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Aspen Technology : Product Management Intern 2022



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Interview at a leading industrial optimization software company

Company: Aspen technology

Role: Product management intern

When did you begin applying: Late January

Which platform did you apply through for this job: LinkedIn

Number of rounds: 2

Round 1:

Initial screening and behavioral questions

Role of interviewer in the company: Talent acquisition specialist

Questions asked by interviewer:

1. Introduction
2. My previous experiences
3. How do you handle conflict of ideas?
4. My pay expectations?
5. Questions about macros and pivot tables in excel.

Question you asked:

1. Asked about the job role extensively and further steps
2. Work culture at Aspen

Duration before mail for next round: 15 mins

Round 2:

Introduction and Pm related questions.

Role of the interviewer: Director of solutions management

Questions asked by the interviewer:

1. Interviewer gave me gist about their product and asked me about what metrics I would consider to measure success of the product and why
2. If you were to suggest a new product or a product line to Aspen, what would it be and why?
3. Power BI based questions like heat maps and live dashboard creation.

Questions asked by you:

1. How do you leverage AI and ML in your products?
2. Do you have process expertise in your product team?
3. Questions about the internships
4. Questions about the interviewers' background as we both have similar backgrounds.

Duration before email for next round: Got the offer in 2 business days.

Final thoughts: A world leader in industrial process optimization software and has a technically complex product line. Hoping to learn a lot from this opportunity and through their products.

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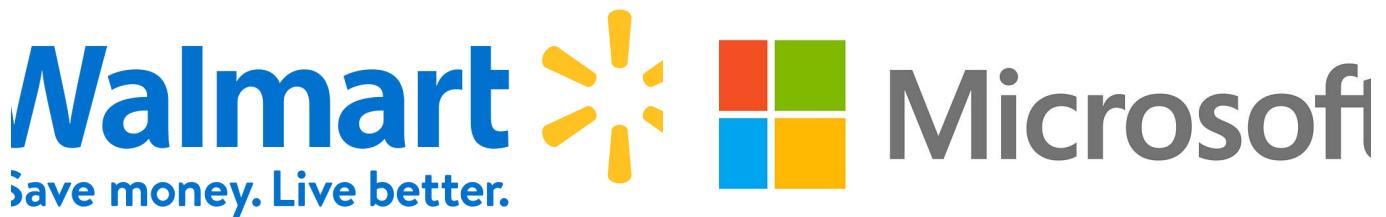
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