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PwC School Leaver Skills Sessions

2014

Skills Sessions for School Leavers

Commercial Awareness

This session has been designed to help students develop their commercial awareness and how to utilise that awareness to improve their employability. The session includes two interactive group exercises.

- 2 hours

Employability Skills

This session aims to help students to develop an understanding of employability skills, and how they are already or could be developing them every day. It will help them identify situations where they may have developed or demonstrated employability skills, be it through academic studies, extracurricular hobbies or sporting achievements.

- 1.5 hours

Interview Skills

This session will help students to prepare appropriate competency based examples for interviews and understand what interviewers are looking for in a strong candidate. There will then be an opportunity to practise their interview skills in groups.

- 1.5 hours

Personal Brand

This session will cover the importance of first impressions and personal impact ,as well as looking at how personal brand can help to improve presentation skills. This session will also explain the importance of networking ,and how first impressions impact on the recruitment process.

- 1.5 hours

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Interviews, Applications & Online Testing

This session will help candidates to prepare for competency based interviews , and they'll be given the opportunity to practice these skills. Candidates will also learn more about psychometric testing and we'll discuss the 'do's and don'ts' before submitting an online application

- **2 hours**

Business Game

This exercise has been designed to simulate the type of group assessment which students might experience as part of a recruitment process. Since the exercise simulates students taking on the role of a 'business advisor', we would recommend this session is run in conjunction with the 'Who Are PwC?' skills session.

- **2 hours**

Careers Information Day (PwC Internal Event)

For those in year 12 or 13, students are able spend a day in one of our offices, learning the valuable skills that will help them with each stage of our recruitment process at PwC. People who've attended one of our Career information days tell us it's a brilliant opportunity to get that all-important first insight into our business, and develop the skills needed to succeed.

Students will need to apply online in order to reserve their place at one of these events.

- **5 hours**