

## **WHAT NOT TO WEAR**

*to an interview*

You want the interviewer to concentrate on you, not your interview attire.  
Avoid the following (unless the company culture indicates otherwise!)

- Black suit with a black shirt
- Black shirt with black tie
- Suit with tags (or extra buttons) left on
- Tie that stops above your belt
- Clothes you wore yesterday
- Overly bright or large-patterned clothes
- Short-sleeved shirts (men)
- Revealing clothing or low cut shirt
- Tight clothing (too tight)
- Undergarments showing, even if they match
- Shorts
- Jeans
- Tuxedo
- Hat
- Oversized or excessive accessories
- Hosiery other than natural skin tone (women)
- Random color socks (match your slacks)
- Open toe shoes
- Tatoo (consider covering)
- Piercing (one set of earrings ok – women)
- Two day beard
- Fragrance or cologne

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