**Journal Entry #3**

Read the following statement and consider what it implies for your future life in the job market. Reflect on privacy issues that you may have explored while visiting the websites linked from the previous readings.

*Many employers know that a digital footprint can reflect a person's values, sensibilities, opinions and character. With this in mind, employers often do online searches and use social media to screen job applicants (investigate applicants before they are hired, or even offered an interview). Some employers also monitor their employees' online activity.*

Now, respond to this statement. Use realistic examples to focus and support your argument. For example, comment on the fairness of checking a job applicant's activity on social networking sites like Facebook before making a decision to hire the person. Support your point of view with a law, example or similar opinion by an expert, and consider including a link or reference.