

GENERAL PRACTICE INTERVIEW QUESTIONS

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The following is a list of typical questions that you might be asked during a general employment interview. Read through the questions and prepare appropriate answers that reflect your experiences and knowledge. Be sure to include specific examples from "real life" experiences, including internship(s), in your answers. To gain further practice with interviewing, contact the University Career Center to schedule a mock interview.

1. Tell me about yourself.
2. What interests you most about this position/our company?
3. What would you consider to be one of your greatest strengths?
4. Tell me about your short term and long term professional goals.
5. What would you consider to be your greatest weakness?
6. Tell me about a time when you had to deal with a difficult/hostile person.
7. Give me an example of a time when you went above and beyond the call of duty.
8. Describe a time when you worked with a group of people to accomplish a project or a task.
9. Why should we hire you over the other applicants?
10. What questions do you have for me?