



Personal Assessment Interview: Information and Preparation Guidance for Counselors

The online **personal assessment interview** gives applicants an opportunity to discuss their experiences, motivations, and goals with Hult. It also allows them to ask questions and decide whether Hult is the right fit for them. Students should expect the interview to last 30–45 minutes.

What students should prepare

When helping students prepare for their interview, encourage them to reflect on:

- Their academic, extracurricular, personal, and professional experiences
- What they have learned from those experiences
- Challenges or setbacks they have faced and how they responded
- Examples of collaboration, problem-solving, and initiative
- Their motivations, interests, and future goals
- Why they are interested in Hult

Students may also be asked situational questions. They do not need unusual or perfect stories. Thoughtful reflection and the ability to explain what they learned matter more than the scale of the experience. Encourage students to answer

honestly and in their own words. This interview is not an exercise in memorizing ideal answers.

Practical steps for students

Students should:

- Share their availability with their enrollment advisor to arrange the interview
- Join from a quiet, distraction-free space
- Test their internet connection, camera, and microphone in advance
- Join on time and be ready to participate fully

Important information for UCAS applicants

UCAS applicants must complete their interview by the reject by default (RBD) deadline that applies to them. If their interview is not completed by that deadline, the application may be considered incomplete and could be unsuccessful.

How can you support your students?

You can help your students prepare by:

- Encouraging them to identify a range of experiences they may wish to discuss
- Helping them reflect on their strengths, decisions, challenges, and learning
- Practicing clear, conversational responses without scripting or over-rehearsing
- Encouraging them to prepare questions about the program, student life, career outcomes, and the campus experience
- Reminding them to contact their enrollment advisor if they would like additional preparation support

For questions about the application process or the personal assessment interview, please contact the student's enrollment advisor or email counselors@hult.edu.