**Career Maximizing Scale**

1.I have to know all of the jobs available to me before I can choose a job.

2. I choose jobs that will maximize my career.

3. I would hate settling for a job that is not the best option.

4. When thinking about my career choices, I try to imagine what all the possibilities are.

5. I look at many job options before choosing a job.

6. I carefully weigh the pros and cons of a job before accepting it.

7. When choosing a career, I always try to choose the best one.

8. I am constantly trying to find the very best job.

9. When it comes to careers, I have a very high standard for myself.

10. It’s important that I find the very best place to work.

Response Scale: 1 = Strongly Disagree, 2 = Somewhat Disagree, 3 = Neither Agree nor Disagree, 4 = Somewhat Agree, 5 = Strongly Agree

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