- 1. Tell me about your current or last job.
- 2. What are some of the good things and the bad things about this company?
- 3. Why did you choose to work for this company?
- 4. Do you think it was the right decision to have made?
- 5. What attracted you to the industry you work in?
- 6. Tell me about a typical day at work beginning to end.
- 7. What do you like and dislike about your job and why?
- 8. What do you like and dislike about the industry you work in and why?
- 9. What are your long-term professional goals?
- 10. What do you do personally for your professional development?
- 11. As a professional, what do you see as your role within the company?
- 12. Describe a situation where you made a mistake. How did you handle the error?
- 13. Describe an instance, big or small, where you took a different approach in achieving an objective than was the company standard?
- 14. What skills do you think are most important in being successful in your type of role?
- 15. Describe a time your company did not deliver on its product or service and how you responded?
- 16. Describe one or two of the most difficult challenges and/ or rejections you've faced in the past and how you responded?
- 17. How do you move forward from a rejection?
- 18. What would you say would be one of the biggest failures or mistakes you have made? What did you learn from this experience?
- 19. What are some of the challenges you see that are facing this industry?
- 20. How would those with whom you work now describe you and the work you do?
- 21. Describe a time you led a group of people, the primary challenges you faced and how you handled them?
- 22. How would you describe yourself?
- 23. What specific goals, including those related to your career, have you established for your life?
- 24. How has your previous experience prepared you for a career with us?
- 25. Describe the ideal job for you.
- 26. What will it take to attain your goals, and what steps have you taken toward attaining them?
- 27. What do you think it takes to be successful in this career?
- 28. How would you describe yourself in terms of your ability to work as a member of a team?
- 29. What motivates you?
- 30. You think your goals set by your boss are unrealistic. You think they are too high. How would you go about tackling this?
- 31. Do you think things like this are negotiable?
- 32. You are invited to a social function with colleagues and clients. What sort of things should you think about before going?
- 33. A colleague behaves inappropriately. How would you handle the situation?
- 34. You are not happy with a member of the team. They don't take as much time over things that you think they should. How would you handle this?
- 35. You don't agree with something a client / colleague / boss says. How would you handle this?

- 36. Your boss is putting a significant amount of pressure on you. They won't take no for an answer. How would you deal with this?
- 37. How much flexibility do you currently have and are you used to working in this type of environment?
- 38. There seem to be some errors with different practices in the company. How would you go about dealing with a situation like this?
- 39. Try as you might you are unable to reach your goals. What do you do?
- 40. You have seen a colleague behaving inappropriately with someone. What would you do?
- 41. You think you are being set impossible deadlines. How do you go about prioritising the different tasks you have?
- 42. You frequently have conflicting priorities. How do you make sure you don't forget to do something?
- 43. What do you think are the most important skills for someone in your type of role to have and why?
- 44. Tell me if you have these skills and give me examples to show me that you have them?
- 45. Where do you think the boundaries lie between your professional life and your personal life?
- 46. For you, when does the normal working day end?
- 47. You have real problems understanding exactly what a certain client / boss / colleague is saying because of poor communication skills. How would you deal with this situation?
- 48. Why did you decide to seek a position in this company?
- 49. Why should we choose you and not one of the other candidates?
- 50. What can you offer us that they can't?
- 51. What do you know about us?
- 52. Why do you want to work for us?
- 53. What will be the first thing you will do if you get this job?
- 54. Where do you see yourself in five year's time?