



Interviewing 101

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CAN DO FOR YOU



Importance of an Interview

A great resume can get you in the door, but a great interview gets you the job.



Failure to prepare and practice for an interview could cost you that dream job.



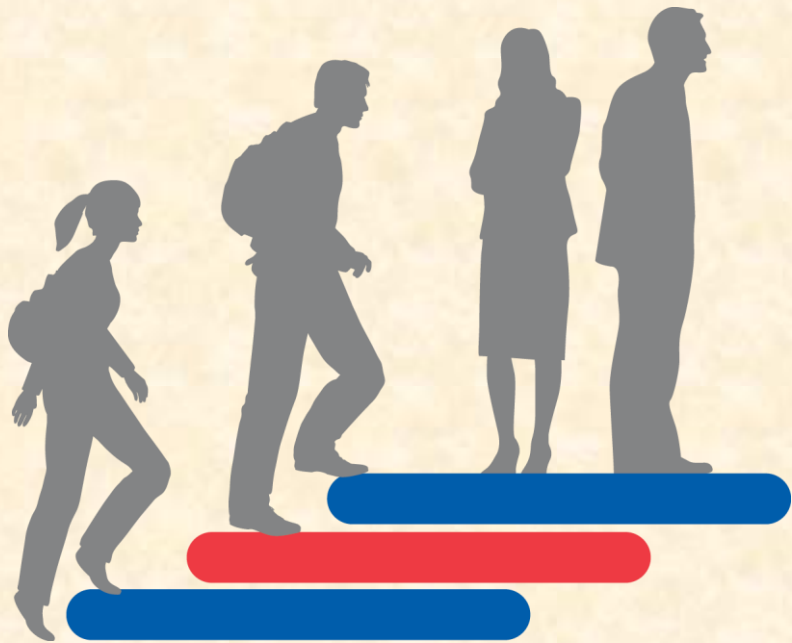
Prepare, Prepare, Prepare!

Interviews are a little like oral exams, you can see them as dreaded ordeals or opportunities to learn more about a position and highlight your strengths for a prospective employer.

Preparing in advance makes it more likely that you will see it as an opportunity



How to Prepare for Your Interview



Practice makes perfect!

- Set up an appointment with [Career Services](#) for [Mock Interviews](#).
- Practice in the mirror or with a friend or family member.
- Make a 30 second “pitch” to describe yourself to employers.
- Use [Interview Stream](#) to practice interviewing and receive helpful tips from professionals.

Beware of Corrupt Interview Questions

Questions that focus on your age, race, gender, disability, religion, marital status are illegal and contradict equal-employment and anti-discrimination laws.



Etiquette is Everything

Show respect when communicating with a future employer.

- After the Interview, thank the interviewers for their time.
- Send thank you letters to thank the interviewers for their consideration and time.



**FOOL-PROOF
THANK YOU NOTES**
IN THREE STEPS

ONE Show appreciation for their time;

TWO Reiterate why you're enthusiastic about their specific organization;

THREE Reiterate the qualities you have that make you the best fit for the role;

