



Zoom chat box comments – Transferable skills: using our ABA experience in our career development (Lou Bromley)

This is such good advice, as a 'HR professional' in my day job I love to see volunteer roles that are presented and detailed properly like you would a paid role. this enables anyone recruiting to read your CV and know exactly what 'volunteer for ABA' actually entails. Volunteer roles can often be overlooked as just a comment on a CV. what we do with ABA is so much more than just a volunteer role. I would love to have applicants with the breadth of experience that ABA volunteering offers! brilliant presentation thank you 😊

Question for Lou: How do you ensure mention of this on resume doesn't trigger negative responses that some people have (male and female) relating to their personal breastfeeding experience if it was negative

By adding ABA to your resume and to your cover letter you are promoting ABA and the amazing skills you have learnt. Does this help when you have been out of the paid workforce and feel you haven't got those workskills that might be expected?

RE triggering negative emotions: I usually simply call ABA a 'health non-profit' in the covering letter, then name ABA/WBTi in the CV

I'm retired and not looking to update my resume however, this session has made me reflect on my 33 year association with NMAA/ ABA and how much it has given me and the skills I have learnt and developed. Lou, Thanks for giving me the opportunity to reflect on "My Brilliant (other) career" . I feel proud of what I've achieved. Thanks ABA and all the women who have helped me along the way.

What if you want to change the culture of a non-breastfeeding friendly workplace?

From Naomi Tricia Kath Susan Alicia Gemma to Everyone: 11:29 AM

Tell us about a time you've mentored another employee?

From Sharon Green to Everyone: 11:29 AM

How do you manage your time?

From Laura Caire to Everyone: 11:29 AM

Can you give an example of working in a good team versus a high-performing team?

From Donna Clayton-Smith to All Panelists: 11:29 AM

Describe an outcome that was not what was desired and how you managed that situation

From Kathleen Mather to Everyone: 11:29 AM

What are you most proud of?

From Juanita Cox to Everyone: 11:29 AM

What experience have you had writing for a hostile audience?

From Robyn Gray to Everyone: 11:29 AM

What is your favourite piece you've ever written?

From Claire Anderson to Everyone: 11:30 AM

What are your strengths and weaknesses?

From Nicole Bridges to Everyone: 11:30 AM

“Can you tell me about a time when you had to write about something you were not interested in. How did you deal with that?”

From Ruth Berkowitz to Everyone: 11:30 AM

Are you able to write complex ideas in simple plain English?

From Elizabeth Nelson to Everyone: 11:30 AM

What leadership model do you use?

From Nicole Bridges to Everyone: 11:30 AM

“Who is your favourite author and why?”

From Pam Halnon to All Panelists: 11:30 AM

You have been out of the workforce for the last 8 years, what skills are you bringing to this position?

