

# Topic 17. Job Interviews



# Job Interview Preparations



# What's the best way to pass job interviews?



# How to Answer Tough Common Interview Questions?



# What is your strength?

This is a question commonly asked in most interviews. You need to speak of your best quality or ability. Make sure you select a quality that is useful in the field you have chosen. For instance, if you are appearing for a job in programming, boasting about your creativity is not going to help you. You also need to ensure that you select a strength that does not alter with time.





# Why did you choose this field?

The interviewers actually wish to hear what qualifies you for the field you have chosen. When they ask you this question, you need to explain to them your special inclination for the field you have selected. You need to enumerate your skills and abilities that make you ideal for the field.



# Where do you see yourself in 5 years?

Employers seek candidates who have a vision for themselves. In any profession there are many different stages of growth. You need to set the highest achievable position as your goal. You must be able to tell the interviewers that you wish to hold a particular senior position at the end of 5 years.




# What is your salary expectation and why?

It can be easy for an experienced candidate to set a salary expectation based on the last drawn salary. In case of freshers, it can be difficult to choose a salary expectation. You may be asked to justify your expectation. You need to be well prepared to tackle this question wisely.





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**Background**

 **Summary**

Over 15 years of experience in different IT technologies including consulting, training, pre-sales support, design and implementation of informational systems, mission-critical applications, platform integration

Specialties: Architecture of enterprise systems, software outsourcing, offshore software development





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## Experience

**CSO**  
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**Director of Quality Management**  
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June 2015 – November 2015 (6 months)

**Head of Business Analysis Office**

Eleks Software Ltd

May 2012 – November 2015 (3 years 7 months)

Responsibilities:

- Establishment and management of Business Analysis Office
- Development, implementation and maintenance of BA policies and standards, competency matrix and related documents
- Organization of the ongoing knowledge sharing, education, and business analysts' trainings
- Improvement of business processes
- Consulting of engagement, sales and marketing teams regarding technical expertise and scope of proposed solutions
- Design of initial customer solutions
- Ensuring a successful project start
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**Max Prots**

Sales Executive, Buisness Development Manager

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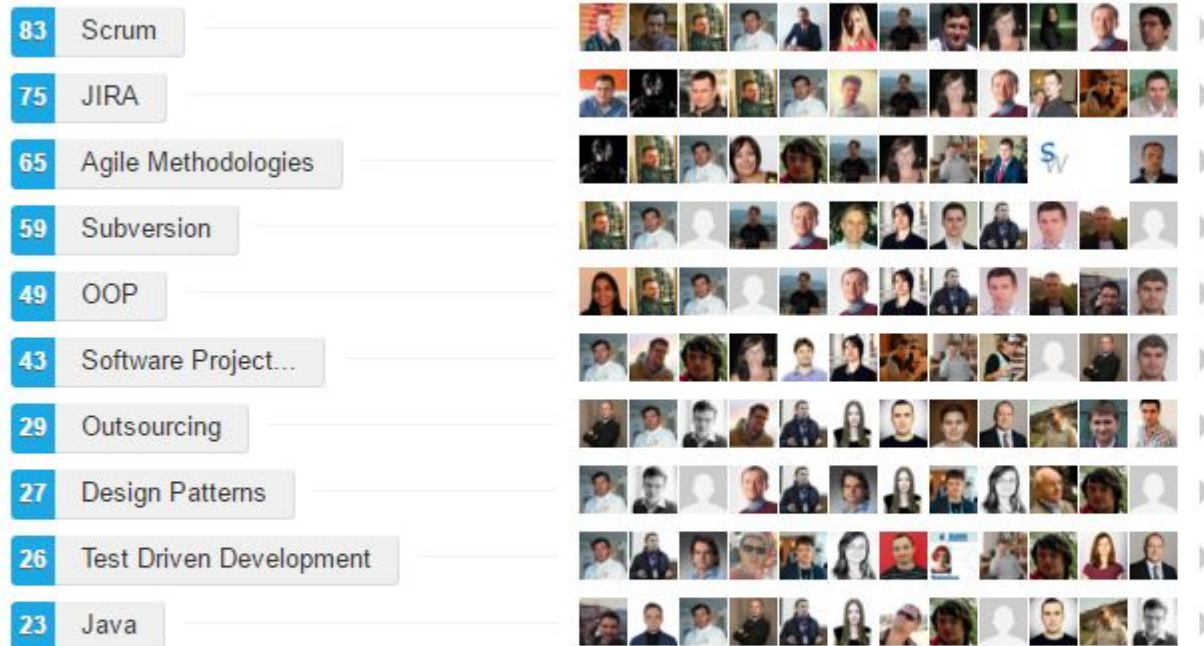
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## Skills

### Top Skills



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## CURRICULUM VITAE

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### Education

- 2005 – till today Academy of Science and Technology in Kraków, Electronics and Telecommunications (EiT) on Electronics Automatics Informatics and Electrotechnics (EAlIE) - stationary studies
- 2002 - 2005 Comprehensive School nr XII in Kraków - extended Mathematic, Physics, Informatics and English.

### Employment experience

- 2008 – till today KrakBell-Telekom – network administrator, company website developer
- 2007 Apprenticeship in Carey Agri International Poland Sp. z o.o. (CEDC group) in Krakow, position – Network junior administrator and computer service technician – 2 months.
- 2007 – till today Cisco Certified Network Associate course (CISCO CCNA)

### Languages

- Polish – native
- English good in writing and speaking (studies partially in english)
- German - basic

### Additional abilities and qualities

- Service, upgrading and optimization of computers (software and hardware)
- Operating systems: Windows NT/XP/2003/Vista, UNIX (administrative layer)
- Networks: LAN, WLAN TCP/IP technology, Cisco and other devices
- Highly known MS Office software (Word, Excel, PowerPoint)
- Fundamental knowledge about web programming language – PHP, SQL and WWW - HTML, CSS
- Driving license and own car

### Hobbies

- Science and technology, PC tuning
- Skiing, Table tennis, Dancing, Music

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- Education
- Employment Experience
- Languages
- Additional Abilities & Qualities
- Hobbies