

Archivist Interview Questions

1. Share an experience when you applied new technology or information in your job. How did it help your company?

2. Share an experience in which you successfully assisted a user in finding archival materials.

3. Provide an example of when you set expectations and monitored the performance of subordinates. What guidance and direction did you find most effective?

4. Provide an example of a time when you successfully organized a diverse group of people to accomplish a task.

5. What is the key to success when communicating with the public.

6. Share an experience you had in dealing with a difficult person and how you handled the situation.

7. Share an experience in which you successfully shared a difficult piece of information. (Make sure that the candidate has open lines of communication.)

8. Tell me about a recent experience you've had working with your hands.

9. Tell me how you organize, plan, and prioritize your work.

10. What are some long-range objectives that you developed in your last job? What did you do to achieve them?