

Interview for Success

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Company representatives will be interviewing candidates for very limited positions. What will make you stand out above the crowd? Your resume gets you “in-the-door” but not past the “next door”. Often very well intentioned students with excellent grade point averages (and even internship experience) do very poorly in an interview! Although many students know what companies are looking for, there are nuances in how you describe your accomplishments and your future aspirations.

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Taylor first premiered the 60-minute “Interview for Success” presentation for the SWE 2009 National Conference – and has presented it at successive conference for 2010 and 2011. Taylor is a project application engineer for Solar Turbines, a Caterpillar Company. Prior experience includes working as a project engineer, Six Sigma Master Black Belt, product cost manager and design engineer. Taylor has interviewed thousands of students at campuses and fairs. She makes decisions on inviting or declining students for further progress and is eager to help students with their career pursuits. She has interviewed students for two large corporations, General Electric and Caterpillar.