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**INTERVIEW ROLE-PLAY ASSIGNMENT**

*DIRECTIONS: Choose a job for which you will likely interview in the near future – it could be a temporary job (food service, etc.) or a career you will pursue. Based on the rhetorical situation (you are the Speaker, the interviewer is the Audience, and you are persuading him/her to accept you for the job), craft your answers to appeal to your audience.*

**RHETORICAL SITUATION**

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| SPEAKER | (you) |
| AUDIENCE | (Describe what you know about this potential employer.) |
| LIKELY APPEAL | CONSIDER: What would most likely appeal to this employer about you? How will you make this clear in your interview? |
| MESSAGE | “Hire me!” |

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| 1. Tell me about yourself.
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| 1. What do you know about our company?
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| 1. Why do you want to work here?
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| 1. What is your greatest strength?
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| 1. What is your greatest weakness?
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| 1. Why are you leaving (or have left) your current job?
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| 1. How do you handle stress and pressure?
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| 1. Describe a difficult work situation / project, and how you overcame it.
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| 1. What are your goals for the future?
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| 1. Why are you the best candidate for this position?
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| 1. How do you handle success?
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| 1. How do you handle failure?
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| 1. Do you work well with other people?
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| 1. What questions do you have for us?
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