The Interview

The film, "The Interview" is about a man that has a job interview, but comes across a problem with the interviewer. Alex is a graduate with an accounting degree who is getting ready for an important job interview since he has not got any good responses from his previous ones. More stress came to him when he had an accident with a rude stranger, who he found out was the interviewer and the manager of the company. Since, Patel was not a reasonable man; he on purpose did not give him the job and caped blaming him rather than accepting his apologizes for the small accident. This led more frustration on Alex and made him think about how he is going to tell this bad news to his girlfriend. On his way out, he helps a stranger who has forgotten his wallet and has to pay for the parking ticket. Through their conversation, Alex realise that the man is a manager in an accounting firm and the man offers Alex an interview due to his kindness. We can see many different uses of technique and devices such as character. Through the actions and emotions of Alex we can see that he is stressed for the interviewed, frustrated and angry after the interviewed and how apologetic he felt for the accident. We can see how rude and irrational Patel is against Alex during the interview and on the street when the accident happens, how much Shaoling is kind enough to offer Alex an interview. There is also the use of description, we can describe how the accident had happened, how Alex reacting very calmly and Patel very rudely in the office, and on the street during the accident, and how nervous Alex was through the use of the conservation between him and his girlfriend. The use of dialogue, through dialogues we examine the aggressive tone of Patel against Alex and analyse their situation, and the importance of the interview through the conversation between him and his girlfriend. There is also the use of irony; the rude man that Alex had an accident was the man interviewing him. The use of level of language, tone and mood, with the use of many insults and slangs, and with the tone being loud and aggressive the mood was create to be aggressive, and describes the environment of the situation. The use of setting, through setting we can the location of the events and understand the struggle to find a job for someone in this generation.