

Partner Protocol

1. Please tell me when you came to Ann Arbor, and about your experience looking for a suitable career opportunity.
2. What are the key challenges that have emerged for you and your spouse/partner as a dual career couple?
3. Please tell me how you were assisted.
4. Please tell me about your experience working with those who assisted you. What were the high and low points?
5. How would you describe your comfort level with being a dual career partner?
6. How did the career opportunity or assistance that was offered to you play into your decision, as a couple, to move to Ann Arbor?
7. Was there any disjuncture between your expectations and the help that you received?
8. Have you come into contact with similar assistance efforts at other institutions? How do UM dual career services compare to similar services at other schools?
9. We're looking for ways to make dual career services as effective as possible. Is there anything that could have been done, which wasn't, in your case? Should anything have been done differently?
10. Do you have any other comments that you'd like to share with me about the dual career services at UM?