

Internship Interview Prep

Top 10 Interview Questions:

- 1. Tell me about yourself.
- 2. What are your strengths? Weaknesses?
- 3. What interests you about this job/internship?
- 4. Why are you thinking about leaving your job?" Or: "Why did you leave your last job?
- 5. Why would you excel at this job/internship?
- 6. What do you know about our company so far?
- 7. Tell me about a time when ...
- 8. What would you do in your first 90 days in this position? How do you assimilate?
- 9. What's most important to you in a new position?
- 10. What questions do you have for me?

Top 10 Job Interview Mistakes:

- 1. Being ill-prepared.
- 2. Neglecting the details.
- 3. Focusing on job security and not job duties.
- 4. Asking the wrong questions at the wrong time. (Asking about money/ salary/ benefits too soon.)
- 5. Displaying limited emotional intelligence.
- 6. Being elitist.

- 7. Failing to clean up after yourself.
- 8. Being negative. (About your current/ previous jobs or managers, about your environment.)
- 9. Showcasing all-around rudeness.
- 10. Forgetting to send a thank-you note.

Runner's up for top interview mistakes:

- 1. Didn't give a firm handshake.
- 2. Didn't show the least bit of enthusiasm/moxie.
- 3. Didn't have a single question to ask about the job expectations or the company.