

LINKED IN CHECKLIST

COMPONENT	EXAMPLE	YOUR WORK
Profile headline:	"Recent college grad with	
☐ 120 characters	degree in biology looking for a	
☐ Who you are	pharmaceutical sales position"	
Your Summary ☐ 5 to 10 lines ☐ Concise summary of what makes you unique; what you can do FOR THEM ☐ Opportunity to display your marketable skills	"I am a recent college graduate with a degree in Biochemistry from ABC College. Although I enjoy the research aspect of my major, I found that I thrive in an environment where my analytical skills and problem solving skills are at the forefront. I am seeking a position in environmental consulting: I completed an internship in environmental research and won 2 awards in my case study class on the environment."	

Photo:	
Professional headshot (need not be	N/A
professionally taken)	
Education:	Regis College, Weston, MA
List all institutions you attended	B.A. Management with a
Include your major, minor, GPA	concentration in
Study abroad programs	communications;
Community service, extra -curricular	Fall, 2010, Study abroad
activities	program, University of Paris
Academic awards	Cum laude; Senior class
	president
Your Status	☐ Thesis complete! (include
Events you're attending	title)
Projects completed	☐ Attending job fair on
☐ Books you're reading	campus. Hope to talk to
Update no more than weekly	Google!
	☐ Just read "7 Habits of
	Highly Effective People"
Recommendations (2-3)	"Jessica started working in our
☐ Professors	lab in the fall of 2010 as a
Internship Coordinators	Student Laboratory Assistant.
☐ Former supervisors	Her work was outstanding and
☐ Mentors	she was a role model for other
	students. My impression of
	Jessica, having supervised her
	for two years, is she is an

	intelligent, meticulous, and extremely hard working researcher and will be a positive addition anywhere."	
Experience ☐ List company name and location ☐ List title and one sentence description of responsibilities ☐ Create a bulleted list of quantifiable results	ABC Company Business Development Associate Responsible for new customer acquisition and lead generation: Second highest producing representative on a team of 10 associates Managed Social media presence: Twitter presence increased 40%; Facebook active users increased by 18%	
□ Public Profile□ Claim unique URL□ Include URL in email signature	www.linkedin.com/in/yourname	