

INTERVIEW STREAM

Interview Stream is useful for:

- Differentiating between types of interview questions
- Preparing for interviews by practicing common questions
- Reviewing your own responses to specific questions and your nonverbal mannerisms

Directions:

1. Review common interview questions and tips for answering them on our website: <http://www.careers.vcu.edu/undergraduates/job/questions/>
2. Write down your examples or practice with a friend.
3. Practice Interviewing with InterviewStream: <http://vcu.interviewstream.com> It's a website with a pre-recorded interviewer who asks you questions and a webcam records your answers.
 - a. After creating a login, you will be sent to the Dashboard. You have the option to Conduct, Watch, Mobile, and view Resources.
 - b. For the first time user, select Conduct an Interview. Select the question set called "Created for Me". You can choose my Presentation Practice, General Interview, Graduate School Interview, or Two Minute VCU Career Services Pitch.
 - c. Select the question set that is best for you. Then, begin the process of verifying your sound card and webcam.
4. While you are in the interview, you will have three options with each question: 1) Accept the answer and move to the next questions, 2) Watch your answer in playback, and 3) Re-record your answer.
5. Reflect on the questions below when you are finished with your interview.

NOTE: If you do not have a webcam, but you have a smart phone, use the Mobile Interview Option to start your practice.

Things to Think About:

- What did you learn about your interviewing tendencies in this process?
- What are you expressing with your nonverbal mannerisms?
- Are there any questions that were surprising?
- Which questions were easy for you to answer? Which questions were difficult for you to answer?

If you would like to talk to someone about this activity or need additional resources, **Career Services** is available to all students! Check out our website to make an appointment or to see upcoming events and workshops: <http://www.careers.vcu.edu>