

Labor Market Interview – 10 Specific Questions

All questions are required for the interviewee to answer. It is recommended that you refresh your memory on the concepts covered in this unit before interviewing.

The length of the video should be from 5 to 10 minutes in length only.

Location and Job Context (2 Questions)

1. What is your name, job title, and can you describe the main responsibilities in your role? (They **DO NOT** have to say their employer information)
2. Where are you currently employed? Please provide the country, state, and city of your workplace.

Labor Market Conditions and Job Availability (3 Questions)

3. What do you think about the **job market** in your field? Is it growing, stable, or shrinking? If they don't know, have them take a guess. They can base this off of feeling.
4. How has the **job market** changed over the years?
5. How have **remote work**, **automation**, or other technological changes (e.g., COVID-19) influenced the availability of jobs in your industry?

Unions, Wages, and Working Conditions (3 Questions)

6. Are you currently part of a **union** or have you been in the past? **Whether the respondent answers yes or know ask:** How do you feel **unions** have impacted wages or working conditions in your field?
7. How would you describe the **wages** in your industry or job role? Do you think they are fair for the work being done?
8. Do you feel that **workplace safety** and **employee well-being** are prioritized in your industry?

Economic Systems and Financial Outlook (2 Questions)

9. How do **economic policies** (e.g., **minimum wage laws**, **tax policies including income taxes, tax cuts, etc.**) impact your job or industry? Are there any policies you feel are especially important? **(Recommended: Look up other related policies to make sure your interviewee responds to this question; There are more economic policies covered in this Unit!)**
10. How do you think **financial market stability, instability** and **investments** (e.g., retirement plans, stock investments, 401K) impact your industry?