# **3 Day Job Interview Prep** abby violet

#### Day 1: Practice Questions

- 1. Research & write out answers to popular interview questions
- 2. Practice using the STAR method

#### Day 2: Research

- 1. Research organization/company mission, goals, achievements
- 2. Research interviewers
- 3. Review job posting for qualifications and responsibilities

#### Day 3: Final Review

- 1. Review questions & answers, go over them out loud by yourself or with a friend
- 2. Review research about organization/company
- 3. Come up with questions to ask during interview

## **Popular Interview Questions**

- Tell me about yourself.
- What are your strengths and weaknesses?
- Why should we hire you?
- Why are you interested in the position?
- Tell me about a time you failed.
- What would you consider your greatest accomplishment?
- What are your short and long-term career goals?
- How do you motivate yourself?
- What are your hobbies?
- How do you deal with stress?
- Tell me about a situation where you showed initiative.
- Tell me about a time you assumed a leadership role.
- Tell me about a group in which you were involved. How did you contribute to make this group achieve a goal?

- Tell me about a recent problem you faced and how you handled it.
- Tell me about a mistake you made and how you handled it.
- Tell me about a time you were confronted by a fellow student, co-worker, or customer. How did you handle it to resolve the conflict?
- How do you adapt to new situations?
- Do you feel you work well under pressure?
- How do you define success?
- Why did you choose your major?
- What coursework prepared you for this position?
- How would previous professors/managers/supervisors describe you?
- Tell me about some recent goals and how you achieved them.

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