Hand Out of potential questions Students could ask Alumni

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| QUESTIONS ABOUT ALUMNI’S JOBS/ROLE | QUESTIONS ABOUT GETTING INTO THE WORLD OF WORK |
| Can you tell me some of the things you do on a typical day? | Are there particular skills or attributes I should develop to increase my chances of success? |
| What aspects of this work are the most satisfying? | What background or experience is required or helpful?  |
| What aspects of the work do people sometimes dislike? | Do you have any suggestions for where I might find work experience opportunities or perhaps short-term projects in XYZ?  |
| Are there any particular qualities or accomplishments which distinguish those who are promoted from those who are not? | What sort of selection processes do employers tend to use? |
| What is the future of this field in terms of new and expanding opportunities? | Could you suggest any websites, books, articles or professional associations that would be helpful in providing information about this work? |
| What are the major challenges or problems that your organisation is facing and would like solutions for? | Are there any other organisations or people in this field to whom you would suggest I might talk? |