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angielski w pracy dla średnio zaawansowanych

Business English Express

Conversation two “Job interview”

(C-Chief Executive; M-Mr Makowski)

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Listen.

- C - ...Now let me ask you a question we ask all our candidates. Why do you want this job?
- M - Well, I've done research about various organisations and I learnt that you are a company that really values flexibility and innovation. I also like the idea of managing more people, a role for which I'm really ready.
- C - Tell me about yourself.
- M - Is there any particular information you'd like me to discuss?
- C - What are your qualifications?
- M - Well, I hold a Bachelor's Degree in Marketing. I had ten years of sales experience with Siemens in Warsaw. I was promoted in 2000 and I've worked as the Head of the Sales Department since then. I enclosed a detailed track record with my CV.
- C - And what's your greatest strength? What do you think you're good at?
- M - Greatest strength? I'm efficient, and I know how to get things done.
- C - Uh huh. And how do you work under pressure?
- M - Quite well, I'd say. Although I usually try to avoid getting into 11th hour situations.
- C - Mm, interesting! And a final question. What are your salary requirements?
- M - Well, based on my track record and qualifications, what would be the salary range for the position?
- C - I'm sure we can negotiate a compromise on that.
- M - I'm sure we can.
- C - Do you have any questions?
- M - What are the employment conditions?
- C - We have a 40-hour working week. You get a basic salary plus a performance-based bonus...
- M - And what is the benefits package?
- C - We offer medical benefits, employee catering, company social activities fund, a company car and some additional professional insurance.
- M - I understand. Thank you very much.
- C - Thank you for coming. You'll be hearing from us soon.

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GLOSSARY

value flexibility and innovation – cenić elastyczność i nowatorstwo

I like the idea of managing more people. – Lubię kierować większym zespołem.

to hold a degree – posiadać stopień naukowy

to have ten years of sales experience in Siemens premises – mieć dziesięcioletnie doświadczenie handlowe w oddziale Siemens'a

to be promoted – zostać awansowanym

to work as the Head of the Sales Department – pracować jako kierownik działu sprzedaży

to enclose a detailed track record with the CV – załączyć szczegółowy opis swoich osiągnięć wraz z życiorysem

to be efficient – być wydajnym i zorganizowanym

I know how to get things done. – Wiem jak doprowadzić sprawy do końca.

to work under pressure – pracować pod presją

to avoid getting into 11th hour situations – unikać sytuacji "za pięć dwunasta"

salary requirements – wymagania płacowe

based on my track record and qualifications – biorąc pod uwagę moje osiągnięcia i kwalifikacje

the salary range for the position – przedział płacowy na stanowisku...

to negotiate a compromise on something – wynegocjować kompromis

the employment conditions – warunki pracy

40-hour working week – 40-godzinny tydzień pracy

to get a basic salary – otrzymać pensję podstawową

performance-based bonus – premia zależna od wyników pracy

the benefits package – pakiet socjalny

medical benefits – opieka medyczna

employee catering – baza gastronomiczna

company social activities fund – fundusz socjalny

additional professional insurance – dodatkowe ubezpieczenia biznesowe

