An interview with Andrew transcribed:

Taz: Could you tell me a little bit about yourself?

Andrew: Okay my name is Andrew and I’m a fifth year as a CCIT student in the university of Toronto and currently I’m studying on how to create podcasts.

Taz: Okay, Um do you enjoy podcasts?

Andrew : Yeah actually before this class I’ve subscribed to a couple of podcasts um via ITunes, more specifically like National geographic podcasts and movie reviews so uh yeh I’ve been a listener for quite a while.

Taz: Have you been an active, uh member at all? Do you have your podcasts?

Andrew: Uh, no I’ve never actually tried to create my own podcast but uh um uh taking this class wri380 I’m actually going to attempt to do it so it should be interesting.

Taz: Okay Cool! Um I guess tell me, do you know what’s your topic is about?

Andrew: Uh, I have a general Idea that I wana focus in on like films, film culture, um cuz I work at a movie theater and me and a couple of friends um who also work there actually they actually go and watch movies together. We kind of see ourselves as snobbish like film critics, um so I guess you kinda wanna do a round table discussion on films um in general um yeh! I think uh um that’s the basic gist of what I’m gona do. I think we’re gona um narrow it down once we get down to actually doing it.

Taz: Cool! Do you do you like did you watch a lot of uh foreign films or is it just like specific to…

Andrew: Uh yeah we get a lot of forgeign films actually uh but we actually try out like all different genres um cuz to of my buddies actually who also work there um they are actually studying film at york university.

Taz: oh cool!

Andrew : yeah so they’re hardcore into it and um yeh so we’ve we do a lot of viewings we um get a lot of variety of movies um at a movie theatre and so we’re open to different genre’s as well.

Taz: What movie is it that you, Sorry What movie theatre is it that you actually work at?

Andrew: It’s the one at um square one.

Taz: Cineplex?

Andrew: Empire Theatre, Yeah! Everyone thinks that it’s Cineplex but it’s empire theatre. Yeah

Taz: Cuz it used to be Cineplex?

Andrew: Yeah it used to be so there’s actually a huge confusion in uh amongst everyone and everyone gives us their scene cards and we tell them we don’t accept it.

Taz: Oh I always thought they took it!

Andrew: Oh yeah,

Taz: cool…

Andrew: so yeah

Taz: Uhm Do you like is there another reason that you feel connected to this specific um what do you call it uh sorry topic?

Andrew : topic

Taz: yeah

Andrew: Yeah um I don’t know, there’s something about films that um, that’s, That I find really interesting. Uh ever since I was a kid I always tried to create my own little uhm short uh movies with uhm model airplanes and uhm paper planes and all that stuff so uhm yeah I don’t know, ever since I was a kid I always wanted to be some kind of like , uh I diversed into the move culture, So that’s probably why.

Taz: That’s cool, Uhm is there, so the way you’re doing your podcast are you planning on uhm like do you have a specific movie that you’re reviewing ? or is it just talking about you know…

Andrew: Yeah! Uhm we we’re thinking about it and uhm I think the direction we wanted to go into was muhm pick three things from film uhm today that we really hate or despise so my friend was talking about how in Hollywood there’s like rehashes and a lot of uhm there’s a really, there’s uh, There’s a lack of originality in films today. There’s a lot of sequels. And uh there’s a lot of rehashes like 3d films that are coming back, like there’s a lot of Disney films that are being brought back uhm in 3D style. Titanic is coming out in 3D, So

Taz: They’re just not putting the effort…

Andrew: Yeah they’re just not putting the effort and it’s just something that we want to uhm rant on about, uhm so yeah just different things that uhm that we really find uh distasteful about film um in this generation, Yeah we wanted to do a series on that.

Taz: okay just to finish off what’s your favourite movie? And what’s you’re least favourite movie?

Andrew: Uh my favourite movie would probably be uh Kill bill, Which we saw in class today.

Taz: Yup

Andrew: um

Taz: The first or do you have both?

Andrew: The first one! I really hated the second one. I don’t why but therer’s a lot of like uhm opinions on this. But I really liked the first one cuz it’s more fast paced than, definitely more action. I like the second one but it doesn’t hold up to the first one as well.

Taz: Yeh

Andrew: and the least favourite movie, um would probably be uhm

Taz: please say twilight.

Andrew: twilight any of those vampire movies for sure yeah.

Taz: totally! Okay cool! Thank you so much

Andrew: Alright Thank you!