

Steelworker Report

Living in this beautiful Ohio Valley with the landscape of the steel mills, it seems only fitting that we learn more about them and the people who worked here. After the reading of Rebecca Harding Davis' work, *Life in the Iron Mills*, we have learned about the reality of the immigrant steelworker who lived and worked in the steel mill here and who were the inspiration for the ("Hunky") *Steelworker* statue located on South Fourth Street, across from the Carnegie Public Library of Steubenville. For this assignment, please compose a report that interviews a person who worked at one of the steel mills in the Ohio Valley. Be sure to include the following:

- Compose 3 – 5 pages of typed, double-spaced content, not counting the cover (title) page or the Reference page
- Include a minimum of 2 figures within the content
 - One photo should be of the Steelworker statue (include yourself in the photo, and, if possible, include the person whom you are interviewing for this report)
 - One photo should be of the interviewed person. This photo does not need to be current, although it may be, but it can be a photo of the time in which this person worked in the steel mill.
 - Include any other photos for the report
- APA style of documentation
 - Include a running head
 - Format your references in APA style
 - Format any direct, summarized, or paraphrased information in APA style
- Be sure to organize your report by using **subtitles**
- Interview a person who worked in one of the steel mills in the Ohio Valley by asking the following questions. You may include (and are encouraged to do so) other questions and accept offered information by the interviewee. Be sure to include the answers, though, to these specific questions:
 - When did you work in the steel mill (starting date and ending date)?
 - At which steel mill did you work?
 - What was your job(s) at the steel mill? Explain.
 - What three things do you remember most about the time you worked at the steel mill?
 - What was your life like in the Ohio Valley when you worked at the steel mill?
 - Did you know anyone who was an immigrant who worked with you in the steel mill?
 - Do you have any other information you would like to share about working in the steel mill?
- Compose the content using realism technique.
- Prepare a *Thank You* letter to offer to the interviewee along with a copy of your report. Suggestion: Be sure to have a peer review your report to find any errors (it would be embarrassing to send a report to someone with misspelled words or incorrect information). Edit your work after the peer review. Look for a second peer review and do the same process. Once your work is complete and ready to submit for the assignment submission and ready to send to your interviewee, do so. Do your best work and good luck!