Dimensions of Type – The Four dimensions of Type have polar opposites:

Extraversion (E) ----- Introversion (I)

Sensing (S) ----- **Intuition (N)**

Thinking (T)----- Feeling (F)

Judging (J) ----- Perceiving (P)

Both are used by everyone, but one is usually preferred and better developed than the other.

Extraversion (E) -----[]----- Introversion (I)

<u>Extraversion</u>: Overall stimulation of thinking is toward the outer world - *people and things* <u>Introversion</u>: Overall stimulation of thinking is toward the inner world - *thoughts and reflections*

Key words for comparison:

Extraversion	Introversion	
Active	Reflective	
Outward	Inward	
Many	Few	
Talk it out	Think it through	

"If you don't know what an <u>extravert</u> is thinking, you haven't been listening. But, if you don't know what an <u>introvert</u> is thinking, you haven't *asked*!"

Extraversion and Introversion in Learning

Extraversion	Introversion		
Good at initiating.	Good at reacting.		
Think out loud and then work alone.	Work alone and then think out loud.		
Learn best with others.	Learn best alone or one-on-one.		
Put learning into action before the idea gets stale.	Need to understand clearly before action.		

Extravert-Introvert Guide to Specialty Choice

- 1. <u>Extraverts</u> will be attracted to fields and specialties with high levels of interpersonal contact and/or which are action oriented.
- 2. <u>Introverts</u> will be attracted to fields and specialties requiring sustained attention, more time in solitary work or one-to-one interactions.
- 3. <u>Introverts</u> also will be found in greater numbers in fields requiring graduate and postgraduate training, and in academic settings.

$Sensing \ (S) \ ----- \ Intuition \ (N)$

<u>Sensing</u>: Gives attention to what is being perceived by way of the five senses

- sight, sound, feel, taste, smell

<u>Intuition</u>: Gives attention to what is being perceived by the imagination

- finds patterns and relationships

Key words for comparison:

Sensing	Intuition
Details	Patterns
Present	Future
Practical	Imaginative

Sequential Random

Thinking (T) ------ Feeling (F)

<u>Thinking</u>: React to new information through logical analysis <u>Feeling</u>: React to new information through personal values

Key words for comparison

"Thinking types need to remember that feelings are also facts that they need to consider, while feeling types need to remember that thinking types have feelings too!"

Thinking-Feeling Guide to Specialty Choice