## Best Interview Questions Cheat Sheet

Use this cheat sheet during your next interview. Jot down notes or any ideas while interviewing a candidate.

Candidate Name: Department: Date:

|   | What are some obstacles you've faced and how did you overcome them? |
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|   | Key Trait: Perseverance   |
| 2 | Describe when you had to improve a piece of work after feedback.    |
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|   | Key Trait: Resilience   |
| 3 | How have you used data to make a decision?                          |
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|   | Key Trait: Solution-oriented  |

| 4 | What's the background of what you were previously working on<br>and what were your specific tasks?<br>Notes           |
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|   | Key Trait: Context  |
| 5 | <b>How have you made a measurable impact on a role or a project?</b><br>Notes   |
|   | Key Trait: Results  |
| 6 | What organization or business do you think is doing well?<br>Notes  |
|   | Key Trait: General interest and values  |
| 7 | Can you discuss a business that's doing badly? What are its main problems and what would you do to fix them?<br>Notes |
|   | Key Trait: Solution-focused thinking  |

| ) | What's hardest for you when working on a team? Describe a time you worked on a difficult team and how did you respond?<br>Notes |
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|   | Key Trait: Teamwork   |
| ) | Talk about how you collaborated on multiple projects with a short deadline.<br>Notes  |
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|   | Key Trait: Project management   |
| ) | How do you try to be the best you can be?   |
|   | Notes   |
|   | Key Trait: Self-improvement   |
|   | Do you consider yourself lucky?   |
|   | Notes   |
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| ) | How would colleagues describe you?         |
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|   | Notes                                      |
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|   | Key Trait: Strengths & weaknesses          |
| ) | How is this person during the interview?   |
|   | Notes                                      |
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|   | Key Trait: Culture fit and professionalism |
|   | Other questions you may have:              |
|   | Notes                                      |
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|   | Do you have any questions for me?          |
|   | Notes                                      |
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