

# Josué: Immigrant and LGBTQ+ Activist



*"As an immigrant and LGBTQ+ activist, I need to acquire necessary skills to protect myself from being an easy target."*

**Age:** 27

**Work:** Construction worker

**Family:** Single

## Thoughts:

*"We need social media for advocacy and community outreach."*

*"In the current situation of this country, we should be vigilant."*

## Goals:

- Avoid being tracked by the government authority.
- Continue to use social media for advocacy.
- Manage and minimize digital traces.

## Frustrations:

- Josué is an activist advocating for immigrant and LGBTQ+ rights. He has been very active on Twitter and Facebook in criticizing the Trump administration.
- The U.S. government now requires all visa applicants to submit their social media account, emails, and phone numbers. Josué worries about repercussions of his political opinions on his stay in this country.

## Scenarios in the Library:

- Josué wants to organize a workshop teaching like-minded activists to protect themselves online. He asks librarians for help in gathering information about potential tools and techniques.
- *Seeking Librarian Help:* How can one minimize the potential risks of exposing personally identifying information? How to disable sharing of sensitive information, such as location data?

## Personality Traits:

Frequency of Internet Use



Online Risk Awareness



Digital Literacy



## Motivations:

- Online activism

## Technology Use:

- Smartphone
- Tablets