

## Department Of Sociology Chair Interview Questions

1. Please share an experience in which you successfully taught a difficult principle or concept. How were you able to be successful?

2. Provide an effective method you have used to initiate and facilitate classroom discussions. Share an experience.

3. Provide an example of a time when you were able to demonstrate excellent listening skills. What was the situation and outcome?

4. Please share with me an example of how you helped coach or mentor someone. What improvements did you see in the person's knowledge or skills?

5. Describe an experience in which you identified the educational needs of your students and successfully developed a way to teach/train them.

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 how you organize, plan, and prioritize your work.

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

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