

Questionnaire: Who Would You Vote for Today?
(Mock Example of Student Survey Covered by Course Certification)

Thanks for taking this opinion survey to help me complete a class assignment! Please keep in mind:

- Your answers are completely anonymous; you don't need to put your name on this form.
- Once you start this questionnaire, you're under no obligation to finish it or hand it in. If you want to withdraw from taking the survey, just tell me – it's that simple!
- If you want, you can e-mail me after September 20 to find out the results of my survey: sueZcue@dbq.edu.

1. If the election for our next U.S. president were held today, who would you vote for?
 - a. Barack Obama
 - b. Paris Hilton
 - c. Britney Spears
 - d. John McCain
 - e. Someone else (Write your choice): _____
 - f. I wouldn't vote

What do you consider following individuals' strongest qualification for being our next president?

2. Barack Obama
 - a. He's a celebrity
 - b. He's intelligent
 - c. He would pull our troops out of Iraq
 - d. He would avoid off-shore drilling for oil
 - e. He's a superstar
3. Paris Hilton
 - a. She's a celebrity
 - b. She's hot
 - c. She's rich
 - d. She has a great energy plan
 - e. She successfully memorized the script for her energy plan
4. Britney Spears
 - a. She's a celebrity
 - b. She's a born politician: changes her tune every other day
 - c. She deserves a break
 - d. She has no energy plan
 - e. She was in John McCain's attack-ad on Obama
5. John McCain
 - a. He's a "wrinkled bald guy," which is how a president should look
 - b. He would stay the course in Iraq
 - c. He would allow off-shore drilling oil
 - d. He's a war hero
 - e. He's smarter than Paris Hilton

*(This survey is being conducted in partial fulfillment of the course requirements for **COM 358: Truthiness in Politics**, taught by **Prof. Stephen Colbert** at the **University of Dubuque**. This course is in compliance with the course certification requirements of UD's Institutional Review Board for the Protection of Human Subjects.)*

THANKS AGAIN!