Identity Questionnaire

INSTRUCTIONS: These items describe different aspects of identity. Please read each item carefully and consider how it applies to you. Fill in the blank next to each item by choosing a number from the scale below.

1 = Not important to my sense of who I am.
2 = Slightly important to my sense of who I am.
3 = Somewhat important to my sense of who I am
4 = Very important to my sense of who I am
5 = Extremely important to my sense of who I am

____ 1. The things I own, my possessions.
____ 2. My personal values and moral standards
____ 3. My popularity with other people
____ 4. Being a part of the many generations of my family
____ 5. My dreams and imagination
____ 6. The ways in which other people react to what I say and do
____ 7. My race or ethnic background
____ 8. My personal goals and hopes for the future
____ 9. My physical appearance: my height, my weight, and the shape of my body
____ 10. My religion
____ 11. My emotions and feelings
____ 12. My reputation, what others think
____ 13. Places where I live or where I was raised
____ 14. My thoughts and ideas
____ 15. My attractiveness to other people
____ 16. My age, belonging to my age group or being part of my generation
____ 17. The ways I deal with my fears and anxieties
____ 18. My sex, being a male or female
____ 19. My feeling of being a unique person, being distinct from others.
20. My social class, the economic group I belong to, whether lower, middle, or upper class.

21. Knowing that I continue to be essentially the same inside even though life involves many external changes

22. My gestures and mannerisms, the impression I make on others

23. My feeling of belonging to my community

24. My self-knowledge, my ideas about what kind of person I really am

25. My social behavior, such as the way I act when meeting people

26. My feeling of pride in my country, being proud to be a citizen

27. My physical abilities, being coordinated and good at athletic activities

28. My personal self-evaluation, the private opinion I have of myself

29. Being a sports fan, identifying with a sports team

30. My occupational choice and career plans

31. My commitments on political issues or my political activities

32. My academic ability and performance, such as the grades I earn and comments I get from teachers

33. My language, such as my regional accent or dialect or a second language that I know

34. My role of being a student

35. My sexual orientation, whether heterosexual, homosexual, or bisexual

Age: _____  Gender: Male or Female  Race or Ethnic Background: ________________
The AIQ-IIIx contains 35 items, as correctly shown on the web Questionnaire. These items score into 3 scales plus a set of "special" items that may be used individually.

- **PI** = Personal Identity Orientation
- **SI** = Social Identity Orientation
- **CI** = Collective Identity Orientation
- **SP** = Special items [not scored on scales]

Each of the 3 scales scores is the sum of the answers (1-5) given to those items.

- **PI** = 2 5 8 11 14 17 19 21 24 28 [sum of answers to 10 items]
- **SI** = 3 6 9 12 15 22 25 [" 7 items]
- **CI** = 4 7 10 13 23 26 31 33 [" 8 items]
- **SP** = 1 16 18 20 27 29 30 32 34 35 (10 items not scored on scales)