### *INTERVIEW QUESTIONS*

While each interview will be different, you can prepare effectively by asking yourself each of the following questions and thinking through how you would respond. These are general questions, potentially asked for any type of position.

#### Questions to Expect

Education-oriented Questions:

* Why did you return to school?
* What made you choose Kenan-Flagler?
* What was your undergraduate experience like? Your major? Your GPA?
* Are your grades a good indication of your academic achievement or ability?
* How has your degree prepared you for a career in (function)?
* What are the most important experiences you had outside the classroom?
* General questions regarding leadership and extracurricular participation.

Goal-related Questions:

* What are your long- and short-range goals?
* How did you decide on these goals, and how will your career enhance your ability to reach them?
* What do you want to get out of your summer internship?
* What is most important to you?
* Where do you see yourself in five years?
* How much do you expect to be earning in five years?
* What would you do if money were not an issue?
* Why did you choose the career for which you are preparing?

Company-related Questions:

* Do you have a geographic preference? Why?
* If you wanted to be in (N.Y., Calif., etc.), why did you pick Kenan-Flagler?
* Will you relocate? Are you willing to travel?
* How do you feel about being a trainee given your previous levels of responsibility?
* Why did you pick our company?
* What is our parent company?
* What do you know about us? How would you describe us to outsiders?
* What type of organization fits your style and why?
* What do you think it takes to be successful in our company?
* What level of contribution could you make to our company?
* What do you see as the greatest challenges in our industry?
* How might you overcome them?
* Why should I hire you versus another candidate?

Character-related Questions:

* What do you consider to be your greatest strengths and weaknesses?
* How would you describe yourself?
* How do you think your peers/professors would describe you?
* What excites and/or motivates you?
* Describe your role within a group.
* Describe your Kenan-Flagler study group.
* How do you determine and evaluate success?
* What accomplishments have given you the greatest satisfaction?
* How do you manage your time?
* What major problems have you encountered? How did you handle them?
* What attributes make you believe you will be successful in business?
* How do you deal with criticism?

Others:

* What can you offer us?
* Given your youth, how will you handle managing people older than you?
* Give an example of a leadership experience (make this relevant to the position).
* What type of outside activities do you enjoy? Why?
* What is the biggest risk you’ve ever taken?
* Describe yourself in three words.
* Describe a situation in which you failed and what did you learn from it?
* What was your greatest frustration in your last job?
* Who would you say has been your most important role model? Why?