The Goal Setting Cycle

**Action:**

* Contacted references
* Searched job databases
* Created Excel sheet
	+ deadlines
* Applied for 10 jobs
* Pass comprehensive exam

**Self-Assessment**

**Decision Making**

**Exploration**

**Action**

Get a Job

**Self-Assessment:**Examine what is important to you

**Values:**

Comfortable lifestyle –
need income

**Skills:**

Student Affairs

**Interests:**

Higher Education Administration

**Exploration:**Brainstorm and research

* Research locations
* Research positions
	+ Descriptions
	+ Requirements
	+ Salary
* Informational interviews
* Had resume & cover letter reviewed
* Network
* Internship
* Involved
* Work experience
	+ AmeriCorps
	+ Assistantship

**Decision Making:** Make a decision based on the facts you have gathered from your research

* Job location
* Positions
	+ Qualifications
* Application timeline
	+ Due Date
	+ Materials
* Alternatives