</u> improve in 3 to 5 specific areas by the end of this externship	<u>Action Plan:</u> specific steps, assignments, and experiences that will help me attain each goal	<u>Self-Assessment:</u> at the start of the externship, I would rate my ability for each of these goals as follows:*
1.		
2.		
3.		
4.		
5.		

**\*Self-Assessment Scale** – Should be able to support your self-assessment with evidence. Examples of evidence are the following: feedback you’ve received from professors or prior externship/job supervisors; being entrusted with more advanced work, more client contact, etc. in an externship/job; assignments/tasks of similar difficulty are less daunting and you’re able to complete them more accurately, efficiently, and independently. For simplicity, all goals relating to knowledge, skills, and professionalism