



LinkedIn Résumé

Ralph Mitchell* [Not hungry, not foolish]

Senior Beachcomber and *Amateurish* Comedian

(I also do some English grammar engineering.)

**nota bene* - Ralph : /reɪf/ RAYF This is the Irish pronunciation I use, deal with it!

He/ him; *Hey!, you.* ; 你幹麼!? ; 你怎麼了!?

Education: la bibliothèque Zodiac: Scorpio (October 25)/ 羊[yáng] Year of Sheep

Goal: An iced coffee before noon.

Religion: Bacchus

Hobbies and interests: Cognitive semiotics, *langue française*, *idioma español*, 中文/ 國語, tropical fish, tennis, golf, kite flying, oenology, 浮世繪, blue water cruising, and jigsaw puzzles : 1,000 pieces or two.

Experience: I blew out a flip flop, stepped on a pop top, cut my heel, had to cruise on back home...but...

Working hours: Mornings, afternoons, evenings. Choose only ONE!

Working days: Tuesdays, Wednesdays, Thursdays. The others are dedicated to beachcombing and pure hedonism.

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Ralph Mitchell Quotes :

"Geography is not important...until you are lost and being eaten by a crocodile."

*"If 17 year old Kyle whatshisname in Wisconsin had shown up with beer, he'd have been arrested and his beer confiscated, plus have to pay a \$150 fine. What a country! Embarrassing is an understatement." * see response below*

"I am catholic (small c). You know what happens when the Pope dies? Well, we get a new Pope. Always. I look forward to getting a new Pope, usually before the current one dies."

[N.B. - Due to the tetchiness of some people, I clarify : I wish IL PAPA well. Popes can retire, or preferably be retired, but it seems most only answer to god, and only consider their own death as the proper time...but a new Pope is always welcome short term.]

"My Italian-American family has flown the American flag since 1927, right after Sacco and Vanzetti were executed."

“Dude! You’re bragging that you just married a Filipina and that there’s no divorce in the Philippines? Your chances of dying in an accident just went WAY up! Don’t think she’s stuck with you. If she wants to get rid of you, she can. She could probably get her local village priest to do the job, you know...for ‘favors’. ”

“I have no idea what’s going on! I just got here in 1967!” [Warning -this was paraphrased from Kurt Vonnegut, and we believe other things may also have been paraphrased, but we just cannot find the sources. Will investigate further, however, our threat model is through the roof and Library of Congress says it is all legit, and Ralph’s lawyers ignore our calls.]

On California -

“They always told us that one day California would sink into the sea. They never said it would burn down first, though.” [Warning - We suspect Ralph, as a bona fide native of the “Eastern Seaboard”, doesn’t really care about California - but to be fair, even Californians are leaving the state, and we suspect Ralph is not a fan of the East Coast Establishment - he may in fact be an anti - East Coast Establishmentarian.]

On Florida - *“I didn’t see it all there. However, I did get a good start on that list.”*

“It’s a great place! It’s a people place. You’ve got to like people. Probably fifty years ago it was a great place if you didn’t like people.”

On Virginia - *“I must reconsider the evangelical aspects of my home state. I mean, who knew the Falwells could be that much fun?”*

On Covid 45 - *“You know when two people are talking and a little spittle goes flying and lands on one’s face, and both of them pretend it didn’t happen? Got that? OK, wear a mask! And DON’T tell me masks don’t work!, and don’t call yourself a governor!”*

吃喝玩樂是最好! Chī hē wán lè shì zuì hǎo! Eat, drink, and be merry is the best!

Ralph: Taiwanese sparkling wine is not Champagne! [台灣起跑酒不是香檳!]

CCP/ 中國共黨 : 一定要解放台灣! [Yīdìng yào jiěfàng Táiwān!] [We must liberate Taiwan!]

Ralph: ?

Ralph: 所有香檳都是起酒。並非所有起酒都是香檳。

[Suǒyǒu xiāngbīn dōu shì qǐ pào jiǔ. Bìngfēi suǒyǒu qǐ pào jiǔ dōu shì xiāngbīn]

[All Champagne is sparkling wine, not all sparkling wine is Champagne.]

CCP/ 中國共黨 : ?

“When you really think about it, forcing a 10 year old girl to have a baby is not very different than actually raping her. It may in fact be the same thing. There is not much of a qualitative difference.”

On Samuel Alito : *“This is what a model foreigner acted like in 1920’s USA. Without that kind of extremism, Alito and his Italian father and Italian-American mother would simply be “dagos” like me.”*

What others have said about Ralph Mitchell :

"I would not hire Ralph again. First, he did his job. Then he did mine. Management replaced me with him. It's not fair!" -former manager

"He ran off with our head teacher. I really liked her. I would not hire him again." -another former manager

"It are what it are." -current student

"He fixed my computer once. He replaced the Windows XP with something called Ubuntu Linux. And he didn't charge me any money!" -the school IT guy

"He thinks he is more funny than he actually is." -former comedian

"My lawyers have advised me against commenting. His lawyers have advised me against commenting. The Twitter people have even advised me against commenting." -Anon

"He doesn't think he is funny at all, but he is hilarious!" -wannabe friend

"He once helped me save money on my car insurance." -government employee

"He doesn't have a phone and the boss always calls me looking for him. I DON'T KNOW WHERE HE IS! I haven't seen him since 7:00 AM." -colleague

"He convinced me to study English in Ireland instead of the USA. Best. Advice. Ever." -former student

"When he is serious, look out! I suspect he is deadpanning things that are above our heads." -university professor

**"This is plain and simple virtue signaling on Rafe's [sic] part. We know Rafe doesn't like beer, and has never experienced the joys of cerebral cortex brewskie [sic] obliteration. But the 21st amendment comes way below the 2nd, and thus is not as important. That's how you know the import of a law - look at the position of the amendment!"*

- Brett "I LIKE BEER!!!!" Kavanaugh (SCOTUS)*

**Supreme Court of the United States: 1 Chief Justice, 7 justices, and 1 handmaid*

*"Oh, he is a ****ing piece of work! -but he can cook, et il parle français. J'adore ça!"* -colleague

"Three stars, but let him choose the wine...OK, four stars!" -她

Places lived and/or worked in (in no particular order - I can't be bothered):

Virginia - Chesapeake, Norfolk, Fairfax, Manassas, Charlottesville **Washington, D.C.**,

North Carolina - Charlotte **New York City** - Hell's Kitchen, Manhattan **California** - San Diego **France** - La

Rochelle **Italy** -La Spezia **Sweden** - Stockholm **Ireland** - Dublin, Dun Laoghaire **Japan** - Sapporo, Hakodate,

Obihiro **Taiwan** - Kaohsiung 1999 - 2002 **Florida** - Pensacola, South Florida, Tri County **Taiwan** - Taipei, New

Taipei City 2009 - 2016 **Portugal** - Vila Nova de Gaia **South Africa** - Cape Town **Alaska** - Tenakee Springs

Thailand - Bangkok 2017, Pattaya City **Argentina** - Mendoza, Buenos Aires 2017 - present (2022)[excepting 15 months in Taiwan] **Covid 19 Global Pandemic** - **Taiwan** - Taichung (December 2019 to March, 2021),

Argentina - Buenos Aires (March 2021 - present)

More Ralph Mitchell quotes : “I’m a child of the ‘60’s. I don’t trust anyone under 30.” -2015

“I don’t trust anyone north of Key West.” -2016 “I don’t trust anyone over 30.” -2017

“Well, this is interesting.” -2018 “No one reads anymore.” -2019

“I don’t trust anyone on Facebook.” -2020 “What in the hell is wrong with those Fox people?” -2021

Ralph’s Five Factor Personality Test

(January 6, 2021 -It was an Epiphany moment)

Openness to Experience - Why else get out of bed?

Conscientiousness - Do a good job, consciously, and conscientiously.

Extraversion - <sigh> - Does the job require it?

Agreeableness - I have read the Terms of Service. Have you? Do you agree? I have serious questions.

Neuroticism - nEurAl pAthWaYs aRE aLI Over ThE pLaCe. It’s called experience, creativity, imagination, serendipity, and OCD. Now, about those Terms of Service?



Endorsements:

“I think I remember Ralph. He wasn’t a great employee.

He wasn’t a bad employee. I didn’t have to fire him. He didn’t stick around long, though. In fact, he usually disappeared right at 5:00 PM. I think he lived in Hell’s Kitchen, and, as it turned out, he could cook. Well, usually some kind of ethnic crap, if you know what I mean. Nothing like a nice, well done leathery steak with ketchup and a bland potato, no, he couldn’t cook that! Usually stuff no one could say the name. You know what? I think I did fire him. Someone in the office convinced me he was a great hire because he knew something about the subject at hand, but I think he knew too much. And he used to wince at stuff I said. What a loser! My wife seemed to like him, though, and she too used to disappear at 5:00 PM..... But I’ve never had a “happy” hour in my life....” -DJT

Myers-Briggs Personality Test Results

This is the result of the Myers-Briggs Personality Test that Ralph took in the early 1990's at a certain unnamed company. Our source inside got us the results. [This is an approximation of the actual document.] Source said they offered Ralph \$10,000 dollars per year more after he declined their first offer of employment. Ralph had stipulations of his own. Ralph thought it appropriate for the company's leadership to submit to a drug test, but they seemed offended despite their testing of employees and potential hires. Strange world.

Ralph reluctantly chose the following on the Myers-Briggs Personality Type Test. He was offered the job but declined when the HR department head refused to provide his own results. Said HR head also refused to submit to an independent drug test and to submit to a background check. Ralph has concerns about the state of "American freedom" and would like to know just for whom this freedom is. Money talks, but it also seems to vomit says Ralph. We tend to agree.

Myers-Briggs Personality test

1. Are you outwardly or inwardly focused? If you:

- Could be described as talkative, outgoing
- Like to be in a fast-paced environment
- Tend to work out ideas with others, think out loud
- Enjoy being the center of attention

then you prefer
E
Extraversion

- Could be described as reserved, private
- Prefer a slower pace with time for contemplation
- Tend to think things through inside your head
- Would rather observe than be the center of attention

then you prefer
I
Introversion

2. How do you prefer to take in information? If you:

- Focus on the reality of how things are
- Pay attention to concrete facts and details
- Prefer ideas that have practical applications
- Like to describe things in a specific, literal way

then you prefer
S
Sensing

- Imagine the possibilities of how things could be
- Notice the big picture, see how everything connects
- Enjoy ideas and concepts for their own sake
- Like to describe things in a figurative, poetic way

then you prefer
N
Intuition

ISTJ
Responsible, sincere, analytical, reserved, realistic, systematic. Hardworking and trustworthy with sound practical judgment.

ISFJ
Warm, considerate, gentle, responsible, pragmatic, thorough. Devoted caretakers who enjoy being helpful to others.

INFJ
Idealistic, organized, insightful, dependable, compassionate, gentle. Seek harmony and cooperation, enjoy intellectual stimulation.

INTJ
Innovative, independent, strategic, logical, reserved, insightful. Driven by their own original ideas to achieve improvements.

ISTP
Action-oriented, logical, analytical, spontaneous, reserved, independent. Enjoy adventure, skilled at understanding how mechanical things work.

ISFP
Gentle, sensitive, nurturing, helpful, flexible, realistic. Seek to create a personal environment that is both beautiful and practical.

INFP
Sensitive, creative, idealistic, perceptive, caring, loyal. Value inner harmony and personal growth, focus on dreams and possibilities.

INTP
Intellectual, logical, precise, reserved, flexible, imaginative. Original thinkers who enjoy speculation and creative problem solving.

ESTP
Outgoing, realistic, action-oriented, curious, versatile, spontaneous. Pragmatic problem solvers and skillful negotiators.

ESFP
Playful, enthusiastic, friendly, spontaneous, tactful, flexible. Have strong common sense, enjoy helping people in tangible ways.

ENFP
Enthusiastic, creative, spontaneous, optimistic, supportive, playful. Value inspiration, enjoy starting new projects, see potential in others.

ENTP
Inventive, enthusiastic, strategic, enterprising, inquisitive, versatile. Enjoy new ideas and challenges, value inspiration.

ESTJ
Efficient, outgoing, analytical, systematic, dependable, realistic. Like to run the show and get things done in an orderly fashion.

ESFJ
Friendly, outgoing, reliable, conscientious, organized, practical. Seek to be helpful and please others, enjoy being active and productive.

ENFJ
Caring, enthusiastic, idealistic, organized, diplomatic, responsible. Skilled communicators who value connection with people.

ENTJ
Strategic, logical, efficient, outgoing, ambitious, independent. Effective organizers of people and long-range planners.

3. How do you prefer to make decisions? If you:

- Make decisions in an impersonal way, using logical reasoning
- Value justice, fairness
- Enjoy finding the flaws in an argument
- Could be described as reasonable, level-headed

then you prefer
T
Thinking

- Base your decisions on personal values and how your actions affect others
- Value harmony, forgiveness
- Like to please others and point out the best in people
- Could be described as warm, empathetic

then you prefer
F
Feeling

4. How do you prefer to live your outer life? If you:

- Prefer to have matters settled
- Think rules and deadlines should be respected
- Prefer to have detailed, step-by-step instructions
- Make plans, want to know what you're getting into

then you prefer
J
Judging

- Prefer to leave your options open
- See rules and deadlines as flexible
- Like to improvise and make things up as you go
- Are spontaneous, enjoy surprises and new situations

then you prefer
P
Perceiving

*Unencrypted emails are usually deleted without being read. Emails with overly vague subject lines or overly specific subject lines are likewise usually deleted without being read. Emails with more than two grammar errors or punctuation errors may be deleted or forwarded to an actual Grammar Nazi, depending on my mood at the time. Dangling modifiers are of course welcome if they obviously warrant ridicule, or are composed in a particularly clever way. However, such emails are still subject to deletion and to these general rules. Emails with attachments or links are likewise deleted. Emails using “free” providers from the likes of Google, Microsoft, Yahoo, *et al.* are also subject to deletion. Likewise, temporary or throwaway emails are subject to deletion. If the email is written in English and it is apparent that the email is not written by a native English speaker, then consider yourself to be lucky. However, other rules and conditions still apply. These rules also apply to job offers via email, in fact, especially to job offers. If you cannot handle the rudiments of resistance to the emerging surveillance economy, I do not want to be associated with you. Job offers are subject to deletion. If you are emailing me about the message in a bottle (with a glass eyeball inside) that I found on a Pacific beach in Mexico in 1994, that you tossed into the sea evidently from Oz in 1973, I see you, and you already know my preferred form of communication! For those of you who should desire to visit, [Don’t come unannounced - that could trigger me and get you triggered too...] approach slowly with a can of *Hawaiian Punch*** in each hand, front labels forward, but only if you contacted me beforehand, and only if the yellow flower pot (with flower) is on the left side of the window sill. (Be sure to verify [very important!] if I meant the window’s left side or your left side -but sometimes I get mixed up which I said..., otherwise you are in range!)

**The offering is also subject to change (and now likely): if wine, then one bottle in one hand, and two appropriate glasses in the other, with the wine bottle label facing *forward*. We will have already *verified* this wine. It is only subject to approval *after* tasting. If *Dom Pérignon* or *Cristal*, then verify beforehand that I have orange juice....

¹<https://emailrep.io/> indicates this email is :

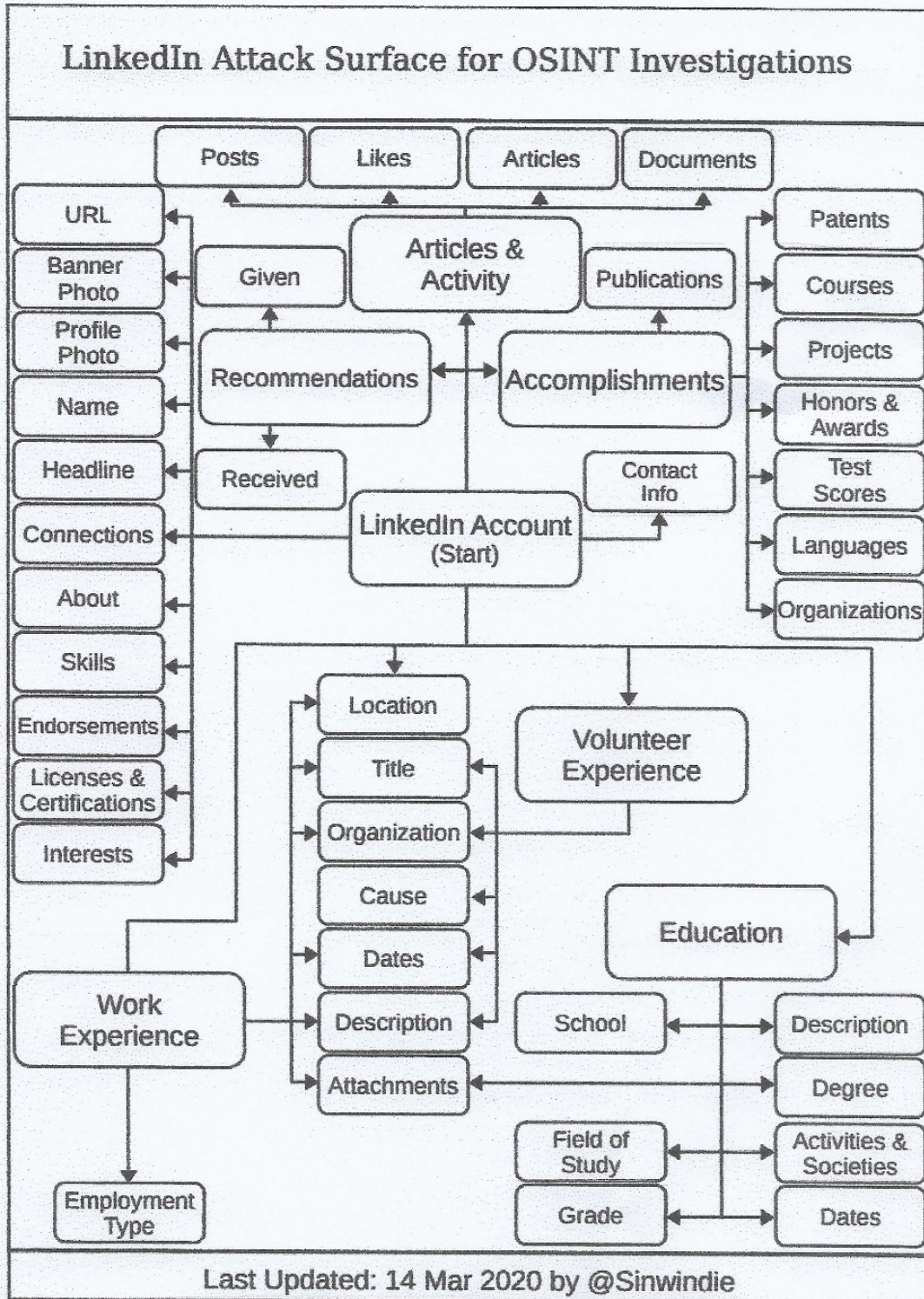
RISKY - Suspicious. We have not observed this email address on the internet, it is a free provider², and it has no profiles on major services³ like LinkedIn, Facebook, and iCloud. A lack of digital presence may simply indicate a new email address, but is typically suspicious.⁴

²Also paid plans.

³*services?* WTF?

⁴They are delusional!

According to this schema below, we should all spend more time at the beach.



Books I read in 2021 that I recommend:

in no particular order, but actual paper

The Age of Surveillance Capitalism 2019, by Shoshana Zuboff

On Trails 2017, by Robert Moor

methland 2009, by Nick Reding

Formosa Betrayed* 1965, by George Kerr *(Well, I had read before)

The Tipping Point 2000, by Malcolm Gladwell

Outliers 2008, by Malcolm Gladwell

What the Dog Saw 2009, by Malcolm Gladwell

Talking To Strangers* 2019, by Malcom Gladwell *(Actually I read in 2020, but it batted in the other three for me.)

Madness & Civilization 1961, by Michel Foucault

Improv Nation: How We Made Great American Art 2017, by Sam Wasson

Las venas abiertas de América Latina 1971, by Eduardo Galeano (read before)

This Changes Everything 2014, by Naomi Klein

Living By The Word 1973-1987, by Alice Walker

Permanent Record 2019, by Edward Snowden

Between The World And Me 2015, by Ta-Nehisi Coates

THE CHINESE INVASION THREAT, : TAIWAN'S DEFENSE AND AMERICAN STRATEGY IN ASIA 2019, by Ian Easton

M Train 2015, by Patti Smith

Not for publication!

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