Russian Language Program at the University of Washington

LinguaFolio Online for STARTALK

You will complete most of the Biography section of the LinguaFolio during the beginning of the STARTALK program as you identify your previous language learning experiences, learning styles, and what you can already do in the language. Information from those previous activities can be summarized in the LinguaFolio Passport. Using these short *can-do* checklists and evidence from throughout the STARTALK program, you will be able to complete the overall LinguaFolio checklists online at the end of the STARTALK program much easier.

What is evidence?
Evidence is the proof you supply that supports the *can-do* statements in the LinguaFolio and shows what you can do in the language related to the specific topics of your STARTALK program. You will upload your individual evidence to prove that you have accomplished certain *can-do* statements on the checklists.

The following are samples of evidence that can be uploaded to your personal LinguaFolio:
- audio-files (either computerized or on digital reorder)
- visual files (with or without audio)
- streaming video clips
- digital media presentations
- digital photos (via digital camera or cell phone) of a product or poster
- writing sample (picture of poster, upload of PDF or Word document)
- essays
- summaries
- correspondence
- interpretive reading (what a learner did with the information they acquired)

At end of STARTALK program
When you reach the end of the STARTALK program, you will want to complete the online LinguaFolio.

Beyond the STARTALK program
Now that you have completed your STARTALK program, you should be able to identify what you can do with language. You have reflected on your learning experiences and can identify the best strategies for your individual learning process.

The LinguaFolio that you completed belongs to you. It can be shared with anyone you wish to help you identify and describe what you can do with language.

As you continue learning languages you should revise and update your LinguaFolio information periodically so that it gives the most accurate snapshot of your language learning at that time.

Language learning is an ongoing process and you should continue to add to your LinguaFolio as you continue learning languages. You should set new goals both personal and future career goals and document your language performance and language achievement on your own whether associated with a language class or not.

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