

Modern Physics

Physics Autobiography

Long ago, I learned that students come into my classroom with a whole raft of experiences, ideas and attitudes. I'd like to learn a little bit about yours so I can start to bridge a bit of the distance between us.

Write a short autobiography about where you're from and where you hope to go. Where'd you grow up? What's your family like? Where'd you go to high school? Why'd you come to St. Lawrence? What attracts you to science and, particularly, physics ... its elegance, its concreteness, a good teacher in your past? What's your general experience of science and math? What's your experience of the humanities? What do you enjoy besides physics? What's your dream job?

Also include a section on your computer science knowledge. Do you use Macs or PCs? What programming languages do you have experience with? What graphing software are you comfortable with?

This should take a couple pages. It's not an onerous thing.

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