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Donor 2906 Interview Notes

Donor 2906 was fascinating to interview—I almost couldn't keep up with all of the interests and skills he has acquired thus far in life. An obviously brilliant young man, 2906 is capable of completing many different kinds of tasks. He is very skilled in woodwork, construction, and building, having recently done a total remodel of the kitchen at his parent's house with his father. I got the sense that the satisfaction of achieving a goal was important to donor 2906. He is fluent in three languages besides English, and added with a humble shrug that his French is probably the weakest of the four. He listens to a lot of classical and jazz music, mentioning that he recently volunteered for a psychology study that measured the ability of humans to differentiate subtle note differences in complicated pieces of classical music, and did quite well. He tested recently at an IQ of 166.

Donor 2906 has found a way to combine his skills in mechanical and automotive work with his interest in engineering: he's going to major in Mechanical Engineering and/or Material Science, and look into taking business courses as well. This will surely assist him in his future goal of owning a professional racing team. During high school, he joined a drag racing team and a BMW club, where he learned how to build cars and become knowledgeable in driving safety skills. He offered that he will look into getting a masters degree sometime after he completes his bachelors degree.

Donor 2906 expressed interest in computers, reading, and fitness. He has taken classes in Judo, and is currently at a level 2 out of 7. He hopes to continue all the way up to the final level. He has also taken Tae Kwon Do and Haikido up to levels 3 out of 7. It is clear that he is invested not only in his professional future, but also in his health.

Donor 2906 seems to be close with his family. As an only child, 2906 moved from the Ukraine to the United States with his family when he was 13 or 14 years old. His family health history is concise and clean. Donor 2906 has a small family; his father is also an only child, and his mother has one sister and one brother. His paternal grandparents live in the United States, while his maternal grandparents still reside in the Ukraine.

Donor 2906 has a beautiful, clear, creamy skin tone, which is offset by his dark hair. He has bright, warm brown eyes, a medium-sized button nose, and a small, red, heart-shaped mouth. While he was slightly reserved in our interview, other staff members who have spent more time with him have noticed him opening up. From the interview, I would describe him as reserved, thoughtful, gentle, intense, pensive, and intelligent. He's definitely mature, and is quite sure of the directions he is headed in his life.

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