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PRACTICE AT HOME WITH THE SAME INTERVIEW QUESTIONS IN THE MOCK INTERVIEW VIDEO



YOU WILL BE APPLYING FOR AN INTERNSHIP WITH COMPANY ACE BUILD, INC.

ACE Design Build, Inc.

ACE Design Build, Inc. operates in the Continental US and Canada. ACE Design Build, Inc. provides design/build, general contracting, and construction services for industrial, public, and commercial projects. The family-owned company offers complete project management services, from demolition and planning to general contracting and finance. The company is involved in the construction of highways, water treatment facilities, airports, hotels, convention centers, correctional facilities, and commercial, industrial, and residential buildings. Walsh operates out of roughly 20 offices in North America. The company was founded in 1994 by Charles H. Thornton, PH.D., P.E., Hon. AIA, Hon. ASCE.

Current ACE Design Build Project: Orion Space Craft and Hanger Bay

MOCK QUESTIONS:

- 1. How did you spend your time during the COVID-19 crisis? Any new hobbies you've picked up? (Hint: Interviewers almost always start off with questions to break the ice, know yourself and be ready to elaborate with passion)
- 2. What is the most exciting part of your day at school (besides the last bell, haha)? (Hint: What motivates you the most; another often used phrase is "Tell us about yourself?)
- 3. Do you participate in any extracurricular activities and/or student organizations? What has your role been and what have you taken away from those experiences? (Hint: Are you a leader, or do you prefer being a worker bee, are you excited to take on challenges?)
- 4. How do you feel about group projects at school? What is challenging or enjoyable about group-based projects? (Hint: How do you work with others, are you a good fit for our office culture?)



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- 5. Do you have mentors or folks that you look up to? Who are they and why do you admire them? (Hint: Do you reach out to others for help, are you resourceful?)
- 6. What is the last thing you sought out knowledge about that wasn't for school? (Hint: Do you take extra initiative for self-improvement, are you self-motivated?)
- 7. Do you have any questions about our firm or our work? (Hint: Why do you want to work with us?)
- 8. What types of software have you utilized and in what capacity? (Hint: What foundational skills do you have that we can build upon?)
- 9. What has been your biggest life challenge been and how did you handle it? (Hint: Are you eager and capable to take on difficult obstacles?)
- 10. What do you want out of this internship? (Hint: What are your career aspirations, have you set out future goals for yourself?)
- 11. Ask your interviewer to come up with their own question without preparing for the question.

PLEASE NOTE:

There will be questions in interviews that you might not have prepared for specifically. See if you can respond tactfully.

GOOD LUCK!