## **INTERVIEW NOTES**

(Completed notes from ALL interviewers to be returned to Office of Human Resources at time Hiring Procedure is completed.)

POSITION: DATE: NAME OF INTERV	NAME OF INTERVIEWEE:	
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	Signature	
Search Committee hours, etc.), and be	Chair – Describe the position (work involved, nefits.	
INSERT INTERVIEW	QUESTIONS HERE - Please number	

## **SAMPLE INTERVIEW QUESTIONS**

- 1. You mentioned you enjoyed your last job. What type of people were you working with? What type of supervisor?
- 2. What were the circumstances concerning your leaving? Why are you giving up your job?
- 3. Would you mind expanding on those aspects of your schooling (or job), which you found to be most satisfying?
- 4. What is most important to you about your job? Why?
- 5. Why do you think the College should hire you? What strengths do you bring to this job? Be specific.
- 6. How long have you been planning for this kind of work?
- 7. How did you happen to go to work for them?
- 8. What do you expect from a company that hires you? How can we meet your needs?
- 9. What are two things you wish to avoid in the next job?
- 10. What has accounted for your progress (grades, awards)?
- 11. What will your last (current) supervisor tell us are your three strongest assets and your three weakness?
- 12. How would you describe yourself?
- 13. How does this job fit into our short- and long-range goals?
- 14. How does this job relate to your plans?
- 15. Do you consider yourself a self-starter? Why?
- 16. What assignments don't you like?
- 17. What would you do if your supervisor made a decision that you strongly disagreed with?
- 18. Of all of your jobs, which did you like the best? Why? Least? Why?
- 19. What do you feel are three important traits a supervisor should have? Why?

- 20. How would you describe your previous supervisor? How did you know if you were dong well or made a mistake?
- 21. If you could have made two improvements in your last job, what would they have been? Did you suggest these?
- 22. Are there any reasons why you cannot arrive on time and stay at work all day on a regular basis?
- 23. Describe an experience when you did more than was ordinarily expected.
- 24. Tell us about the two achievements you are most proud of.
- 25. What working environment do you prefer? Why?
- 26. Describe for us the leadership positions that you have held. School? Work? Community?
- 27. What are your unique qualifications for this position?
- 28. What is the role of a community college?
- 29. Tell us how you function in pressure situations where there are several demands competing for your time and attention?
- 30. What levels of confidentiality have been required in your previous jobs? Can you give us a specific example?
- 31. How do you define the term "work ethic"?
- 32. Describe how you work independently and as a team member. Which do you prefer? If you worked as a team member, please tell us what you did as a member of the team and how the team benefited from your actions.
- 33. Tell us how you would deal with upset students, parents, faculty or staff?
- 34. What specific comments would your previous employer(s) offer about your job performance?
- 35. What have you done in a previous job that demonstrates your ability to perform this job?
- 36. Give us some examples of how you have handled customer complaints in the past. Tell us what you did, why you did it, and what resulted from your actions.
- 37. How would you deal with a customer complaint?
- 38. In which area of the position description do you feel most and least qualified?
- 39. In which area of the position description do you most prefer to work?
- 40. What would make you an asset to the position and to the College?
- 41. If you were selected, when would you be available to start?
- 42. Do you have any questions?