APPING DATABASE

1) Personal Details

a) *Name   :Ashwini Chaube*

b) *CPI/DR   :8.78 while apping*

c) *GRE Score (Vocab+Quat+Anal Writing) 480 verbal+800quant+4.0 analy*

d) *TOEFL Score: 253*

e) *Any papers published/How many?and wat are they? Title and publication.*

1 national conference paper Prof SSJ on MD Simulations

1 international conference paper Prof ASB on Capacity Planning

f) *Professors from whom recos are taken/For what did he give reco/How good the reco was/ Ne comments on the reco given by your professor?*

> *Reco1: Prof ASB, DDP*
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> *Reco2: Prof SSJ, Seminar*
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> *Reco3: Prof. SSP, 3 courses AA's*
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> *Reco 4: Dr. SMG, CAT – Indore, Summer Project*

2) Which universities did you apply to? Which field/department in that university? Which program *(Plz list in the decreasing order of the importance you gave to universities)*

SNo	University	Field	Phd/MS	TA/RA/Fellow/admit/Reject
1.	Stanford	IEOR	MS	Admit
2.	CMU Tepper	Operations Management	PHD	Fellow
3.	UCLA Anderson	Operations Management	PhD	Fellow
4.	NCSU	IEOR	PhD	TA
5.	ASU	IEOR	PhD	TA
6.	U WisMad	Manufacturing	MS	Schol (TA/RA)
7.	Washinton University Olin B School	OM	PhD	reject

8. U Minnesota   IEOR   PhD   Reject

9. U of florida   IEOR   PhD   reject

10. GaTech   IEOR   PhD   reject

3) On what basis did you choose the universities? USNEWS/Seniors/Profs/Visited all sites?

Prof ASB
US News
Visited Sites

4) Also specific information about the universities (comments like Good faculty/Good Research/Easily gives admit/Gives high importance to GRE Score/Any professor in our department whose reco is valuable in this university etc etc →
Kindly answer this question comprehensively as this part will be very helpful

All the univs which are ranked till 15th are good. Each of the universities are working in some or the other areas in which they are good at. So, it depends on your interest in the univ you choose.. Among top 15, everything is good.
About the B schools I have applied to, they were just 3 and all were very good. So, I cant comment on them. And I haven't put a lot of thought in deciding them.

5) Did you send suck mails? How useful are the suck mails? Ne fundae about these?

I just sent some mails to some profs asking my chances in their univ to get a idea whether my application would be competitive enough. Again, its not a suckmail in which you directly pain a prof for a TA or RA. Also, those mails were not many. It gives you some idea about your competency.

6) Are you going for app or not? What were your other options, like job, IIM e.t.c?
App.. CMU Tepper B School – joined
Job: Mckinsey Knowledge Center
No CAT :P

7) Which app are you choosing? Why?
CMU Tepper B School. It has one of the best research groups in
Production/Operations.

8) What is you BTP Topic? Who is your BTP guide? Seminar guide? Why chose him?
DDP (Prof. ASB): Forming, Capacity Planning and Scheduling Problems in
Focused Factories.
Seminar (Prof. SSJ): Molecular Dynamics Simulations
Why Chose: I wanted to work in this area and the profs were very helpful in both
the cases.

9) If you can share you SOP? Please send it to me. *(You may say that SOP is to be written by self which is absolutely true. But after writing a SOP by self, it can be very well polished by looking at other SOPs, I plan to put a word of caution for all the people (juniors) not to copy our SOPs blindly and advise them to write it on your own and use our SOPs only for reference.)*
Whoever wants it, please mail me.

10) Any other inputs/comments concerning app?

Mail me if anybody has any specific questions. I am ready to help you out.

11) Your contact info (Mail id which you will be using after passing out) ?

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