Interview Questions

* Name a time where you worked against time and how you accomplished your task within the time constraint
* Name a time when you worked in a group and how the project turned out. What was the project about?
* Why did you choose Actuarial Science?
* Where do you see yourself in 5 years?
* What experience do you have as a leader?
* Name a time where you made a mistake or a good choice and what you learned from it
* Take us through your thought process when you have a tough decision. How would you decide the best option?
* Tell me about a time when you had to go above and beyond the call of duty in order to get a job done.
* Tell me about a time when you were faced with conflicting priorities. How did you determine what was a top priority in scheduling your time?
* What was one of the biggest obstacles you’ve had to overcome to get where you are today? (How did you overcome it?)
* Tell me about a situation that proves that people trust you
* Tell me about a situation that demonstrated your reliability
* Tell me about a time where you were in an unfamiliar environment and how you adapted

Interview Tips

* It’s better to be overdressed than underdressed.
* Make eye contact and have great posture. It makes you look much more attentive to sit up in your seat.
* Have a list of 3+ questions before the interview for the interviewer. An interview works both ways: the company wants the best candidate and the candidate wants the right company.
* Ask for a business card at the end of the interview to email a thank you.
* Bring your resume and notepad with pen in a portfolio
* Shake the interviewers hand before and after the interview.
* It’s okay to take a few seconds to respond to a question, but be able to think on your feet.
* Do research on the company before you interview. (Ex: Consulting vs. Insurance work, location, Health insurance? Pensions? Casualty)
* **PRACTICE!**
* It’s okay to be nervous. Be yourself.