



Wearing offensive clothing can impact perceptions of you. You want to avoid wearing any items of clothing which could have slogans etc. on them which would be offensive to others. Keep in mind, you represent yourself and your employer and, regardless of your position, you want to represent yourself and your employer in a positive manner. A better option is to wear a white shirt with a conservative tie. This combination suggests an

individual who is concerned about making a serious professional impression.



Wearing clothing which reveals too much skin can be distracting to others and impacts your professional image.



Clothing that is too tight can make it difficult to perform the duties within your job. In addition, it may not look appropriate and can take away from your professional image regardless of your profession.



Too much make-up can impact your professional image and appearance. You want to be taken seriously for what you have to contribute professionally to the organization. That noted you want to look appropriate and not have a distracting amount of make-up applied.



Too much jewelry could be a distraction in the workplace and it could impact your ability to perform a job. For example, if one was wearing a large bracelet it could impede the ability to type effectively. Likewise in law enforcement if one was wearing a necklace on the outside of his/her uniform it could be something another individual could grab on to and, in turn cause harm. Consider what is appropriate to your profession and reduce

or eliminate according



Short skirts can contribute negatively to your overall professional image. They are not appropriate to wear in the workplace. If one opts to wear a skirt (as applicable to a given profession) they should be knee length. A better option is to wear a suit with a knee-length skirt, tailored jacket, and blouse.



Exposed tattoos may not be allowed on the dream job. A simple solution here is to wear a shirt with sleeves that cover the tattoo.



In all professions it is most appropriate to wear socks (hose or trouser socks for some professions as applicable). This conveys a more professional image.



Unless one is a member of a particular culture whose members all wear traditional hairstyles, it is a better bet to go to an interview with a conservative haircut.



This footwear would not be appropriate for most work places because of safety issues. Also, sandals suggest a laid-back attitude, which might not be the impression a serious individual wants to make during the interview for a dream job. Well-polished, comfortable shoes make the statement that an individual is aware of the importance of appearance and ease of movement at work.



It is the individual's professional brand recognition that is the point of this interview. This interview is the chance for the individual to impress the hiring manager with her qualifications for the job.



The style itself is a great interview choice, BUT the color could suggest that the individual is not serious about a professional image. Keep the style, but change the color for the interview.



These shoes would not be appropriate in most work places because of safety issues. Also, the heels are a bit high for a serious workplace image. It is fine to be stylishly dressed for the interview, but keep in mind that the serious interviewee should present a professional image.