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**What do you find beneficial about pursuing your doctoral degree online?**

In terms of content, pursuing doctoral degree online does not show any differences. While there are several benefits which can be gained by pursuing doctoral degree online. Some key and highly crucial beneficial/benefits are;

**Flexibility of Scheduling**

The most important and huge advantage of pursuing doctoral degree online is the flexibility of programs schedules. The student has a flexible schedule and hours and he/she complete the classes based on his/her convenient scheduling.

**Skills and Capabilities**

Pursuing doctoral degree online has the beneficial of helping students to be good and effective time managers and to learn time management skills themselves as well as to gain the ability of self-motivation. It further strengthens internet research, computer, and other skills of the student who pursue their degrees online.

**Cost Efficiency**

Beyond above, the cost can be found as a beneficial/benefit of pursuing doctoral degree online. In this, the student could have the choice to save different costs and expenses like dues, transportation and many other expenses (Gardner, & Gopaul, 2012).

**How does working toward a doctoral degree online help you achieve your personal and/or professional goals?**

Working towards doctoral degree online helps a lot in the achievements of personal and professional goals.

**It Develops Problem Solving Capabilities**

Working towards doctoral degree online enables the student to be problem solver because he/she would not have teacher nor classmates while studying and he/she will have to face and solve all of the problems. Today's organizations need professionals who are real problem solvers. So the students who work to get their degrees online would have higher chances of success in professional life than others (McAlpine, Amundsen & Turner, 2013).

**Opportunities Creation and Employer Preferences**

Most of the organizations prefer those who work independently from their homes. Because it saves their costs and expenses. As discussed earlier, working towards doctoral degree make students able to work independently and from home as well as it saves expenses for them (Gardner, & Gopaul, 2012). So these students who contain these capabilities would be preferred by particular organizations. So in this way working towards doctoral degree online helps in the achievements of personal and professional goals.

**Enhanced Communication Skills**

Every organization needs people who have efficient communication and computer skills with other required capabilities. As well as working to degree online strengthen computer and communication skills of students while the candidates having strong communication and computer skills are preferred by the employers (McAlpine, Amundsen & Turner, 2013). So in this way working towards doctoral degree online can help in achieving personal and professional skills.

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