## **Finance and Economics Career Exploration Activity**

**Holland's Personality Types Defined** 

PART A - Problem Solving Using Think-Pair-Share (10 Minutes) Directions: After analyzing the characteristics of the person in the scenario, use Major Clarity to determine which finance occupation best matches their personality. \*\*Read the Occupation (1) Description (2) Details (3) Common Tasks (4) Abilities (5) Knowledge. Compare and Contrast the characteristics in the scenario and discuss strengths and weaknesses in your groups. Write an explanation in the space provided. Circle your answer.

## Problem/Scenario

Jackson: Age: 28-Graduated from high school 3.5 GPA-Bachelor's Degree 4.0 GPA-Looking for a job in a growing industry.-Desired salary is \$100,000 because he wants to purchase a home and luxury car.-2 years of experience working in Banking and Lending. No work experience with managing investments such as stocks, bonds, mutual funds, or real-estate.-Achieved professional investment licences in college.-Never worked in a leadership role with the responsibility of training, evaluating, or leading others.-Excellent communications and teamwork skills-Detailed oriented-Prefers to work inside-Self motivated.-Great with math and money.

RIASEC- Investigative, Social, and Conventional

Financial Examiner- Strengths and Weaknesses	Fraud Examiner- Strengths and Weaknesses

## PART B (15 Minutes)

**Directions:** In your group, use Major Clarity to explore an occupation in the Economics Career Pathway. Record the title of the occupation below, and include two key facts and characteristics.

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Occupation Title	
<b>Task One &amp; Two</b> Two Facts	
Task Three: Characteristics	In your response include the education, wages, job growth, two required transferable skills, and two Personality Types Needed (RIASEC).

(10 Minutes) Be prepared to share your research with your group and the class!