



Hey there techie 🙌

We've all had our fair share of interview bloopers, but some recent tales of interview fails have got us chuckling and cringing at the same time.

It's time for a little friendly reminder to avoid these entertaining yet awkward moments when you're in the hot seat.

The Funeral Phone Fumble:

We can't make this stuff up, folks. One candidate took a call during a funeral and calmly said "It's almost over, I'm with family", while church bells ringing in the background.

Let's all agree to establish a universal "I'm at a funeral, talk later" signal – it could save you from an interview-gone-wrong.

Surprise Nudity on Video Call:

Imagine you're on a video call with a candidate, everything's going smoothly, and then...BAM! The candidate's father makes an *au naturel* appearance.

It might have been hilarious, but trust us, you don't want this to happen to you. Make sure your surroundings are interview-appropriate!

When Life Throws a Wedding Party:

Missing an interview is one thing, but sending pictures from a wedding, shades on and grooving to the music is quite another.

Remember, when life throws you a wedding party, don't invite your interviewer! Keep things professional and reschedule.

Horror Show Background:

Internet failure can strike at the worst times. One candidate had to change locations during an interview and ended up with a background that looked like it was from a horror movie.

Unintentional laughter delay included. Keep the interview vibe light and professional, not spooky!

The Swollen Eye Excuse:

It's not every day you receive pictures of a candidate's alarmingly swollen eye as an excuse for not attending an interview.

While it might make for a memorable story, clear communication and rescheduling are usually more effective.

Remember, folks, interviews can be nerve-wracking, but with a little preparation and some common sense, you can avoid these cringe-worthy moments.

Keep it professional, keep it cool, and most importantly, keep it IT!

Stay awesome,



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Master the 3 questions you will always get in your first round

What sounds like an existential question, is actually the recruiter wanting to know if your experiences and skills align with the role. The common mistake here is to give a step by step walkthrough of all the experiences on your resume, which they already have!

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