Job Offer Evaluation/Negotiation Worksheet

This worksheet is intended to help you organize your values/needs in a position compared to the job offer. It is not intended to suggest that you negotiate on all points, just to merely consider what is most important to you.

	My Current Offer/Job Information	My Needs
Base Salary	Salary Offered:	Preferred Range:
Start Date	Job Start Date:	When you can start:
Additional Monetary Compensation	Offered:	Areas of importance for me: Bonus Overtime Signing Bonus Stock Options Summer Teaching Research Fund Other
Relocation, Commute, and Parking	Relocation Expenses: Cost of Living increase/decrease: Commute Time: Parking:	Relocation Costs: Cost of living: Commute Time: Parking:
Paid Time Off	Paternity / Maternity leave Yes, fully covered Yes, partially covered No, not covered Vacation Days: Use it or lose it? Sick Days: Use it or lose it? Working days or hours:	Paternity / Maternity leave: Vacation Days: Sick Days: Working days or hours:

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	My Current Offer/Job Information	My Needs
Retirement Contribution ¹	Retirement Options:	My Retirement Needs:
Healthcare Coverage ²	Co-pay coverage:	Does the healthcare meet my needs?
Professional Development	Professional Development offered or available:	 Annual financial contribution Conference attendance Professional membership Certifications / trainings available
Education/Family Benefits	Opportunities Provided:	 Tuition reimbursement Financial help for children/family members Day care Spouse/Partner appointments
Flexible Work Schedules / Telecommute	Opportunities Provided:	☐ Flextime ☐ Telecommuting
Research Funds/Start-Up	Offered:	 Office space Laboratory facilities Computer(s) / software Teaching / research assistance Research funds Technology
Other		

Additional Academic Negotiating Resources: http://www.columbia.edu/cu/tat/pdfs/negotiating.pdf

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¹ Types of plans, minimum/maximum contribution, time to being vested, company match/contribution

² Monthly co-pays, types of coverage