



## EDITING ROMANCE NOVELS 201

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### LESSON #2 HANDOUT

#### **Character Interview Sheet**

#### **The Basics**

Name:

Age/Gender/Race:

How would you describe your appearance:

Hometown/Current City:

How did you end up in your current city:

Do you plan to stay there, why or why not:

If you could live anywhere, where would you go and why:

Is there anything else you'd like to say about where you live:

#### **Family**

Marital Status:

Family (parents, siblings, children, etc.):

To which family member are you the closest, why:

If you could change anything about your family, what would it be (and why):

What is your favorite thing about your family, why:

Is there anything else you'd like to say about your family:

## **Education**

Education completed:

If you didn't graduate high school, why:

If you did graduate high school, why did you choose to go to college (or not to go):

If you went to college, how did you pick one:

If you did anything other than college, how did you decide to do that (and why):

What is your biggest regret about your entire educational experience:

What is your fondest memory about your entire educational experience:

Is there anything else you'd like to say about your educational experience:

## **Employment**

Where do you currently work:

If unemployed, why (and what are you doing to find employment):

If employed, how did you find your job:

Why did you take this job, do you like it (why or why not):

What is your dream job, why:

How would you describe your work ethic:

Is there anything else you'd like to say about your work experience:

## **Social Life**

How would you describe your social life:

What are your thoughts on social network sites:

How would your friends describe you:

How would you describe your friends:

Why do you think an active social life is important (or not important):

Is there anything else you'd like to say about your social life:

## **Faith/Religion**

How would you describe your faith/religious affiliation:

How did you come to these beliefs:

Why do you think faith is important (or not important):

How do you exercise your beliefs:

How would you share your beliefs with a friend:

Is there anything else you'd like to say about your beliefs:

## **The Rest**

What's your favorite color:

What's your favorite music style (why):

What's your favorite movie genre (why):

What's your favorite book genre (why):

Is there anything else you'd like people to know about you: