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Presentation Summary IV: Career Services and Co-Op

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On November 1<sup>st</sup>, we had a presentation on co-ops and career services. This was another one that was to be interactive. Right at the start before the presentation, the presenter handed-out a few papers to the audience and asked who wants to play “Family Feud”. Of course, I raised my hand because I like participating. I was one of those picked and then went to the back of the room. She then explained how the game worked. We were to be asked “survey questions” directly linked to the hand-outs. We then had to pick the highest percentages in those questions. Each round started with a “face-off” and the team that won got to go first. We quickly noticed that going first wasn’t exactly always a good idea. We found that true whenever there were 8-10 answers to the questions. I actually got a few right and didn’t even look at the sheets! I think that was quite cool. My team won the first two rounds. The other team won once if I remember correctly, then we won one then the other team won twice in a row. At the end of it all, we were tied. We ran out of time and we all got candy.

I loved this presentation, especially since I was part of the direct interaction. When I am part of direct interaction, it is more fun and I learn more. I recommend this presentation to future people, especially if they interact with it. Play with the presenters. Don’t just sit in your seats. Play with the presenters.