#### Lesson 41

1 PHRASE OF THE DAY

I have been designing...

~をデザインしていました。

# 2 SITUATION

Jiro is continuing his interview with James for a position in the Marketing department. ジローはマーケティング部の採用候補者との面接を続けています。

# 3 **DIALOGUE**

Directions: First repeat after your tutor and then practice each role.

**Jiro**: So, currently working for Sydney Market Corp? For how long?

**James:** I've been working there for just about a year. It's a great company, but unfortunately the position was only temporary, to help them finish a major world-wide marketing campaign, so my position will end in about a month.

**Jiro** : Ah, I see. That answers why you are looking for a new position. So how long have you been working in the Marketing field?

**James:** Well, honestly, I had a few internships while studying in university, a parttime job immediately after I graduated and my current position.

Jiro: That's not so bad considering you've only recently graduated. Ah, I see you enjoy designing web pages. How long have you been designing them?

**James:** My favorite hobby. I've been designing web sites since I was 16 or so. I'm really good with the computer, especially graphic design and office applications. I can type over 40 words per minute.

**Jiro**: That's quite impressive.

#### 4 VOCABULARY

Directions: First repeat after your tutor and then read aloud by yourself.

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### 5 LANGUAGE FOCUS

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#### **Job Interview - Stating Abilities and Qualifications**

Directions: First repeat after your tutor and then read aloud again by yourself.

I've been working in this field for ...

My main responsibilities are to ...

I'm in charge of making sure that ...

Before working here, I worked at...

I've found that one of my strengths is my ability to ...

I sometimes have difficulty with... and I've been working hard to overcome this.

I'd really like to find a position that will allow me to make the most of my experience and qualifications.

# 6 ACTIVITY

Activity 1: Discuss with your tutor skills that are necessary for your position. What are some good and bad qualities that a person might have for your job?

Activity 2: Pretend you are going to apply for the position in the dialogue. Work with your tutor to create some questions. Then think of some details for the topics below to use during your interview.

- graduation date
- job history
- favorite hobby
- reason for leaving current job
- reason for applying for job
- questions to ask the interviewer about the job

#### Hints

incredible 信じられない
appropriate 適切な
unsuitable 不向きな
terrible ひどい
fashionable ファッショナブルな
interesting 面白い
exciting エキサイティングな、心躍る
disappointed 失望する
fascinating 魅惑的な