HOBBY

- 1. What song are you currently playing on repeat?
- 2. Of all the places you've traveled, where was your favorite?
- 3. If you could volunteer for one organization, which would it be?
- 4. What are you reading right now?
- 5. What are your two favorite stress-relieving strategies?
- 6. Do you practice any sports?
- 7. If you could take a year off from work, what would you do?
- 8. Can you play any instruments?
- 9. If today was a holiday, would you rather spend your time hiking or reading?
- 10. What's your favorite board game?
- 11. Describe your perfect weekend.
- 12. Is there a hobby that you want to start, but don't have enough time for?
- 13. What's your favorite restaurant in your city? What's your go-to order?
- 14. Name one task or activity people usually hate doing that you actually enjoy.
- 15. If your pets could talk, what's the first thing they would say to you?
- 16. What's your favorite part about living in your city?
- 17. What's something (food or activity) that you tried reluctantly & turns out you like?
- 18. What three images would be on your vision board?
- 19. What are you currently watching on any of the streaming services out there?
- 20. What's your coffee/tea order?
- 21. What skill do you have that you wish others took more of an interest in learning about?

PERSONAL

- 1. What's the bravest thing you've ever done?
- 2. What's an interesting fact about you that nobody in this room knows?
- 3. What part of your daily routine do you most look forward to?
- 4. What are three positive words that people often use to describe you?
- 5. What are you most proud of accomplishing in this role so far?
- 6. Are you a dog or a cat person?
- 7. What's your most used emoji?
- 8. What's a recent situation you wish you handled differently?
- 9. What's your best recipe?
- 10. How has the pandemic shaped your outlook on a traditional 9-5 job?
- 11. What's one thing we could change at work that would improve your personal life?
- 12. Which celebrity do people say you look most like?
- 13. What's something your 10-year-old self would never believe about you today?
- 14. What's the biggest challenge when working remotely?
- 15. What's the most sentimental or valuable item on your desk?
- 16. What's your most unusual workday habit?
- 17. What's the best part about working remotely?
- 18. Has your view on work/life balance changed in the past year?
- 19. Is your role what you expected when you first accepted it?
- 20. What's your go-to lunch order that everyone knows you for?
- 21. Do you prefer to receive recognition publicly or privately?
- 22. What's your go-to work-from-home outfit?
- 23. What's something we'd be surprised to know that lives in your home office?

PERSONAL

- 24. What's the most sentimental gift you've ever received?
- 25. What story do you wish you had the occasion to tell more often?
- 26. What's the most valuable lesson you've learned from your past role?
- 27. What's your most favorite quote?
- 28. When do you wish you had asked for help sooner?
- 29. What's your work from home morning routine?
- 30. What's the best piece of advice you've been given?

FUTURE

- 1. What aspects of your current role most align with where you see yourself in five years?
- 2. What's something you want to do in the next year that you've never done before?
- 3. What do you wish you could spend more time on both inside & outside the office?
- 4. What's one non-work-related goal that you would like to achieve in the next five years?
- 5. What does your ideal day look like at age 65?
- 6. What's one thing you look forward to doing when you retire?
- 7. What's the first task you want to tackle tomorrow?
- 8. If today was New Year's Eve, what's one of your resolutions?
- 9. How does success look for you in the next three months within your role?
- 10. Would you rather live one week in the past or future?
- 11. In 10 years from now, what will you miss the most about your present life?
- 12. What question would you like to ask a time traveler from 200 years in the future?
- 13. What's the most realistic hope for the future?
- 14. If you had to relive one day over and over; what day would you choose?
- 15. If a genie offered to tell you everything about your future, would you accept?
- 16. If NASA asked you to live on Mars to start a colony, would you go?
- 17. What are you most looking forward to in the next year?
- 18. What do you hope to be doing professionally 10 years from now?
- 19. What's one thing you hope to accomplish in the next five years?

EDUCATION

- 1. In what areas of your role would you like more support or coaching?
- 2. Did your education prepare you for the most common daily tasks that your role requires?
- 3. What surprisingly useful information have you learned through social media?
- 4. What additional training or education would you like to pursue while in this role?
- 5. What was your very first job after graduating?
- 6. What have you most recently learned either at or outside of work?
- 7. Do you ever miss going to school?
- 8. If you could go back & repeat your college years, what would you do differently?
- 9. What's the one thing that should be taught in school but isn't?
- 10. Did you study a foreign language in school?
- 11. Did you study abroad or would you have liked to and where?
- 12. Would you rather have a Ph.D. in an Arts program or a Bachelor of Engineering?
- 13. If you could instantly become an expert in something, what would it be?
- 14. Growing up, who was your most memorable teacher?
- 15. If you were lost in the woods, what skill do you possess that would be most helpful to survive?
- 16. Would you rather learn to speak a new language or play a new musical instrument?
- 17. How do you best like to learn: from people, videos or books?
- 18. Are there any subjects you wanted to study that weren't available at your school?
- 19. What's the most valuable thing you ever learned in school?
- 20. What advice would you give your younger self?

SCENARIO

- 1. Best sandwich ever. What's on it?
- 2. What would you do with an extra \$1,000 to spend only on yourself?
- 3. If you could have any superpower, what would it be?
- 4. If you could only eat at one restaurant for the rest of your life, which would you choose?
- 5. The zombie apocalypse is coming, what three people do you want on your team and why?
- 6. What would you do in life if money weren't an issue?
- 7. You have your own late night talk show, who do you invite as your first guest?
- 8. What's the strangest talent that might save you one day?
- 9. If you could only eat one condiment for the rest of your life, which one would you choose?
- 10. POV: You wake up as CEO, what's the first thing you'd implement?
- 11. You're writing your travel bucket list. What are your top three cities?
- 12. What work memory instantly makes you laugh?
- 13. You have a million dollars you have to donate to charity, which charity do you choose?
- 14. If you had to write your autobiography what would be the title?
- 15. What's the most embarrassing thing you've done on a work zoom call?
- 16. If you could live anywhere in the world, where would you live?
- 17. What's the craziest request you've ever received out of the office?
- 18. If you woke up to 3,000 unread emails & could only answer 300 of them, how would you choose which ones to answer?
- 19. If you had to delete all but three apps from your smartphone, which ones would you keep?
- 20. How would you describe the year 2020 to your children/grandchildren?
- 21. How would you sell hot chocolate in Florida?



- 1. Any advice for your previous boss?
- 2. Are there any meetings or discussions you'd like to be included in that you're currently not?
- 3. What are three qualities are must-haves for new hies joining the team?
- 4. What's the first thing you think of when you hear the word "work"?
- 5. What mistake did you learn the hard way that you now help your teammates avoid?
- 6. When working remotely, do you have any "coworkers" (roommates, partners, parents, siblings, pets)?
- 7. What main tasks are you working on solving this week?
- 8. What corporate lingo would you be happy to never hear or say again?
- 9. Describe your biggest professional failure & what you learned.
- 10. How do you see your role on this team supporting your long-term career goals?
- 11. What's something you think everyone in this room likely has in common?
- 12. What personal trait is most helpful to you as an effective team member?
- 13. What do you most admire about the person sitting directly across from you?
- 14. What area or project do you believe you can offer your greatest contribution to the team?

