



# Candidate Report Chris Park



Professional

Styles

#### Introduction

Thank you for completing the Styles questionnaire. This report provides you with summary feedback about your motives, preferences, needs and talents in a number of work relevant areas.

When reading this report, please remember that it is based upon your responses to the Styles assessment. It describes how you perceive yourself, rather than how you might be seen by someone else. Nevertheless, research suggests that self-report can be a powerful predictor of how you will operate at work.

Information is provided on the 36 Styles dimensions, which are grouped under 12 sections and arranged under four main cluster headings – Thought, Influence, Adaptability and Delivery. Each dimension consists of three facets.

Your results combine your rating and ranking responses. The results are based on a comparison with an international group of over 24,000 professionals and managers. Your score for each dimension is graphically represented on a 1-10 scale. The dimension score indicates how extreme your results are; scores of 5 and 6 are typical of the comparison group while 1 and 10 are extreme scores achieved only by about 1% of the comparison group. Beneath each dimension name are verbal descriptions which represent the three facet scores that comprise the dimension score. Major variations in the verbal descriptions within a dimension are indicative of a broad range of facet scores, and as such merit reflection and discussion.

On some dimensions (e.g. 'Reliable') most people will rate themselves highly. As a consequence, and because the results are relative, you may find that you score lower than you might have expected in such areas. It is also important to bear in mind that scores should be interpreted in terms of what is desirable for a particular job role. For example, being 'Conforming' may be desirable for administrative jobs that require strict adherence to rules and procedures but may be undesirable for senior roles that require some degree of risk taking and ingenuity in overcoming bureaucratic rules and procedures.

### **About this Report**

The information contained within this report is likely to provide a valid overview of your motives, preferences, needs and talents at work (relative to others) for 12 to 24 months, depending upon your circumstances.

The report was produced using Saville Assessment software systems. It has been derived from the results of a questionnaire completed by you, the respondent, and reflects the responses made by you.

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# **Thought Cluster**

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### **Influence Cluster**

Influence										
Sociable	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
Interactive fairly lively; moderately talkative; moderately interested in networking										
Engaging takes a little time to establish rapport; puts little emphasis on making a good first impression; makes new friends reasonably easily				l						
Self-promoting often is the centre of attention; moderately modest about own achievements; has a moderate need for praise										
Impactful	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
Convincing very persuasive; makes own point strongly; is focused on negotiating the best deal										
Articulate enjoys giving presentations as much as most people; explains things reasonably well; reasonably confident with new people										
Challenging very open in voicing disagreement; very much inclined to challenge others' ideas; very often gets involved in arguments										
Assertive	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
Purposeful makes quick decisions; prepared to take responsibility for big decisions; holds very firm views on issues										
Directing clearly oriented towards a leadership role; co-ordinates people well; very much inclined to take control of things										
Empowering has limited interest in finding ways to motivate others; inspirational; reasonably encouraging to others										

# **Adaptability Cluster**

Adaptability										
Resilient	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
Self-assured moderately self-confident; feels in control of own future; has a strong sense of own worth										
Composed rarely gets nervous during important events; reasonably calm before important events; works well under pressure										
Resolving copes reasonably well with people who are upset; dislikes having to deal with angry people; feels less need than many people to resolve disagreements										
Flexible	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
Positive likely to take an optimistic view; recovers reasonably quickly from setbacks; extremely cheerful										
Change Oriented as ready to accept change as most people; copes moderately well with uncertainty; accepts new challenges as readily as most people										
Receptive less receptive to feedback than most people; moderately likely to encourage others to criticise approach; rarely asks for feedback on performance				ı						
Supportive	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
Attentive less empathetic than many people; unlikely to listen attentively for long; interested in understanding why people do things										
Involving less team oriented than others; takes some account of others' views; unlikely to involve others in the final decision				ı						
Accepting slightly less considerate than others; reasonably tolerant; moderately trusting of people				ı						

# **Delivery Cluster**

Delivery										
Conscientious	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
Reliable places less emphasis on meeting deadlines than many people; less punctual than many people; is sometimes prepared to leave tasks unfinished				l						
Meticulous has little focus on making sure the detail is right; less thorough than many people; ensures a reasonably high level of quality										
Conforming is much less inclined to follow rules; strongly dislikes following procedures; is sometimes prepared to take risks in decision making										
Structured	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
Organised less well organised than most people; very much dislikes having to make plans; less inclined to prioritise than most people										
Principled less focused on ethics than many people; places less emphasis on maintaining confidentiality than many people; places relatively little focus on honouring commitments				1						
Activity Oriented works at a moderately fast pace; works well when busy; prefers to do one thing at a time										
Driven	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
Dynamic good at making things happen; impatient to get things started; moderately energetic										
Enterprising likely to identify business opportunities; fairly sales oriented; as competitive as most people										
Striving driven to achieve outstanding results; fairly ambitious; likely to persevere through difficult challenges										

#### **Predicted Culture/Environment Fit**

Based on extensive Saville Assessment research linking the styles of individuals to culture at work, this highlights the aspects of the culture, job and environment that are likely to enhance or inhibit your success:

#### Performance Enhancers

- where creativity and innovation are encouraged and radical ideas and solutions welcomed
- where heated debate is valued and people are encouraged to challenge ideas, argue and voice disagreements openly
- where people are encouraged to assume responsibility for important decisions and decisiveness is a valued characteristic
- where the ability to get rapidly to the core of issues and readily identify solutions to problems is highly valued
- where the development of theoretical ideas and concepts is encouraged
- where there is a strong results focus and determination to succeed, no matter what, and people are rewarded for achieving outstanding results
- where there is a strong strategic focus, it is seen as desirable to have a clear vision for the future and strategic thinking capability is highly valued
- where commercialism and entrepreneurialism are valued and the emphasis is on identifying business opportunities and outperforming the competition

#### Performance Inhibitors

- where conventional attitudes prevail, traditional approaches are preferred and people are discouraged from generating new ideas
- where dissent is frowned upon and people are discouraged from challenging ideas and voicing disagreements
- where the responsibility for major decisions rests with other people and there is little opportunity to influence the outcome
- where little value is placed on providing new insights and identifying potential improvements
- where there is little interest in the application of theoretical ideas and models and people are given little time to explore different options and possibilities
- where the urge to achieve outstanding results is not great and people seldom persist in the face of difficulties
- where the focus is short rather than longer term, tactical rather than strategic
- where the culture is non-commercial, non-competitive and non-profit oriented