

PERFECT PARTICIPLES & PERFECT GERUNDS

Rewrite the sentences, using perfect participles.

1. After she had passed the university entrance exam, she applied for a degree in economics.
→ Having _____, she applied for a degree in economics.
2. Because he had completed all the required modules, he was allowed to graduate.
→ Having _____, he was allowed to graduate.
3. After the students had attended several career seminars, they felt more confident about their future jobs.
→ Having _____.
4. Since the lecturer had explained the assignment clearly, the students finished it on time.
→ Having _____.
5. After I had gained enough work experience, I decided to pursue a career in education.
→ _____.
6. Because she had earned a professional qualification, she was offered a higher wage.
→ _____.
7. After they had considered several alternatives, they chose vocational training instead of university.
→ _____.
8. Since the graduate had spent years studying and doing research, he quickly found a suitable job.
→ _____.
9. After we had submitted our applications, we waited anxiously for the results.
→ _____.
10. Because he had been well educated and highly qualified, he was promoted to a senior position.
→ _____.

Combine the sentences, using perfect gerunds.

1. She had completed her master's degree with excellent results. She was proud of that.
→ She was proud of _____.
2. He didn't attend the lecture without informing the lecturer. He was criticised for that.
→ He was criticised for _____.
3. They passed the university entrance exam on their first attempt. They were happy about that.
→ They were happy about _____.
4. The organisation restored the ancient temple carefully. It was praised for that.
→ _____.
5. He destroyed historical documents by accident. He was ashamed of that.
→ _____.
6. She helped raise awareness of cultural heritage protection. She was recognised for that.
→ _____.