## JOB HUNTING





Know your best skills

Know the desired fields

Ask people who have those jobs



## WHAT DO I NEED TO KNOW ABOUT MYSELF TO JOB HUNT?

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What about myself



What do you have to offer?

To job hunt



Are those needed?



# WHAT DO I NEED TO KNOW ABOUT COMPANIES THAT MIGHT HIRE ME?

### Name and address of the person who should receive the letter



#### Four to five useful facts

Market share Competitive position Recent products, services or promotion Challenges Corporate culture



#### Some useful websites





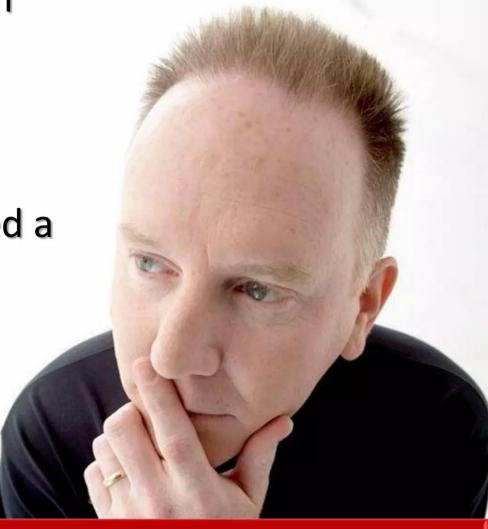
- www.asia-net.com
- www.carrerbuilder.com
- www.rileyguide.com
- www.vault.com
- www.jobstar.org

# SHOULD I DO INFORMATION INTERVIEWS?

 What are you working on right now?

 How do you spend your typical day?

 Have your duties changed a lot since you started working?



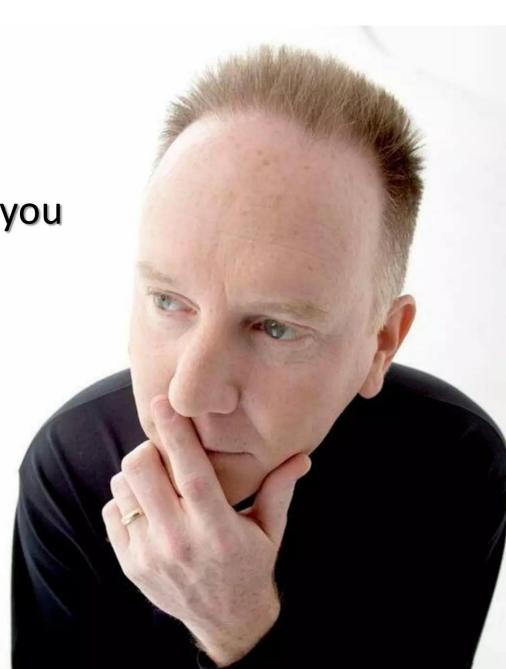
To give you a clearer picture of how the actual work will be laid out

 What do you like best about your job?

What do you like least?

What kind of future do you

think this job holds?



# WHAT IS THE HIDDEN JOB MARKET?





## ASK HIM/HER TO REVIEW YOUR RESUME



# WHAT SHOULD I DO IF I HAVE MAJOR WHAT SHOULD I DO IF I HAVE MAJOR

#### "ALL MY EXPERIENCE IS IN MY FAMILY BUSINESS"





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#### Skills

#### **Platforms**

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#### Computer software

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#### References

References upon request.

Simply list the name of the company you worked for

Do not put your family member as a reference

### "I WAS FIRED"



#### PREPARE YOURSELF EMOTIONALLY FIRST





## SHOW THAT YOU'VE LEARNED YOUR LESSON

- Improved work habit
- Better understanding of industry

### "I HAVE NO EXPERIENCE"





Take a fast food job—and keep it for a while

### Do volunteer work

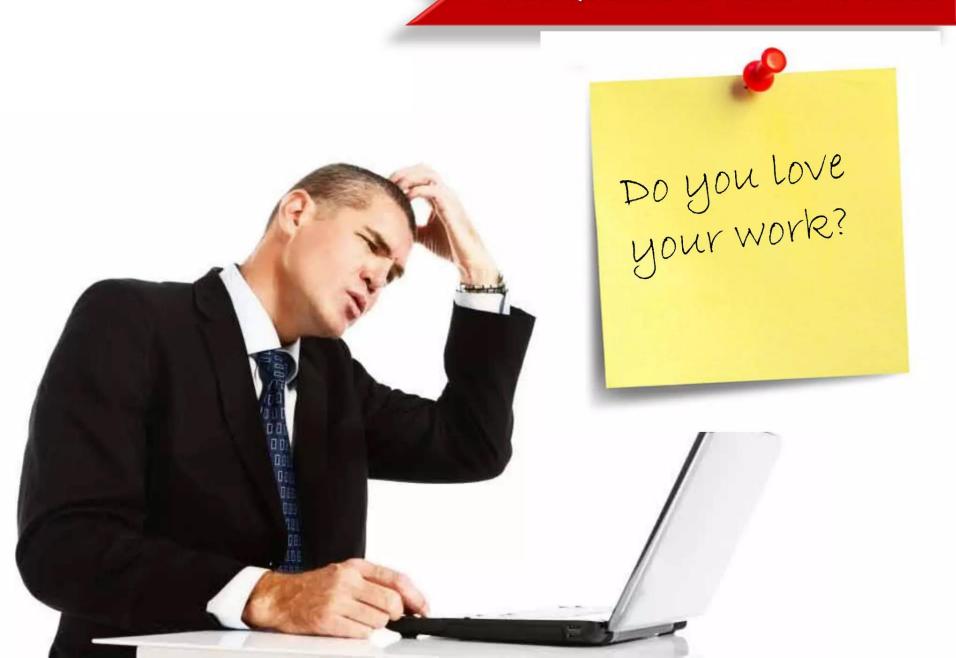


Use your skills!



## HOW DO I KNOW IT'S TIME TO LEAVE?

#### THREE QUESTIONS TO ASK YOURSELF





Have you been promoted in the last 2 years?



Is the company doing well?



#### WATCH OUT FOR THESE TELLTALE SIGNS

You have a lot in your mind—just not work

Things change, not to your advantage

Your boss takes you for granted

Your mood swings, you feel awful all the time