Technical interviews test your knowledge of IS. Below is a list of questions candidates have been asked in recent years. Many of these questions are like a verbal quiz about information systems. Others are more like miniature cases based on real situations in IS.

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**SAMPLE QUESTIONS**

- How has your education at Carey prepared you for your career?
- What assignment was too difficult for you, and how did you resolve the issue?
- Why do you want to work at our company? Why Information Systems?
- Why are you the best candidate for us?
- Do you use a standard methodology for managing a team or project?
- What are the phases of software development life cycle?
- We use the following technologies at our place... Explain your experience with working on these.
- Here are a list of names and personal info in a dataset. You have ten minutes to create something interesting that will show us your analytic skills.
- How do you stay up to date on the latest technologies?
- Tell me about a time where you had to teach something to someone who was a lot less inexperienced than you at that topic.
- What do you do when your schedule is suddenly interrupted? Give an example.
- How well do you document your work, so that someone else could easily pick up where you left off without having to consult you?
- How are companies being successful using social media?
- How is data analytics changing business?
- What are key elements of a company’s cloud strategy?

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