

Let the AI interview you

The agent often already knows what it is missing. One question draws it out. Answer the questions briefly, and only let it work afterwards.

THE PROMPT

USE IT WORD FOR WORD

Before you work for me, interview me.

Ask me what you still need from me so that, based on what you already know about me and my goals, you can help me faster.

Ask one question at a time and wait for my answer each time.

Note every answer in one sentence before you ask the next question.

When you have enough, say so and ask: what task can I take on for you right now that brings you closer to your goal?

FIVE QUESTIONS FROM THE INTERVIEW

- 01 Which of your projects really come in which order?
- 02 What of it can somebody else take on, and what only you?
- 03 How will you know in four weeks that it went well?
- 04 Which sources may I read so that I have to ask less?
- 05 What have you already tried, and where did it fail?

THE RUN IN FOUR STEPS

01 Give context

Dump everything about you, your work and your goals into the agent, a brain dump without form.

02 Get interviewed

One question at a time. Answer briefly, decorate nothing.

03 Keep the answers

Every answer goes into your Second Brain before the next question comes.

04 Let it work

Only then the second question: what task can you take on for me right now?

YOUR ANSWERS, ONE SENTENCE EACH

Afterwards they go into your Second Brain

MARGIN NOTE

Without existing context the question does little. The more the agent already knows about you, from emails, notes or earlier conversations, the sharper its questions get.

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