1) do your homework. Definitely the search committee, read some papers of the people you know well. Ask for your schedule ahead of time.

2) prepare your seminar in advance. Another lab? Survey of all the things you have done, or in depth. Contextualize your work so that people understand why it's important, but show you have some depth. Don't want to loose the details. Tell a story.

3) questions to ask search chair: 1) how general is the audience? 2) how general should it be

4) prepare questions ahead of time. Don't ask any question that assumes that you are getting the job. What's the departmental culture (what sort of committee work? are there collaborations?) How do you support graduate students? What are the real teaching needs of the department? Are there training grants for graduate students? What are the main research collaborations that are currently happening in the department? What kind of connects to institutes the department wants to make outside the department?

5) might be asked: what do you envision needing for a start up.

6) make a folder? ipad?

7) ask to go to the bathroom a lot. Bring granola bars.

8) send a thank you note to search committee, people you connected with. Note down something during the interview you can mention.

9) meeting with the graduate students. Ask about their research, what they want in a candidate? Ask them a question after they explain their research.