

1. Deepak M

Optional: Mechanical engg

Board: PK Joshi

1. There are so many engineers, why are they not being employed. ?
2. Govt programmes for skilling ?
3. who was your favorite teacher? What did she teach you?
4. are you nervous?
5. two things you learnt from teacher and parents.
6. Gwadar and chabahar
7. latest devt. On chabahar
8. Devt. Of AI and development in india
9. what is the best mode of transport in india.?
10. Anti dowry provisions. How to improve?

2. Bankesh Pawar

Board- P K Joshi Sir

Optional-Sociology

Date-17/02/18

Chairperson-

1. You have graduated in 2015, what have u been doing since then.
2. What changes do u find between the cultures of Pune and Delhi
3. Among Bhagat Singh, Sukhdev and Rajguru.. who is from Pune.
4. Your hobby is cartoon sketching.... name some famous cartoonists of India.
5. Name some famous sociologists from India.

M1-

1. what is a smart city. Tell me specific aspects
2. which book have u read.. tell me what part u enjoyed the most

3. Technology has made people like us (aged) more dependable..do you think so...1- 2 more questions on it.

M2-

1. Have you heard of Julian Asaang...he has recently written a book..tell the book name.
2. What do you think of Aadhaar and privacy issue..is privacy possible in this interconnected world..even Google knows that I am sitting here.
3. Tell me about rapid changes which have happened in Pune in 2 decades and what are the reasons

M4(lady)-

1. This prohibition law....is it good or bad.
2. Your hobby is cartoon sketching..there are instances when certain people are depicted in a derogatory way..what do you think
3. Who is the father of sociology
4. Which has more profound impact on child's upbringing..family or school..and why.
5. If father is a drunkard what impact will it have on the child..

M5-

1. What is the border issue with Karnataka and Maharashtra
2. Why Western coastal states are more developed than eastern coastal states
3. As a tourism secretary how will you promote Ajanta and Ellora.

Chairperson- Thank you your interview is over

3. Vasanth:

Board – P K Joshi sir

Optional sociology

Forenoon last person.

Graduate textile technology

Chair-

- 1) from 2014 what have you been doing?
- 2) how have you mentored underprivileged school students and qn on that
- 3) case study reg that hobby

Member 1

- 1) tell me about some important textile in tamilnadu
- 2)how is that kanchi silk made
- 3) tell me other such places where silk fabrics are done.
- 4)youre dm in j and k how will you resolve the issues going on there now.
- 5) what is genetically modified, what is indigenous varieties, how important it is?
- 6) what is culture and tamilnadu culture
- 7)difference between tn culture and up culture

He was about to ask another. Smita mam(yes she was too present-6 member panel but she dint ask qns)coughed asking him to stop and pass on the baton 🙄

Member 2

- 1) she named three guitarist and asked me about them. Those ppl were from yester era 😊
- 2)since sociology about joint family and nuclear family.

Member 3

- 1) follow up qn on that. How much time i spend with my parents He kept asking qns on that.
- 2) Is technology misused.
How so?
- 3)worst form of media which one?

Member 4

1) youve got excellent marks in academics and textile. Textile is specialised subj why come for generalised field.

What motivated you ?

2) about china and textile growth

3) about doklam issue.

Chairperson - thank you vasanth.

Very cordial.. laughing and smiling at times. Very Simple qns. Chairperson was writing review for every qn asked by members.

4. Vasant rajput. IRS IT

Prof JOSHI board.

20th feb.Morning.. 5th to go..

1. Heads of income and 2-3 questions on this topic only.

2. Objective of navodaya vidyalaya.

3. Similar initiative for tribal girls? When did KGBV were established?

4.if u r give enough resource to run PHC what will be ur focus areas??

5.why civil service after medical? Isn't it success to be good in one domain(medical)? what is use of medical knowledge in IRS?? What did u learn in IRS in these 2 months?? (i didn't like this member, finally chairperson asked him to stop asking questions)

6. Are people a problem or solution??

7.why we need to intervene for empowerment?? Why not leave it to people decide their fate??

8. Electric vehicles- what r negative things?

9.Opinion on ayush?? there are side effects of ayurvedic drugs, so is it really useful??

10.malnutrition- recommend nutritious diet that poor man can afford.

11. Forensic related question.

12. Doctors liability when a patient does in hospital (it was clear case of negligence)

13.IR- growing right wing thought/events in Europe, whats ur take on this?

14. What is going on in middle East?? Reasons?? Factors responsible??

15. where have u trekked?? Where have u climbed?? Is climbing a specialised activity??
Do u climb now?? Trekking??

16. budgetary provisions for health in this years budget??

17. Whats is lie detector test??

5. ANJALI S

PK Joshi board

Wednesday, February 21, 2018

Duration: 30-35mins (2:30 - 3:05/10)

Chairperson: So you are from NIT Calicut. Why not Kozhikode?

C: Tell us about Kozhikode

C: What do you mean by 'Illusion is the greatest problem in communication'?

C: Leave it then, tell me this. Why is Kerala known as God's own country?

C: tell us 5 reasons

M2: So, you are an electronics and communication student, tell me a few new technologies from electronics

M4 (jumps in): Tell me the diff between electrical and electronics

M4: Have you heard of GPS and GIS? Tell us what it is.

(back to) M2: Why do you want to be here despite all the experience in consulting?

M2: What is your response to the American presidents view that Indians are taking away American jobs?

M2: The second most spoken language in middle east is Malayalam....What are the reasons for so much unrest in Middle east nations?

M3: Tell me, what is blue ocean strategy?

M3: Its about the Indian Ocean region and its influence in our policy formulation. Could you explain?

M3: I meant policy formulation within India, Do you think Maldives has any importance in policy formulation?

M4: Tell me the difference between Astronomy and astrology

M4: Do you think that astrology is a science?

M4: If I tell you that today is not a Wednesday, but it's a Saturday, what will you tell me?

M4: What if the calendar is wrong?

M4: Just because its written in a calendar, do we have to accept it?

M3(interrupting): Is truth the average of a consensus?

M3: So you understand that the calendar is a manifestation of an external truth and not otherwise?

M4: Do you think that we are heading towards destruction?

M4: Do you think happiness is measurable?

M4: There is a state where they have a separate notion of happiness as progress. Can you tell us about that?

M4: Yes. What are the elements of their index?

M4: They are not progressing in other metrics. Do you think they invented this index to feel good because they aren't performing well in other metrics?

M4: Have you visited or stayed in any village?

M4: Do you think that they are happier than people in cities?

M4: Tell me why you think so.

M4: So you think smaller ambitions are the reason for their happiness?

M4: So theirs is simpler than the urban population?

M5(Woman member): Do you think that our values are eroding, like not respecting elders etc?

M5(Woman member): Why do you think this is happening?

M5(Woman member): Tell me how can we correct these?

Interrupting:

M5(Woman member): Have you ever studied sociology? (she was searching in my DAF)

M5(Woman member): What are some other ways an individuals values are from?

M5(Woman member): Do you think that religion has a part to play in it?

M5(Woman member): So you agree religion has a role?

M4: Can you tell me a religion that points to desire as a bad thing?

M5(Woman member): Decision making is critical in any field. Do you think so?

M3(jumping in): did you ever have to choose between two options? How would you decide something above the other?

M3: Are you very sure of your career choice? have you made that decision?

M3: Was that how you decided on civil service? A lot of people come here for an illusion of what it is.

M5(Woman member): Why did you keep IFS as a first option?

M5(Woman member): Where all have you travelled? Have you traveled abroad?

M5(Woman member): Imagine a scenario where you have two choices, You believe for sure that one is right. But your team is completely against it. What will you do?

M5(Woman member): Wont your ego come into play and make you stick on to your decision?

6. Pankaj Kale

Prof PK Joshi Board

Optional : Pol Sci &IR

Grad : Civil Engg

Chairperson:

1.What is taxiway?

2.difference between Modern Structures and old structures?

3. difference between expressway and

Highway?

5.Difference between runway and normal road?

4.Difference between Yoga and Meditation?

5.Who was Veermata Jijabai?

6.Tell us three good and three bad habits of yours?

7.Happiest moments of your life?

M1 Lady member

1.Situation based question.Struck in traffic for 4 hours .MISS the interview.Whom would you blame?What would be your reaction?Will you take any legal action against anyone?(Derived from my habit of being punctual)

2. Have we done haphazard planning of our cities? How important is Disaster Management? Any subject related to Disaster Management.

3. Do you believe in Destiny?

M2.

Is Planning always important?

Should a person not enjoy a spontaneous life?

We have been planning for 70 years. Why have we failed?

M3.

1. What is Portland Cement? Why is it called Portland Cement?

1. If you are a son of an official, have to convince your senior for funds for a very important project, how would you do that?

2. What are other factors that can aggravate impact of disasters?

3. Neighbourhood policy?

3. Nepal crisis?

M4

1. Some Nuclear based questions?

2. Was it correct to go for nuclear tests when we had been talking about disarmament? ...n counter questions.

Thank You

7. Name--Abhilasha

PK Joshi sir board

Interview date -20th feb 2018

(Not much questions from DAF. Last candidate to go.)

what shld be done to improve public school education?

Problems of education

NPT and NSG issue?

diff of tax planning ..evasion...

What are tax sops??

maldives issue..why India should interfere ...? How should it go about this issue?

India -nepal relations

Cbec and should India join?

If u are in adminstration how will you make sure that skill India works out well??

Naxal problem in Jharkhand (DaF)

5g usage in India (B.E-electronics and telecommunication)

Overall the interview was fine..

Cross-questions from the answers you speak.

Not much of income tax related

Best of luck to all !

8. Name: Abhaysinha Deshmukh

Graduation: Civil Engineering

Board: P K Joshi.

Chairperson:

Q. What is the weather of pune like.

Q. Difference between weather and climate.

Q The effect of weather on construction in civil engineering.

Q. What is the difference between state highways and national highways?

A: National Highways connect state capitals and major areas whereas state highways connect to national highways.

Q: Is there any other difference? In terms of construction method etc?

Q: Highways and expressways

Q: You got a scholarship from IOCL, what is it? Full form of IOCL?

Q. Difference between a company and a corporation?

Q What does ONGC stand for? (Cudnt recall 😊)

Member 2

Q You have knowledge from civil engineering, anthropology and also cricket, What do you feel is it deep or shallow?

Q A person having shallow knowledge of wide range of subjects vs a person having in depth knowledge in only one are. Whou would you prefer to meet?

A: A person with knowledge in a wide range of subjects.

Q: What other things do you know than these three? Any other subject?

A: Not now.. but i would like to gain vast knowledge in many areas in future.

Q: What are the pressures faced by administrators? External pressures?

Q: Shall we eliminate the politicians? What do you think about the recent Delhi issue?

Q: That's a safe and diplomatic answer, who do you think is wrong?

A: Sir I haven't read much about the details of what happened so we cannot say who is wrong. Just read the news.

Q Okay so you preferred your choice of going with shallow knowledge.

M3

Q In old times, we had good quality of constructions in India? Why dont we have them now? Do you agree that today we have less quality structures? Why?

Explained later that quality is reduced because of handover pressures and also in India we do not have heavy compensation system for late handover.

Q. Is better talent being left out during the cricket team selection?

Q. L&T and projects, etc?

M4:

Q Anthropology and tribes. What approach to be followed?

Q But by leaving them to develop by there own (isolationism), won't they face difficulties? How will they be able to take BTech etc courses ?

Q Recent happenings in Africa, political

Q What actually happened in RSA?

Q Who's the new leader now?

Q Other neighboring state also faced similar issue?

Q What happened in Zimbabwe?

M4:

Q Old structures used to be of various shapes and sizes.. these days why only simple and one type of buildings do we see?

Q what can be done for efficient lighting and air conditioning ,say in Mumbai. ?

Q What to do if you want those old structures type aesthetics and shapes in todays buildings?

9. Arjun.K.R

Board- P.K. Joshi

Home state - Kerala

Grad- Mechanical Engg

Post grad- Industrial Engg

Optional - Public Administration

Hobbies- Spirituality, counselling students

Teaching in an Engineering college

Ch:

1 why don't you stick to teaching?

2 will u join IAAS

3 Suppose ur DM of a district with low crime rate what all will you do ter

4 Factors affecting crime rate in a district?

5 why crime rate is low in some district

6 what is media trail

7 what is yellow journalism

M1:

1 how can we regulate media?

2 what are the mechanisms?

3 what is spirituality. What you do? (Hobby)?

4 so its not related to spirit/ghost (ha ha ha!!!)?

5 some body said work is worship - ur take?

6 so don't you think leave your work for things like tis is not worth ?

7 how long will you take to reach your desire goal?

8 What is the importance of rituals in religion?

9 Why they come back often even when people try to reform?

M2 :

1 Is kottayam collector (my DM) doing a good job?

2 is he an ideal DM? - i said i cant rate

3 name some one in admn in Kerala whom you are inspired (I told prasanth nair)

4 his initiatives. Some associated questions on tat

5 Is govt compassionate (Coz i said compassionate calicut)

6 No govt is not compassionate. See how we are after 70 years

7 isn't kerala run by remittances (failure of govt to run govt)

M3 - lady member - and most easy qs

1. You have won best faculty. What different you did ?

2 methodology of teaching

3 did u use lectures- what other methods

4 you have been part of college union - qualities of leader?

5 how yoga helps you ?

6 when do you do yoga ?

7 difference between religion and spirituality?

M4:

Explain India's economic policies post Independence and how we fared (full qs based on them)

I started from FYPs - IG- RG- LPG - NITI Aayog (lot of cross Qs in between)

1 What went wrong in first FYP ? What all we did for Agri?

2. IG- I said Garibi Hatao etc

3 What major change she brought? I said bank nationalisation

4 How it impacted society?

5 What is the major lacunae in all these schemes?

6 Which sectors we could have done better in all these year

Thank you.

10. Name :Rahul Nagre

Date : 23 rd Feb'2018

2nd to go (11 - - 11.30)

Panel : P. K. JOSHI Sir

Graduation :B Tech Mechanical engg.

Optional :History

Chairperson :

1.Tell me about yourself

2.What is aurangabad famous for

(my 12th and Job in aurangabad)

3. When was ajanta and ellora caves built

4. Who discovered ajanta

5. You might have read history for the first time

Why students are not opting for social studies as subject in cities and rural areas?

6.What can be done so that it increases

7.Why there is inflation in the market

- its reasons

8.If I a bank gives you loan and there is inflation in the market, will you be in loss or will be benefited - - Explain

9. What made to look for civil services leaving a technical job

10. Don't you think administrative skills are required?

11. What the difference between management and administrative skills

Member 1:

1. What is VNIT college or university?

2.Who is Visvesvaraya?

3. What was their contribution to society
4. Give some examples of his work
- 4.What does pepsico deals in?
- 5.What is the content in the concentrate for making Pepsi?
- 6.what are developments for making it healthy?
7. What is stevia (alternate sweetener)
- 8.where is the plant found
- 9.what are some examples of rabi and kharif crops
- 10.which crops would you suggest for replacing sugarcane in your water scarcity area?
- 11.what is the issues with cotton (Bt)

Member 2:

1. Is inflation a cause or an effect?
2. Should civil servants speak in public?
3. What criteria should be allowed (to what extent)

A long discussion

Member 3:

1. Continued earlier discussion on Civil Servants issue

Do you mean that restrain should be there from allowing civil servants from going to public domain

2. Do you think management study should be included in engineering
- 3.which management subject do you study during engineering
- 4.What do you learn from management
- 5 What is professional ethics
6. What ethics do you study during engineering

And its application

Member 4 :

- 1.Do you think investment in research and development is essential? Why
- 2.If you are collector, you have a limited budget, still would you want to invest in research? Why?

3. What have you learnt from history
4. What things wouldn't be there if there was no history

11. Name: Kadam Niketan Bansilal

Hobbies: Voluntary work, playing and watching cricket

Optional : Anthropology

Board: P K Joshi sir

Afternoon session..second to go...25 mins

Ch: There was one famous CM named Bansilal(my fathers name)..Do you know?

You stayed in Mumbai as well as Delhi..Tell me cultural differences? (Some follow up question)

You are residing in ORN..so tell me distinct problems of ORN?..some light moments and Some Supplementaries...

Relevance of annual cultural gatherings in educational institutions (daf related)?

M1: What is voluntary work(hobby)?

Dont you think reading book is voluntary work?

What do you do in voluntary work?- some supplementary questions..

What are the zones for cricket at natinal level?

Your hobby is to play and watch cricket?

Playing is fine..don't you think watching the game which is already fixed is waste of time?

Name the Players involved in fixing scandal?

He grilled me on this but CH intervened.

Lady M2:

Your optional is anthropology, which is your favourite part in it?

I said socio-cultural anthropology.. So she asked..

Explain the India from socio cultural perspective..some supplementary questions..

Primitive tribes?

M3: You worked in TCS,what was your role?

What is the revenue of Tata group?

How many employees are there in TCS?

Why the tata is so respected group?

I said balance between social goals and profit so he asked about Tata controversy...

M4:

Challenges of Indian agriculture?

What is the solution for land fragmentation?

I replied consolidation and cooperative farming..

As a DM what can you do to consolidate fragmented land holdings?

Is it easy?

Have you ever seen any successful experiment of cooperative farming?

What are the issues with it?

Major crops of nashik district?

To whom we export onions?

CH: thank you Niketan.

Overall good experience. Board was coordial.

12. Rohit

Chairperson. P K joshi.

Rohit, you resigned your job in SBI as PO in Dec 2015 . what were you doing till now.?

So you teach quantitative aptitude to students.? I am asking you to convince some students of class 6 th to 10th who are not at all interested in mathematics. How would you do that..?

Some students of class 10th new about arithmetic mean and they are adamant that they can solve any problem using arithmetic mean. how do you convince them to learn harmonic mean and geometric mean.?

Tell me about the peculiarity of Kottayam.?

M1:

what is NPA.?

why is it called NPA.?

what is stressed asset.?

NPA was always there. How is it a big issue now.?

which bank in India has the highest numbers and percentage of NPA in India.?

Is RBI also accountable for this.? If regulatory bodies are not delivering their job.? whom should they be accountable to.?

have you heard of FRDI bill..? what was the most controversial clause in that.?

what exactly is bail in clause.?

Is government planning to re capitalize banks.?

if one day government decides not to re capitalize how will banks raise capital.?

does FRDI reduce the need for government to re-capitalize.?

what was the recent statement of CEA about PSBs.?

what is your opinion on bank privatization.?

you seem as if you are not a fan of privatization.? then how can the governance challenges of PSBs be addressed.?

M2:

Are you good in banking.?

what are the criteria you consider before giving a loan.?

what kind of democracy is India.?

what is a parliament.?

what are the functions of parliament.?

how is it constituted.?

what are the 2 houses.?

what are the other names of lower house and upper house.?

what is numerical strength of both houses.?

what kind of government is state government.?

what are the names of legislative bodies in state.?

Is government of state government formed from both houses.? are you sure.?

what is NSS.?

what did you do as an NSS coordinator.?

M3 :

what is your way of pet caring.?

you just take care of your domestic dogs and that's it.?

what did you do as a part of nature club.?

do you think your activities as a part of nature club.? had any impact.?

why do we need afforestation.?

what are benefits of having a good forest cover?

what is the percentage of forest cover in India.?whether it increased or not.?

M4:

why should we be ethical to animals.what is the need for that?

why did you join banking after chemical engineering.?

what are emerging fields in material science research of chemical engineering.?

is'nt Nano technology one among them.

Thankyou.

13. Unknown

27.02.18 afternoon

PK Joshi sir board

Mechanical optional

IRSME background

Ch:

1. Famous things about Jind

2. Worked in DAE, why left

3. National Income

4. Why it is called National

5. 3 states with least forest cover

6. States whose forest cover has increased?

7. Have you applied for IFoS also?

M1:

1. Hobby: Slow walking or Fast
2. Benefits of walking
3. Why left DAE
4. What you learnt from Hospitality committee?

M2:

1. Should Indian Railways be privatised?
2. Why do government need to run railways?
3. As an administrator , what are the 3 things you want to do?
(Told working for migrant labour as one of the priorities)
4. What do you want to do for them?
- 5.Amount of migrant labour in India every year.

M3:

1. Difference between diesel and electric loco.
2. How do you see evolution of India as a country from 1947 (actually I was not able to understand the question clearly)

M4:

1. Haryana is water scarce state?
2. How you will conserve water in Haryana?
3. Major crops in Haryana
4. How much water is consumed in growing rice?
5. Water table in Haryana
6. Rainfall in Haryana
7. Should rice be allowed in Haryana?
8. Ways to ensure effective water utilisation.

Chairperson : your interview is over.

14. Ahire Swapnil

B.Tech. E&TC from Pune

Hobbies - Reading Non fiction books , watching TV serials and Movies

Other interests - football, cricket, Table Tennis

Board Chairperson - Prof. P K Joshi

Time - Forenoon on 27th February'18

Chairperson -

Tell us about Pune's culture

what are your views on Africans attacked in India, Indians attacked in Australia and outside state students being attacked in different states ?

Tell us different TV serials that you have watched

Who was the director of Mahabharat series ?

Member 1:

What are your views on AI (Artificial intelligence) as a threat to civilization ?

How are the humans going to tackle the threat of AI ? (some counter questions)

What difference do you find in Indian TV serials and English TV serials ?

Name the three sectors that will be your priority in civil services

How will you tackle the problem of shortage of doctors and teachers in tribal areas ?

According to you, what are the problems in health and education sector ?

Member 2:

Malegaon (my home town) has a Municipality or corporation ?

What is the criteria for the transition of municipality to corporation ?

what administrative changes take place on this transition ?

Have you heard of Bill Gates's statement with respect to Robotics ?

Don't you think you are being too optimistic towards AI and contradicting Bill Gates ?

What do you think about AI and unemployment ?

How will adoption of driverless cars impact India ?

Do you think notion of jobless growth is a myth or reality ?

Don't you think implications of AI are in contradiction to the objective of tackling jobless growth ?

Member 3:

What are different areas/places in Pune ?

What is special about Koregaon Park ?

Have you heard about Osho's Ashram ? Is it still there ?

What was Koregaon war all about ?

Why the anniversary of war is celebrated ?

Do you think, there should be a celebration ? Tell me Yes or No.

Your hobby is reading Non fiction books. Why non fiction books ?

Don't you get knowledge from fiction books ?

Who wrote Mahabharat ? according to you, is it a fiction or non fiction ?

Tell me in 2 sentences about the Mahabharat

You have watched many English serials. Why people mostly focus on English serials ?

(one of the sentence in my answer was that English serials help in improving English)

Why should we so bother about English ?

Do you really think it is an universal language ? So I find China not a part of this universe.

Member 4 (lady member):

Have you seen Bahubali ? What is your take on it ?

What is the difference between Bollywood and Hollywood movies ?

You have played many games. What is the status of badminton in india ?

Can you name some female sports persons from Maharashtra ?

How long have you been staying in Delhi ? What differences you see between Delhi and Pune ?

Thank you.

15. Nitish Sinha

P.K Joshi Board

CM . How much percentage does blood constitute of body weight ?

How many components of blood ?

Tell me two points good and bad of social media ?

What is yellow journalism?

M1 1. tribes in Andaman

2. Should they be left alone ?

3. How they became inhabitant of Andaman ?

M2. 1 ADHAAR ? Is it waste exercise ?

2 some questions on Andaman tribes ?

M3. What cuisine u cook ?

Why y got this hobby ?

Does your mother let you cook ?

What about jogging?

Again some questions on andaanese tribes..

M4. What is sustainable development?

What is decarbonization?

What is nationalization?

Thank you ur interview is over .

16. Name: Harisha B C

Optional. Public Administration

Interview Date : 27/02/2017

Board: P K Joshi

Last one to go

Chairperson

- You studied in Bangalore, you are from Tumakuru. How many KMs is Tumkur from Bangalore?

- What is one nation one election? Do you support ?

- How the challenges can be addressed ?

- Why engineers are not getting jobs in India ?

- What can be done to address this ?

- What is skill India ?

- What is NAAC?

Member 1

- what is communication?
- Give example for communication?
- Why did you choose Sanskrit as one of the languages ?
- What is the script of Sanskrit called? (Sanskrit is one of the languages in school)
- Can you tell me the varnamalas of Sanskrit?
- What is a to aha is called?
- What is ka to la is called?

Member 2(lady member)

- so how did you get this listening to songs as your Hobby?
- What is the league of kabaddi is called?
- Is kabaddi popular in your region?
- What are folk games played in Karnataka which is not popular in other parts of the country?

Member 3

- why Hyderabad has a better entrepreneurial culture than Bangalore? (I took a opposite stand here)
- Why Bangalore has less engineering colleges than your neighbouring states, say TN. (Indian express ran a series of articles on this last month)
- Why did you leave Cognizant? It's a good company.

Member 4

- what is a dispute between your state and your neighbouring state Tamil Nadu?
- What is the recent verdict on the dispute?
- What are your priority areas as a DM?
- How natural resources like Land should be allocated?

17. Sagar:

Background (IIT BHU (Varanasi), Computer Science, Samsung R&D Bangalore
Software Engineer, Mathematics Optional, Bihar Home State, CAPF Assistant
Commandant Topper)

Chairperson (Dr. P.K. Joshi) Forenoon 28 Feb 2018. 3rd candidate.

How much marks did you get in Maths Class XII?

Which force have you been allotted?

Why SSB?

When we have BSF as a border guarding force, why need SSB?

Suppose you are posted as a DM in a village school and asked to address students of Class VIII- XII, what would you speak about for promoting Maths which students don't like?

Maths Question 1

Maths Question 2, 2(a)

Member 1 (Lady member)

Munger is famous for? (Came as a shocker for me because I am from Saharsa, Bihar)

Do you do Yoga?

What is the status of women in Bihar? Do you think women has been empowered in your state?

What is accountable governance?

How to ensure government accountability?

Member 2

What was the project you worked upon in Samsung? Two follow up questions

What is the state of R&D in India?

What is the need of high end R&D when our basic skill needs are unmet?

Member 3

Should we go for making strong laws to provide security to women?

Are laws against Dowry enough? Why are they being misused? What are recent changes in Dowry law?

Situational Question: Your domestic help comes to you and complains to you about her drunkard husband who comes from work and beats her under the influence of alcohol. What would be your step of action?

Member 4

What was the earlier name of BHU?

Who founded it?

Who gave the money?

Who founded AMU and when?

Don't you think that the British sowed the seeds of division by helping the setup of a Hindu University and a Muslim university?

Why is Varanasi named so?

Why is IIT BHU not doing too good? (Asked in Hindi)

What is Kashi famous?

What is 3rd Industrial Revolution, 2nd IR and 1st IR.

No Questions on Hobbies. Cordial board. Last Member was intimidating.

Time Duration: 30minutes

18. Omendra Chauhan:

28 Feb 2018 (FN)

Dr. P K Joshi Board

Second one to go

Name: Omendra Singh Chauhan

B.E. Mechanical Engg, BIT Mesra Ranchi

5 years in Automobile MNCs

Place of birth: Kanpur City

Optional: Pub Ad

Chairman:

1. So Omendra...you did schooling from... worked in automobile sector....(long initiation) tell me what did you do in Hyundai?
2. ...(contd) work profile in Toyota?
3. ...in Maruti?
4. How is Maruti different from Hyundai? (work culture and all)
5. What was your roles and responsibilities in these companies... (Long discussion)
6. Kanpur was known as Manchester of East...what happened to it? tell me what are the industries in Kanpur and why they are facing issues..and what kind of issues?
7. What can be done to help them?

8. What are the differences between Ranchi and Kanpur?

M1:

1. (something continued from CH related to Ranchi and Kanpur...industrial and economic growth..)
2. What is demonetisation and what happened? Positives and negatives of it?
3. What was income disclosure scheme (somewhat on the topic)..when did it happen? what happened?
4. Did demonetisation work? failures? success?....(some counter questions...)
5. Defense related industries in Kanpur? in UP? in India? (some counterqns on defense industry..)
6. long intro to question related to water deficiency situation in India....why so? what geographic climatic factors responsible for same? wht can be done?
7. (counter qn) What is river interlinking? any project? what would be its positives and negatives?

M2: (member who always looked dissatisfied)

1. (contd discussion on Ranchi) Why is Ranchi not developed, if it is not? What can be done? (counterqns on same)
2. Do you know about Shobhan Sarkar? What did he dream...(some news in 2013!) What did govt do? What happened there? 😞
3. Mejakhas (in DAF)..where is it? why did you go there for schooling? What is its topography? what industries there? any new project coming there? (bad experience on this discussion...in between his reaction was you dont know about your surroundings)

Lady Member:

1. so you play table tennis...(I told frankly I played in school, not been playing since sometime...she smiled and said its ok) So how do you keep yourself fit? what do you play now?
2. Who are famous TT players in India?
3. What do you think is future of Electric vehicles in India? (Many counter qns on problems of charging, infra, industry in detail..handled pretty well)
4. Which countries currently have EV market growing? anyone in our neighborhood?

M4:

1. (contd discussion in EV market, future of Automobile industry and India's position and efforts?)

2. What kind of batteries are used in EV? Why India doesnot have them? What issues involved in charging infra related?

3. What kind of energy requirement we will have to meet such demands in EV market? and some counter qns...

4. What kind of reforms do you suggest in industrial development? (Long discussion...about labour reforms, infra... handled this part satisfactorily I guess)

CH: OK your interview is over.

(No qns on hoobbies/optional etc....overall mixed experience...board was cordial in general though one member was little intimidating and tried to grill on some qns...I maintained my calm composure and honestly told 'I am not able to recall the facts at the moment' in few counter qns)

19. aakash verma

date: 28th feb, morning, 4th to go

board: PK Joshi sir

place: Gurugram, Haryana

mechanical engg, MA in pub ad

optional: pub ad

Hobbies: watching crime drama, visiting orphanage

awards: in poster making

CH

0. what do you mean by Manav Rachna (DAF)

0. u r frm haryana, tell 3 strengths and weaknesses of haryana

0. where do you watch crime drama- Tv, laptop, computer etc

0. impact of tv on society

0. what are +ves and -ves of watching crime

m1

0. impact of social media on society

0. why gurgam is so developing at such pace while fbd is not

0. forest cover of haryana, why so less

0. khap and follow up questions

m3

0. khap continued

0. what is honour killing

0. dangal movie: forcing child to a particular career is portrayed as successful model, can we apply it or generalise it for every one

0. perception of haryanvis in the general society, asked 3 points

0. sex ratio issue

0. bringing brides from different areas

m4 (tried to corner me on various aspects)

0. do you believe in numerology (i said no)

0. why ur name has 2 As as 'AA'kash (told ans in such a way that eased the env and all members started smiling including chairman sir)

0. which all orphanage you visited

0. what you do there

0. what motivated you to visit

0. which poster you made

0. khap... what will you do as SP

0. what is sanatan dharam, how it is diff from hindu religion, some characteristics of sanatan dharam (school name)

0. Ggn name change... and many follow up on that... argument that whether ggn's ancient name was gurugram or not.... ended with my ans that i'll chk it after going from here

m5 (lady member)

0. CSR contribution in haryana... 2 follow ups then i said i have limited knowledge on that

0. tourism potential of haryana... some follow up on sites

0. tell some sites

0. what govt is doing for promoting tourism

0. promotion of hill tourism (i told about Sohna tourist complex on a hill)

0. what steps Ggn admn is taking for tourism (she told govt guest houses after my ans)

0. highways passing through haryana

CH : your interview is over

i started to leave... m4: corrected me for pronunciation of rakhigarhi... i said thank you sir and left the room

the interview was very cordial with major focus on haryana and gurugram

not a single question frm current affairs, budgeet, mechanical, pub ad etc

20. Jay:

Board: PK Joshi

Optional: Law

Present occupation: Power Sector

Graduation: Law

Interivew date: 28 Feb 18

Duration: 30 min

Chairman: Read out my DAF aloud for a few minutes - Name, schooling, graduation and where I have been working since then. I explained a little about what I do. He then asked about the profession of law as a practice. A few questions on Negotiable instruments and cheques.

M1: Quizzed on judiciary in general- PIL, role of judges, comparative constitution with other countries

M2: Understood my job profile. Questions on what the organisation does. How its role is different from the other regulators in the sector. Issues in the sector. Role of women.

M3: Broadly stretched the discussion of Chairman and M1 by asking further specific questions like why it takes so long for cheque bounce cases to be disposed off. Why does Supreme Court think its the almighty etc. Went on to NJAC after that.

M4: Meaning of Name. Asked if I was fond of my grandfather. From there he went to his native town (which is also mine). First question on that was if I like it? To which I simply said yes. Then he asked about the geography of the place. Most of which he only spelt out in his question to which I had to just agree. By this time I started wondering if these were trick questions because they didn't seem like questions at all. Then he picked up on where we had left on PIL with M1. Rebuked the judiciary again. Most of it were mere statements and not in question form. Finally asked why judges think they are know it alls and keep getting into technicalities on which they have no expertise. Also started criticising a judge and when I said it wouldn't be right for me to do so he said that if you can talk of positive stuff why cant you say negative stuff too and then said that PIL as a system has become so messy so I picked the cue from there instead of saying anything about the judge and ended it on that note. At this point the member cracked a joke on the

judges and he laughed and explained it to the other members while the chairman said thank you interview is over.

Comment: The board was neutral. Felt like any other mock. The range of questions were restricted to my profession, law and significantly the judiciary. The board was cordial in the sense that there were no interruptions. Till it was the turn of M3 and M4, they didn't look up one read the newspaper and the other seemed absorbed in something else. They also asked follow up questions on the same theme as had been asked before. Lady M1 only looked up during her turn to ask questions and after that she kept staring at the floor. No questions from DAF or current affairs. While M4 was asking questions in the form of lengthy statements, the chairman made a loud pen tap gesture to him to shorten it and a minute after that the interview was wrapped up.

21. UNKNOWN

Chairman : P. K. Joshi Sir

Background: MBBS,

Job: Faculty in Medical College,

Hobbies/Interest: Not asked a single question.

Current: IRS (IT) Officer Trainee

Afternoon Session: 1st to go

Chairman(C): So you are working in Medical College as faculty till the date? But Your service Allocation IRS (IT).

1. So you are a doctor and now in IRS. Don't you think it's waste of money by the govt?

What are the qualities of a good doctor? Do you have it? And long discussion.

2. After blood donation what components can be separated?

3. Sickel cell Anemia, its distribution and why?

4. Can I ask questions on Income Tax? What are heads of Income?

5. Pension under which head?

6. Parliamentarian's salary under which head and allowances?

7. Tax Planning, Tax Avoidance and Tax Evasion. Difference. Which is punishable by law?

M1:

1. Euthansia, Living Bill, Pros and Cons. Do you agree? What about Poor people? Discussion ventured into Right to Life

2. Expansion of Right to Life

3. Remedies for fundamental rights.

4. When constitution was adopted? Why 26th January Republic day and not 26th November?

3. Difference between NCM and CDM movement? Explain with example.

M2.

1. Picked up from Where chairman left. about Pension. Why we have already paid the taxes, pension is still being taxed? And follow up questions.

2. About Administration. Qualities of good administrators. Which experience at your job propelled you towards Civil Services. What your experience taught you about administration? And discussion.

M3.

1. Recent Updates in Medical Science

2. Follow up questions on Gene Editing technology. Its advantages, concerns etc.

M4. (Lady Member)

1. Biomedical Waste Management.(Ref to My Job) Problems . Didn't agree with me fully on the issue.

2. India-Afghanistan Relations.

C: Thank you.

Very Cordial Board.

22. Apurba Swarnakar:

DOI 12/03/18(A/N)

PK Joshi

2nd to go

Optional : Public Administration

CM .Name of your School and College.

Where r u serviceing

Difference between Management and Administration

6 SIGMA

Current portfolio and work

Why British made their capital in Kolkata.

Why Shift to Delhi, Year

2nd Mem. Why public administration

What u learn from PA and from my current Job

What r the quality to have an administrator

Why

3rd

What r u read and think(my hobbies is reading and thinking.

What to be invented to solve energy crisis

How hydrogen will converted to other materials.

Who is ur ideal person

Why.

4th member.

My past service related

5 th mem

What is the difference between sympathy and empathy . example

What is ozone hole , How?

Environment related.

What is ABC method

Maslow hierarchy of needs

Which need u want to achieve to become Civil Service.

Date of first tri color flag hostage

End. Some forgot

23. Ashok Chakravathy

Pk joshi board

BE (Mechanical) + MBA + Consulting job + Badminton

Read out my qualifications from DAF..sought clarifications on name, place etc.

When did you join?

When will your training end?

What is your place known for?

How will you use tools and techniques in mechanical engineering in administration?

What is CPM? PERT?

What is ABC Analysis?

Can you use it in administration? How?

What is the origin of tax?

Of late we have seen cities expanding towards rural areas..what are the issues with such expansion?

What is a smart village?

Don't you think we need smart villages more than smart cities?

What should be your focus while developing smart villages?

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Member 1

What are various Green House Gases?

What are CFCs and HCFCs?

Gas used in refrigeration and air conditioning?

What is the impact of GHGs and climate change on your place?

Some more can't remember

Member 2

At which level did you play badminton?

What is the contribution of Pullella Gopichand?

Name other famous Indian badminton players?

Where did badminton originate?

Are you sure it was in UK? What if I said badminton originated in India?

You took a huge pay cut to join public sector, why?

What are the qualities of a leader?

How will you motivate employees when they have different needs?

Suppose you have to deal with a union leader who is raising some demands. how will you handle him?

Member 3

What is the state scholarship you have received?

What is the project you have done in consulting?

How would you rate your boss in leadership qualities?

What is the difference between a manager and a leader?

What is the cost of electric vehicles? And issues related to Electric vehicles- charging infrastructure, Lithium reserves, cost effectiveness etc.

Sundarbans has very dirty water..as an administrator what will you do?

Member 4

What are BS norms?

Which stage are we currently in?

What is the next norm..when are we adopting it?

How far are we from Euro norms?

What are the current problems in GST?

What is your department doing to solve these problems?

Is there a deadline fixed for solving these issues?

Thank you

24. Ashwini Tanaji Wakade

(MBBS)

solapur maharashtra

13 march pk joshi board. Afternoon.

Cp: why do you want to join civil services???

Why more job satisfaction in ias as compared to doctor.

Any government programmes in health sector.

Tell me about Health insurance proposed in budget.

Tell me about famous person named Tanaji

what are advantages and disadvantages of social media.

M1: what are you doing since 2014.

Difference between rural hospital and community health center.

Difference between PHC and rural hospital.

M2: how one gets infection

tell me how doctor treats his/her patients.

How drugs acts on body(mechanism of drug action in our body).

Tell me about role of our immune system in curing diseases.

M3:: in case of nuclear attack ; how one can protect himself

tell me about strategy to prevent spread of infections like Ebola.

Asked about some blastoma(said I don't know).

Tell me any different subject other than this that you like(i told him anthropology but he asked different than medical or anthropology;; then I told geography).

What is indian standard time.

Why USA have more time zones.

Asked something about mechanism of Delta formation(i could not tell).

M4:: issues with private hospitals and private medical education.

What should be done to prevent private hospitals from charging excessive fees.

What are blood groups, tell me significance of blood groups , blood transfusion mismatch.

Tell me any health programme or schemes you would like to implement apart from current schemes(could not tell)

CP thank you , your interview is over.

(not single question on my hobbies,. My hometown, optional)

25. SJ

Background : C.A. , (work ex in PSU)

Date of Interview : 13th March, 2018

F.N. (1st to go) (25-30mn)

P. K. Joshi Sir.

Chairman

1. Why left job?
2. Gave a numerical problem to solve related to cost accounting.
3. Told some figures and asked how to account for increase in cost under management accounting?
4. When inflation accounting started?
4. Difference between private school and Kendriya Vidyalaya? (Daf)
5. Some questions on ratios.
6. Comparing financial strength of 2 states
7. How to use knowledge of CA. in admin?

M1

1. Why not private sector? Why Coal India?
2. Good and bad experiences in job. Discussion followed.
3. More questions related to job.

M2

1. Why civil service?
2. Discussion on GST and demonetization.

M3

1. Mainly discussions on hobbies. Why, how helped, etc.
2. Mangroves. What, where and threats.

M4

1. What is MRP?
2. Minimum retail price?
3. Dual MRP?
4. Asked few questions related to different MRP of packaged drinking water (pointing to water bottle placed before him)

5. what you check before buying any product?

6. what are misleading advertisement and surrogate advertisements?

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Pankaj Yadav:

Board:B.S Bassi

Myself:Pankaj Yadav,Assistant Commandant in CISF,

Degree: Graduation in Economics & History

Hobby:Travelling,Teaching,Collecting facts & information about Latest Development in Astronomy & Space exploration:

Last one to go for interview.

Date:14th March,2018

CM:So, Pankaj u r in CISF and u must have done Commando Jump during ur training.What is commando Jump.

CM:U r already in CISF,than why u want to join Administrative Services.

CM: Will u join any service:

CM: Will u join IDAS?

CM:What would u do if in any service,u r not given good assignments.

M1: Tell us about famous personalities of Azamgarh.

M1: Do u know about Arthasastra book.

M1: What does Arth means in Arthasastra.

M1: Ok...tell us about Arthasastra.

M1: What were the other names of Chanakya.

M1: How were britishers able to capture whole India, after the Battle of Plassey..tell us in Brief.

M2:What is difference between Fundamental Rights and DPSPs.

M2:How will u ensure that Fundamental Rights of Citizens are protected in our country.

M2:Tell us about various provisions available for citizens in order to protect their fundamental rights.

M2: U told that Prakash Singh, former DGP of UP is from Azamgarh...what is the famous case associated with him in Supreme Court.

M2: Guidelines of Supreme Court regarding Police Reforms in India.

M3: Which was the first Country visited by PM Modi when he became PM.

M3: why he visited Bhutan first.

M3: what is the source of ur daily news.

M3: tell us about NGT, its role.

M3: Does it take time in giving final decisions..

M3: were u taught about provisions of IPC during training.

M3: what provisions were taught.

M4: Present condition regarding Protection of Human Rights in India.

M4: ur view on Rohingya issue in India.

M4: do u know about Chakma Refugee.

M4: why farmers are committing suicide in India.

M4: why Lord Macaulay is famous.

M4: Is he wrongly blamed because he contributed most for Spread of English Education in India.

CM: What will u do if any of ur Jawan gets infected by Radiation.

CM: After that what will u do.

CM: u r posted in Ankleshwar, u must have dealt such type of issues.

Ok Pankaj, ur Interview is over.

26. Hari Om:

Background

Education : B.Tech , Materials and Metallurgical Engineering, IIT Kanpur

Home State : Bihar

Optional : Chemistry

Selected in IFoS 2017-18 ; Interview Board (IFoS) : Shri P K Joshi

Date of Interview : 14th March , 2018

Board (CSE) : Shri P K Joshi ; Duration : Approximately 45-50 mins

Chairman

1. Started with his usual way. You belong to Patna ; you have done schooling in Patna , Bokaro and then did graduation from IIT Kanpur. Meanwhile you also did research internships. Have you also appeared for IFoS interview ?
2. What was the result ? When the training begins ?
3. What are your service preferences in Civil Services ? (Reason wasn't asked)
4. See if you go to students of class 11 or class 12 , they want to become engineers , doctors or civil servants. But rarely someone wants to become a farmer. What do you think are the reasons ?
5. Suppose 10 years down the line , you have to shift this trend , what will you do ?
6. What did you do during your research internships ?
7. What did you learn ? What was the role of your graduation subject in the projects?

Member 1

1. Suppose you are also selected here in CSE and get IRS (IT) , what will be your preferences ? Will you leave IFoS ? (Service Preference in CSE as IAS > IFS > IRS (IT))
2. So you will stick with IFoS. Lets place IFoS in the preference list of CSE as well. Now preferences ? : Said : IAS > IFS > IFoS > IRS (IT)
3. What are the reasons for such preference ?
4. Where can you use your graduation subject knowledge in administration ?
5. You have been associated in NCC ? What did you learnt ? What activities you contributed in ?
6. Since NCC is associated with armed forces ; why didn't you took armed forces as a career option ?
7. You were also associated with Security Team in your college . What exactly was your role ?
8. Status of Defense manufacturing in India ? Where we are lacking ? Reasons
9. We are not able to make engines for our military aircrafts. What do you think is reason ?

Member 2 (Perhaps a Chemistry Prof , Only Chemistry was asked)

1. The project you did as research internship ; is it commercially viable ? If not ? Why ?
2. What is oxidation state of Chromium in Potassium Dichromate ?

3. What are main group elements ?
4. What are transition elements ?
5. Name all 3d block elements ?
6. Why the transition elements are colored in nature ?
7. What is crystal field theory ?
8. What is arrhenius theory in context of reaction rates ? Explain it on paper.
9. Draw cyclopentadienyl anion and cyclopentadienyl cation ? (The pencil nib broke down while drawing :D)
10. Which one is aromatic in nature ? Why ?
11. What is Huckel Rule of Aromaticity ?
12. Are you aware of the Mendeleev periodic table ?

Member 3 (Lady member)

1. Your upbringing has been largely in urban areas. What are the common problems in urban areas ?
2. How you can tackle the multiple problems you have mentioned ?
3. Ask about few acronyms which I still can't decipher. She said its related to coastal management

Member 4

1. What is the alloy used in soldering ?
2. Suppose you have to join two gold plates. Here in we also use an alloy of gold and other element. Whether the melting point of the element used along with gold in the alloy should have its melting point greater or lower than gold. Take your time and then answer.
3. Why the melting point of element being added should be lower ?
4. What is certification used for gold jewellery ? (Other member : arey let him get married first, then he may know :D)
5. Shows me the kinley bottle on the table and asks Who gives the ISI certification.

Chairman : Thank you. Your interview is over.

Overall , it went into too much technicalities.It was looking more of an interview for a technical position rather civil services.There were 4-5 I don't knows.

27. Abhijeet Ranjankar

Optional: PSIR

Grad: B.Tech. EnTC

P K Joshi Board

C: Is Ranjankar your name or surname?

What's the distance between Solapur and Kolhapur(Graduation)?

Solapur is famous for?

Solapur and Kolhapur lie in Marathwada region?

Cultural difference between Marathwada and Vidarbha?

What kind of exercise you do?(hobby)

What is the difference between doing exercise in gym and regular exercise?

Which comedy TV shows you watch(hobby)?

On which channel they are aired?

Who is the owner of star network?

What causes pollution? Soil pollution

Ground water depletion?

M1(Lady):

Questions on Western Ghat, Gadgil committee, biodiversity hotspots, as an administrator how to conserve? Illegal sand mining. etc

M2:

Should I install Mobile towers above my house? answer as an engg. What is lightning conductor? followed by few basic engg. questions

M3

Why at all we need to protect biodiversity?

Questions on Stephen Hawking his contribution? explain black hole to us + basic science questions

M4

Why Hawking didnt got Nobel prize? CNR Rao's contribution, solid waste management + follow up questions

Overall cordial board.

Hoping for best!!

28. Gauhar

BE Computer Engg

Bihar

Board : PK Joshi sir

Subject : Urdu

Chairman

Read out my whole DAF

- 1) How you pursuing BE and Job simultaneously
- 2) Tell me name of important short story writers in Urdu
- 3) What are famous short stories of Manto? Name any two
- 4) Why inflation of fruits and vegetables higher than cereals
- 5) What should we do to address issue of perishable goods
- 6) What is difference between Bashir Badar and Waseem Bareilvi....fee questions where both are born and status

M1

- 1) Asked questions related to job and BE, about schedule for approx 10 mins
- 2) What is recent changes in badminton rules
- 3) Which series has recently started

M2

- 1) What do you mean by green in green economy
- 2) What do you understand by carbon sequestration
- 3) What is carbon credits? What is its quantum
- 4) What are greenhouse gases?
- 5) Which gas is used in refrigerator and AC?
- 6) What is problem with CFC?
- 7) Few factual environment questions which I don't even remember

M3

- 1) What is issue of flood in Bihar

- 2) What steps should be taken to control it
 - 3) What is your view regarding interlinking of rivers. 2-3 questions and counter questions
- M4

- 1) What is e nam
- 2) Which is largest storage public sector agency in India
- 3) What is negotiable warehousing receipts? How farmers are benefitted by it? Few questions

Chairman

Your interview is over

Overall far from satisfactory interview. Not expecting too much but keeping fingers crossed

29. Prashant Sagar:

P K Joshi board :

Background : Electrical Engg

Optional : Anthropology

Hobbies : RTI/ Primary Education/poetry

Chairman :

- 1) Difference between B.E/Btech
- 2) Reason for unemployment of engg
- 3) govt steps for above
- 4) how are universities ranked.
- 5) why low ranking in foreign ranking system

Member 1 :

- 1) question regarding diff in my marks
- 2) compare delhi and karnataka and bihar
- 3) experiences at all places
- 4) compare the experiences
- 5) How from engg to interview journey

Member 2:

- 1) Misuse of RTI
- 2) farmer condition
- 3) As DM how will u ensure better condn for farmers

Member 3:

- 1) difference between propulsion engine and some other engine (don't remember)
- 2) Another biology question (didn't know)
- 3) How is white color made
- 4) Where in nature 7 colors
- 5) Phenomenon behind it.

Lady member :

Series of questions on dowry In bihar...Cross questions.

(Interview is over)

(Tried to put all I remembered)

30. Utsav Gautam

16/03/18, FN, Prof P K Joshi, 1st one to go, 26 minutes

Mathematics optional, Ex-IOCL, Agra

Chairman

Reading out portion from my DAF

1. Why did you change school from class X and class XII ?
2. What is corporation in IOCL ?
3. Difference between company & corporation ?
4. Why ONGC changed from commission to corporation ?
5. Did you read statistics as part of Maths syllabus in UPSC mains?
6. Did you read statistics in school ? asked about contents of it ?
7. What is mode ?
8. Where I have been staying after I left the job?

9. Specialty of Agra ?

M1

1. Difference between meteoroid, asteroid & comet ?
2. Which one of them is larger ?
3. Why comet has tail ?

M2

1. Asked about my school & prize I won ?
2. What have you learnt from your preparation ?
3. From what other sources you have learnt things in your life ?
4. My Job profile questions, further cross questioning. asked a situational case study based on my job profile I told him that this has happened with me many times so asked to narrate that incident with every tiny bit detail of it for around 6-7 minutes.
5. You were captain of school cricket team, there is important match, there is good player not your friend and your close friend who is not a good player, whom will you choose ? after my reply he asked and did some cross questioning, he again asked what if you lose the match ?

M3

1. What is biological hotspot ? Criteria needed for it ?
2. What is hopespot ?
3. What is NPA ? classification of bad loans, SARFAESI act ?
4. Threats to Taj Mahal ?
5. Why pollution in agra, what are the emission standards followed there, why after so many laws pollution still there ?
6. Tannery industry in agra ?
7. What needs to be done, to reduce pollution from tanneries?

M4

1. How to measure the purity of any substance ?
2. How to measure purity of water bottle ?
3. How to separate, water from diesel & petrol ?
4. Vacuum distillation & subsequent cross questioning.

Overall very cordial board, M3 and M2 were nodding affirmatively at everything I was saying, Joshi sir was writing and m4 try to grill me a bit. Questions purely based on DAF.

31. Anam Siddiqui:

P K Joshi board

mechanical engineering background

geography optional

Kanpur home town

20-25mins interview duration

Chairperson

1. how is IRAS different from accounts departments of other organizations?
2. Kanpur used to be an important industrial hub in India. Why has its relevance diminished?
3. what should be done to revive it as an industrial town?
4. what is GPS and GIS?
5. what is your favorite movie

M1

1. why didn't you join private sector?
2. how many ways of doing forging?
3. alloying science involved?
4. biotrials functioning?
5. from where do we get inoculum bacteria?
6. what is the pH of the process?

M2

1. how would you tackle higher secondary school drop out rates in Muslim community?
2. what about school infrastructure for girl child?
3. what about safety for travel of girl child?
4. what is world happiness report?

M3

1. how can you compare vedas to mechanical engineering?
2. why red color used for stop in railways signals?
3. what is mechanical advantage?
4. how many classes of levers are there?
5. give examples of the three classes of levers.

M4

1. what courses did you like in your mechanical engineering? why?
2. what was special about the teachers that you liked the courses because of them? follow up questions on my answers
3. why didn't you like the other teachers?
4. how many satellites are needed to tell a location in gps?

Thankyou.

32. Gauhar
BE Computer Engg
Bihar
Board : PK Joshi sir
Subject : Urdu

Chairman

Read out my whole DAF

- 1) How you pursuing BE and Job simultaneously
- 2) Tell me name of important short story writers in Urdu
- 3) What are famous short stories of Manto? Name any two
- 4) Why inflation of fruits and vegetables higher than cereals
- 5) What should we do to address issue of perishable goods
- 6) What is difference between Bashir Badar and Waseem Bareilvi....fee questions where both are born and status

M1

- 1) Asked questions related to job and BE, about schedule for approx 10 mins
- 2) What is recent changes in badminton rules
- 3) Which series has recently started

M2

- 1) What do you mean by green in green economy
- 2) What do you understand by carbon sequestration
- 3) What is carbon credits? What is its quantum
- 4) What are greenhouse gases?

- 5) Which gas is used in refrigerator and AC?
- 6) What is problem with CFC?
- 7) Few factual environment questions which I don't even remember

M3

- 1) What is issue of flood in Bihar
- 2) What steps should be taken to control it
- 3) What is your view regarding interlinking of rivers. 2-3 questions and counter questions

M4

- 1) What is e nam
- 2) Which is largest storage public sector agency in India
- 3) What is negotiable warehousing receipts? How farmers are benefitted by it? Few questions

Chairman

Your interview is over

Overall far from satisfactory interview. Not expecting too much but keeping fingers crossed

33. Prashant Sagar:

P K Joshi board :

Background : Electrical Engg

Optional : Anthropology

Hobbies : RTI/ Primary Education/poetry

Chairman :

- 1) Difference between B.E/Btech
- 2) Reason for unemployment of engg
- 3) govt steps for above
- 4) how are universities ranked.
- 5) why low ranking in foreign ranking system

Member 1 :

- 1) question regarding diff in my marks
- 2) compare delhi and karnataka and bihar
- 3) experiences at all places
- 4) compare the experiences
- 5) How from engg to interview journey

Member 2:

- 1) Misuse of RTI
- 2) farmer condition
- 3) As DM how will u ensure better condn for farmers

Member 3:

- 1) difference between propulsion engine and some other engine (don't remember)
- 2) Another biology question (didn't know)
- 3) How is white color made
- 4) Where in nature 7 colors
- 5) Phenomenon behind it.

Lady member :

Series of questions on dowry In bihar...Cross questions.

(Interview is over)

(Tried to put all I remembered)

34. Utsav Gautam

16/03/18, FN, Prof P K Joshi, 1st one to go, 26 minutes

Mathematics optional, Ex-IOCL, Agra

Chairman

Reading out portion from my DAF

1. Why did you change school from class X and class XII ?
2. What is corporation in IOCL ?
3. Difference between company & corporation ?
4. Why ONGC changed from commission to corporation ?
5. Did you read statistics as part of Maths syllabus in UPSC mains?
6. Did you read statistics in school ? asked about contents of it ?
7. What is mode ?
8. Where I have been staying after I left the job?
9. Specialty of Agra ?

M1

1. Difference between meteoroid, asteroid & comet ?
2. Which one of them is larger ?
3. Why comet has tail ?

M2

1. Asked about my school & prize I won ?
2. What have you learnt from your preparation ?
3. From what other sources you have learnt things in your life ?
4. My Job profile questions, further cross questioning. asked a situational case study based on my job profile I told him that this has happened with me many times so asked to narrate that incident with every tiny bit detail of it for around 6-7 minutes.
5. You were captain of school cricket team, there is important match, there is good player not your friend and your close friend who is not a good player, whom will you choose ? after my reply he asked and did some cross questioning, he again asked what if you lose

the match ?

M3

1. What is biological hotspot ? Criteria needed for it ?
2. What is hopespot ?
3. What is NPA ? classification of bad loans, SARFAESI act ?
4. Threats to Taj Mahal ?
5. Why pollution in agra, what are the emission standards followed there, why after so many laws pollution still there ?
6. Tannery industry in agra ?
7. What needs to be done, to reduce pollution from tanneries?

M4

1. How to measure the purity of any substance ?
2. How to measure purity of water bottle ?
3. How to separate, water from diesel & petrol ?
4. Vacuum distillation & subsequent cross questioning.

Overall very cordial board, M3 and M2 were nodding affirmatively at everything I was saying, Joshi sir was writing and m4 try to grill me a bit. Questions purely based on DAF.

35. Anam Siddiqui:

P K joshi board

mechanical engineering background

geography optional

kanpur home town

20-25mins interview duration

Chairperson

1. how is IRAS different from accounts departments of other organizations?
2. kanpur used to be an important industrial hub in india. Why has its relevance diminished?
3. what should be done to revive it as an industrial town?
4. what is GPS and GIS?
5. what is your favorite movie

M1

1. why didnt u join private sector?
2. how many ways of doing forging?
3. alloying science involved?
4. biotiolets functioning?
5. from where do we get inoculum bacteria?
6. what is the pH of the process?

M2

1. how would you tackle higher secondary school drop out rates in muslim community?
2. what about school infrastructure for girl child?
3. what about safety for travel of girl child?
4. what is world happiness report?

M3

1. how can you compare vedas to mechanical engineering?
2. why red color used for stop in railways signals?
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5. give examples of the three classes of levers.

M4

1. what courses did you like in your mechanical engineering? why?
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3. why didn't you like the other teachers?
4. how many satellites are needed to tell a location in gps?

36. Unknown

PK Joshi Sir, Working Professional, Optional: Philosophy, Hobby: Backpacking

1. Can you tell few Indian Philosophers?
2. What is Carvaka Philosophy? Any country which follow Carvaka currently?
3. What is ur role in makemytrip?
4. Chinese products are cheap and thus popular in India. What can we do to make our products popular?

M1:

1. What is your strength and weakness?
2. Who prompt you to go for civil service? Any civil servant motivates you?
3. What is digital india?

M2:

1. Why you choose philosophy as a subject?
2. What labour reforms are required?
3. One issue in labour laws is companies face difficulty in hire & fire. Do you think they should be allowed to fire?
4. Do u think same in civil service?
5. Should we allow lateral entry?

M3:

1. What is backpacking? Where have you been?
2. Did you carry tent there?
3. Which cities you visited in Bhutan?
4. How frequently you travel?

5. Who is Immanuel Kant? And for what he is famous for?
6. What is empiricism?
7. What is the reason of corruption? (I mention rigidity and inefficiency)
8. Is India a soft state? (I got confused between soft state and soft power)
9. Should we prefer soft power or hard power?

M4:

1. What is Nirav Modi Scam?
2. What is the full form of SWIFT?
3. Now mam says that it is due to flexibility and discretion that PNB Scam happened, so its flexibility which breeds corruption. (Now I said that extreme flexibility and rigidity both are bad)
4. What was Bank Nationalisation Act and did it fulfil its objectives?
5. Should we annul this act now?
6. How IT is the backbone of SBI? and how is it different from private bank?
7. What is kyc and why paytm asking for kyc?
8. Why Paytm is only which is asking for biometric? (I said I am not aware of it and mam said and then chairperson said thank you)

Viewpoint: Cordial board.

36. Syed Nabi:

Date 19 March 2018.

Syed fraz haider

P K Joshi board.

optional =Urdu.

- Chairman. 1. read all educational qualification from my daf.
2. gave 4 urdu words and asked me to translate it into english and hindi.
 3. what is your view on mnrega ?
 4. difference between north east state and J&K.
 5. tell me your 3 strength and 3 weakness.

M1.

1. what is demographic dividend.
2. what is india status in demographic dividend.
3. after 1991 how you see rise in inequality in india.
4. dont u think rising inequality is an issue.

M2.

1. what is your view on article 370.
 2. how relation between india and pakistan will improve ?
 3. dont you think sports are good for personality?.
- and few more related to it.

M3.

1. what are issues in bcci.
2. do you think lodha committee recommendation were implementable?
3. why cricket is only famous that much and not other sports.
4. What is gstn ?
5. tell me working of gstn ?
6. is it a private body or govt body.
7. few more related to gstn .

M4.

1. who is your favourite poet and why?
2. any living urdu prose writer who inspires u most.
3. which is your favourite movie and why ?
4. who was director of that movie.
5. what are your achievements till now?

ch. ok fraz your interview is over.

37. Arunlal3/22/18

ARUNLAL 22 March after noon
Kerala, Geography, BTech electronics
P. K. Joshi Board.
4th to go, total almost half an hour.

Overall factual questions and Geography based I felt.
1 lady member

Chairman

:read out my DAF DETAILS one by one

1. When did you decide to join civil services?
2. A CM of a state Says do not sow seeds next season in India while another says floods are there, so why both happen simultaneously? how to deal with them and suggestions. I told about UTFI projects, river linking, precision agriculture etc.
Chair: Does river water Recharge groundwater or reverse?
3. Social Media 3 advantages and 3 disadvantages. (based on my DAF)
4. I worked in Chennai so similarities between kerala and Tamil Nadu.

M2 : Beauty contest what are negative effects? Tell in one minute.
2. Mention above Child labour issues in 2 minutes.

Don't remember his other questions

M3: 1. Do you watch football?
(DAF) related.

So why is India not doing well in football compared to other sports.?
3. Has river water diversion affected any major river source worldwide.
I mentioned Aral Sea. He asked what happened to it?

4. Any example of river linking in Kerala.
5. How can inland Waterways be used effectively. Examples from India and kerala

M4: Demography what is peculiar about kerala Demography.

2. How can Blue economy be used to diversify kerala economy. It prospects.
3. 2 fishermen were killed in Kerala. What was that incident. What is the current state. (Italian marines. Old issue.)
4. Vizhinjam projects what it is and advantages? Current status.

M4: Lady member :

About Ayushman BHARAT.

1. What are possible sources for funding?
2. Difference between Tax and Cess?
3. Why industries very less in Kerala.
4. Reasons for militant trade unionism?

Overall Satisfactory. Except one question was able to answer others. Don't know how they felt as most were expressionless, one sir even Slept. :)

38. Saqib Yousuf3/23/18

JK Domicile

Hobby: NGO, Geopolitics

PK Joshi Board

Chairman:

1. Have you joined training? (On EOL)
2. Define NGO?
3. What purpose does your NGO serve?
4. Who's your role model, apart from parents etc?
5. What does he do?
6. What do you mean by Super hero? (I seemed puzzled)
7. Who are our countries super heros?

M1

1. Did you do coaching for Civil Services?
 2. Tourism potential of JK?
 3. How will you promote it as Home Secretary, apart from marketing?
 4. Why is there terrorism in Kashmir?
 5. Isn't unemployment a reason?
- Some more follow ups.

M2

1. Which area of Geography you like?
2. Who owns Suez Canal?

3. Who owned it before?
4. Where does Nile originate?
5. What countries are involved in Nile dispute?
6. Largest dam on Nile?
7. Issues that came up because of Aswan Dam?
8. Where is Panama Canal?
9. What is maximum weight of ships that can pass through Panama?
10. Which language in North West of India is of Dravidian origin?
11. Status of women in JK?
12. Health parameters

M3

1. Sea level change and its effects?
2. Afghanistan situation? Worse than before?
3. Who controls how much of Afghanistan?
4. Which country supports which group in Afghanistan?
5. Pick one country among China, Vietnam, Taiwan and Japan and tell me about its recent history from imperialism onwards. (Picked China and forgot everything and said sorry sir, can't recall much)

M4

1. What are your views on Human shield incident in JK?
 2. Do you support it?
 3. But army supports it?
 4. Should army be removed from JK?
 5. Which areas you think army should be removed from?
 6. Is it true that militancy is concentrated in certain pockets?
 7. How will you deal with stone pelters?
 8. How many of them are in jail?
 9. How many are to be released soon?
 10. Do you feel it's time to completely integrate JK with Rest of India?
 11. But I want to become permanent resident of JK, you people won't let me?
 12. Some more follow ups on same issues?
 13. What about people living in camps in JK since independence? Why no domicile status for them?
 14. So, they should be given domicile status and matter should be resolved?
- Thank you

39. P.k. Joshi board

Vandana Reddy

Background -Civil engineer

Hobby - traveling and cooking

Chairman

After he read the details from my daf -

- 1) Why are u doing after graduation?
- 2) why do you think extra curricular activities are important in child's education??
- 3) what are the cultural similarities between Hyderabad and Mumbai
- 4) what is the difference between runway and taxiway.. tell it from civil engineering point of view
- 5) what is the difference between expressway and highway from civil engineering point of view
- 6) what is the difference between weather and climate ?
- 7) effect of climate change on structures.
- 8) your hobby is travelling.. where all did u travel??

Member -1:-

- 1) you have recently been to Tanzania and Zanzibar...tell me history geography economy and some thing about particular stones of Tanzania..
- 2) are your ear rings tanzanite stones??
- 3) your are a kuchipudi dancer - tell me some thing about other dance forms...
- 4) tell me some thing about Amaravati capital

Member -2:-

- 1) what is the difference between Single ikat and double ikat??
- 2) tell me something about Anna Hazare
- 3) what is your first preference in service? Will u work in north east??
- 4) latitudinal extent of India.. why is it important??
- 5) does equator pass through India
- 6) do you think Mr. Chandrababu Naidu is right in asking for special category status

Member -3 :-

- 1) tell me how many foreign tourists come to India??
- 2) what is tourist index?
- 3) what is sustainable tourism??
- 4) do you know why was kudankulam is in news?? What is it??
- 5) my question to you is how is nuclear waste treated??
- 6) one last question from my side is do you think aspirations for which your state is divided.. is it achieved???

Member -4:-

- 1) what is ppp?? What projects are conducted under ppp mode?? What are it's benefits???
- 2) do you know about the life history and achievements of vergis Kurian of AMUL??

Chairman :-

Your interview is over.. thank you

40. Reddy 3/28/18

Interview Transcript - PK Joshi sir Board

Background ::

IIT Bombay - CSE graduation, Currently in IRS(IT)

Optional - Mathematics

**Hobbies - Reading Fiction novels, Travelling
Telangana**

Chairman

So Where did u do ur schooling from? And then for graduation?

R u in training now?

Tell me some famous Indian Mathematicians?

What is the contribution of Bhaskacharya?

What is the contribution of Aryabhata?

What is the importance of Trigonometry?

What is Tax Haven?

What is Tax Evasion?

Member 1

How will u increase the tax base?

What is 360 degree profiling on a tax payer?

Tell me about Mauritius route of investment? What is the recent amendment made to DTAA?

What is a hawala transaction? How is money actually transferred?

Aadhaar is being linked to Pan Card, Bank Account - what is the benefit of this measure?

What steps are needed to improve Textile sector?

Tell me measures taken by Govt to improve Machine based Textile sector?

What steps we need to take to reform tea Industry?

How is tea price determined internationally? Have u heard of auctions?

Member 2

Since u have mentioned reading fiction novels - Tell me ur favourite non-fiction book and why?

What is the difference between parliamentary system and presidential system?

How is US president elected? How is electoral college elected?

Recently we are hearing of judiciary actively giving judgements - what is ur opinion on it?

If u r made Tourism Secretary what steps will u take to improve Foreign Tourist Arrivals in the country?

Member 3

Have u heard of Fermat's last theorem?

Who is ur favourite non-Indian mathematician?

Why is Govt only setting up more IITs , not any other Central Universities?

Do u think setting of more IITs is diluting its brand value?

Is the aspirations of the people of Telangana have been met after State Division? Why do u think the division has happened?

Ur CM seems to be fond of Vasthu, do u believe in Vasthu?

What is ur favourite Fiction novel? What is it about? Tell me more books of the Same

author?

Member 4

Tell me ur last 3 travels?

How is technology helping in improving transparency in Governance?

Tell me about Lakshadweep? How many Islands are there?

Tell me about IORA? Tell me about the countries which are part of and those which are not part of?

Recently there is a missile technology transferred between China and Pakistan What is it about? And later - What is MIRV technology?

41. DELETED 4/2/18

PK Joshi board

2 April 2018

Mechanical optional

Job - bpcl/Railway

IIT

CM

1. Difference between company and corporation
2. About JNV (DAF)
3. Use of mechanical in IAS
4. Suppose you are DM where rural children don't go to school and go for grazing their animals or other household work. What would you do ? How you will convince their parents ?

M1

Demographic dividend and demographic burden ? Don't tell me theory, what is the status right now ?

When skill india was started ?

(Prior to modi govt)

Status of skill india ?

In UP many skill centres have been closed, why ?

M2

Can you see some aspects of mechanical engineering in this room ?

What is HVAC ? (optional)

How many types of engine you know ?

What happened in kashmir in this week, how you will solve kashmir problem if posted as DM ?

M3

Today's headlines ?

Is india treating it's women and children properly ? What is main problem ? What we should do ?

M4

Why coming to civil services, you already in group A, you will loose 1 year seniority ?

Types of engine used in railway ?

What should be mix of traction in railway - multimodal or unitary ?

Some cross questions regarding railways.

42. Rahul 4/2/18

Board -pk Joshi sir

2nd April afternoon 3rd one to go

Btech IT/philosophy/up/ngo work ex.

.- why ias?

-Problems in your home district and what is the Dm/SP doing to address these problems.

-Deatils about ngo's and social reformers in our society from ancient 2 modern times.(10 social reformers)(interest)

-What is terrai region (daf)

-what is an encounter(and its

Discussion on up scenario and can a cm give written encounter permission to police .)

- should we control fb or delete it,how to control it,who will control it as it has election issues then women harrasment then radicalization issues.

-use of It in medical sector and associated softwares of medical usages.

-how to improve RPA

- who makes Google maps(like various details of a resedential sector)

-police reforms

-why sap is more popular than other softwares of accounting

-Is there oil/coal in terrai region.

-Are people of up happy after encounters

-specific contributions of joytiba rao phule and raja ram Mohan Roy

Difference between Indian and Western philosophy/ gandhi and ambedkar/did Buddha believed in god.

- Do you read books

- u read foriegn policy of India or entire IR.

43. Ashish Mathur 4/2/18

Ashish

Board - P K joshi

Date - 2 april 2018

Session - afternoon , 2nd one to go.

Pub ad/ Agra / Tata motors work ex. / Watching movies / worked in CSR activites

Ch.

1. What is ur job profile in tata motors ?

2. Difference bw quality assurance and quality control ?

3. What is social engineering ?

4. What is social justice ?

5. Why despite being so many college's quality of students are not good enough ?
6. What steps govt had taken to curb this ?
7. What is the role of AICTE ? And it's full form.

M1.

1. What are different type of social issues india is facing ?
2. What kind of csr activities u was involved with?
3. Tell something about the history of tata group ?
4. Why JRD Tata is famous for ?
5. Why Dalai Lama was in news recently ?

M2.

1. why china has reservations regarding dalai lama and Tibet 60 year ceremony ?
2. Dont u think that India's sovereignty is compromised wrt china ?
3. What is full form of CSR ?
4. Why CSR in todays time . Dont u think Tata's are involved in charity since earlier ?
5. Why is the need of legislation on CSR?
6. Is CSR is mandatory and what is amount which need to be spend ?

M3.

1. Who founded agra ?
2. What was the route taken by babar to India ?
3. Whom did babar defeated ?
4. What technique he used to defeated ibrahim lodi ?
5. Why mughal / Akbar shifted capital from fatehpur sikri to agra.
6. What are some social problems / distress people face in rural areas ?

M4.

1. Why taj mahal is so famous so as to be one of the 7 wonders ?
2. Can taj mahal with stand the earth quake ?
3. What will happen to taj mahal if earth quake come ?
4. which is the recent movie u saw ?
5. Who is real padman ?
6. Why the real padman is so famous ?
7. What changes has been brought by him in society ?.

44. Naveen4/3/18

2nd April, afternoon

PK Joshi board

Chairman

1. Have you done competed your education from Jalandha ber? (Hometown)
2. You've done your BTech from CGC. Is it a Govt college?
3. What is a supercomputer?
4. Which country made the first one?
5. What is PARAM?

6. Any team members in param (name)?
7. What is the weight of tennis ball? (Hobby)
8. What material is tennis ball made of?
9. Tell me three good and bad qualities about you

M1

1. Why do farmers in Punjab prefer labourers
2. Counter question- why do labourers from UP, Bihar work in Punjab?
3. Why is prosperity in Punjab declining?
4. What is the role of Punjab in India?

M3

1. Three events between 1755-65 that impacted history.
2. Why did Ahmad Shah Abdali win?
3. Counter- how were Maratha supplies were cut off?
4. Was Battle of Plassey even a battle?
5. Who was the British Commander in Battle of Plassey?
6. Where was he called from?
7. Should Indus valley civilisation be called IVC or something else?
8. A site in India is of the scale of Harappa and Mohenjodaro. What is that site?

M4

1. Why is sex ratio low in Punjab?
2. Is it good to give autonomy to the educational institutions?
3. Why do people want to spend more in KG but not higher education?
4. Is it feasible to provide universal higher education?
5. Are there enough de addiction centres in Punjab?
6. Are Indians physically weak for games like lawn tennis? (A couple of counter questions as well)

M5

1. What are grand slams?
2. Name the major grand slams and the type of courts
3. Why is lawn tennis not very famous in India?
4. Why do you think is the best Indian singles player?
5. How would you promote lawn tennis in India?

Yes CSE + History optional

45. Name: Amit Undirwade

Graduation: computer technology(2012).

Optional : public administration

Board: P k Joshi sir

Hobbies : visiting villages

Date :3 April (forenoon)

1. What r u doing since graduation.

2. RBI ROLE , how it control economy , why is called as banker of bank
3. Use of computer engineering in administration.
4. Public and private encroachment in areas . Does DM have any power to deal this
5. About Anandibai Joshi. Name of scheme start by Maharashtra government in her name.
6. How Maharashtra state form.
7. Bhagatsingh , rajguru , sukhdev - who is from Maharashtra and his full name
8. Shd migration from rural areas stop .
9. Cultural similarity and difference between Pune and Delhi.
10. Traffic congestion in Pune and Delhi .how u will solve
11. सैराट movie , what it shows .
12. Full form of NABARD AND ITS FUNCTION
13. Marathwada poverty it's reason
14. HDI
15. HOW will u address the rural problems , how will increase the HDI OF village people.
16. About toilet use in villages and urban areas . How to deal it .
17. How u will define feudalism.
18. Is technology doing good , is it benefiting the society . How. ?
(Not as per expectations , fumbling over how Maharashtra state form , not able to remember NABARD Full form , feudalism).

46. Panel : PK JOSHI Sir

03/04/2018 Afternoon

Worked in CRY NGO

School: JNV

GRADUATION: IIT

INDUSTRIAL ENGINEERING AND MANAGEMENT

Chairman:

1. Tell me about Navodaya Vidyalaya and how it's different in comparison to another school?
2. Have you opted for placement?
3. Why CS after having Master degree?
4. Difference between Geology and geography

M1

He miss understood that I have given FORREST MAINS(I DON'T know how they were knowing about my optional subject of IFS)

1. Different types of Forrest and region
2. Tarai region? Which type of Forrest there?
3. Why good Agriculture in northern India but not in South?
4. What is Alluvial Soil? How it's form?
5. (Asked some geology term don't know?)
6. Difference between Industrial Engineering and production Engineering?

M2

1. What is CRY?

2. What you have done? Tell me about your work?
3. Is Make In India SUCCESSFUL?
4. You could have contribute by joining a job?
Why civil services then?
5. If you get into the defense service you will have no scope for MII. What will you do then?
6. If not that if you will in defense account service how you will promote MII?

M3:

1. How to increase Industrial growth? And related to MII?
2. What is SARV SHIKSHA ABHIYAN?

M4(Lady Member)

1. Who is CRY founder?
2. What CRY do?
3. Tell me about Kailash Satyarthi?
4. Tell me about Sex Ratio?
5. What is adverse sex ratio?
6. Why adverse sex ratio in wealthy pockets of Maharashtra?
7. Is separate vidarbha a solution for it's Development?
8. Is small state a solution?
9. what is your stand?
10. Tell me about an political interference in your village?

Thank you

47. P R4/5/18

Chairman - Shri PK Joshi

Optional - Management

Background - BTech, MBA, Work @ Credit Rating (1 yr)

Home State - Madhya Pradesh

Duration - 30 minutes

Sequence - 2nd to go

Observations

- * All members were making vigorous notes
- * All were generally stoic, except Chariman and M1 and M2 - they were smiling and nodding.
- * Chairman - was keeping time per member - looked at watch 2-3 times. He was following strict 30 minutes time per candidate I guess.

Chairman

Hello, please have a seat

You belong to Andhra, but you have stayed in MP. How come ? Did your family stay there ?

Okay, you have studied from NIT Surathkal, IIM Calcutta, worked for almost an year, you are so qualified - you could have gotten any good job in the corporate. Why come to these services then.

What are you doing now

Where are you staying nowadays ? Since how long ?

I see you have done your schooling from Gwalior. Can you tell me importance of Gwalior ?

Okay, let us talk about management a bit. How is it possible that a company makes 150 Cr profit but is unable to pay back a loan of 12 lakhs.

Okay, so lets say you are working for a bank. What ratios will you check before giving a loan to a company

Member 1 (Male)

You spoke about Gwalior, why did the Scindias come to Gwalior from Maharashtra ?

Can you tell me something about the Gwalior Fort. When and why was it built ?

Okay, so you have lived in Mumbai, Delhi and Kolkata. Can you compare these three cities on Air Traffic, Culture and Quality of life ?

Can you tell me how many million passengers each of these airports handle ? A ball park ?

Okay, in Madhya Pradesh there is a place called Sanchi. What is its importance ? What is the place ? Who built it ?

So, US has put some import curbs on steel. What is its implication for India ? Is there an implication ?

Can you estimate in billions the loss we will have

Is it right for America to do this? What can India do ?

Member 2 (Female)

What is the connection of the Scindias and Raja Ravi Varma ?

Okay, you play the guitar, who is your favourite guitarist? Only one?

So, you have done Computer Engineering. Tell me how would you teach to an 8th class student about the history of computers ?

No no, thats all fine. How would you create and hold their interest

Good, who all will you tell them about

Recently the MP government has passed a bill that awards death penalty for Child Rape.

Do you think its justified ?

So all cases of rape should get death penalty. The SC has said only in "rarest of rare" cases. Is murder for murder right ?

Is death penalty the only deterrent in such cases ?

Member 3 (Male) (On DAF)

What is this Tata Social Enterprise Challenge ? What was your role in it ?

What is the contribution of the Tatas for social welfare in the country ?

(interjected)How is Tata Memorial a contribution ?

There is another educational institute that the Tatas have been associated for long. Do you know ?

(Nodding with dismissal) Dont you think IISc ?

Member 4 (Male) (pressure guy)

Chairman - "Paani pee lo agar chahiye to"

Member 4 again

There is a recent call for creamy layer for the SC/STs. Do you think there should be a creamy layer ?

Good, why ?

Dont compare them to the OBCs. What about the rich SC/STs using resources meant for poor one ? There is no benefit for the poor.

But economic criteria is not the only criteria in creamy layer

No no, its not the major criteria. There are many other more important criteria than economic criteria. (Spoke a bit more) Okay, lets move on

Talking about human evolution, there have been many discoveries which are so old. But there is one in MP that goes way beyond most. Do you know about it ? (Bhimbetka)

How old are they?

Who discovered them? Indian or Foreigner ?

Have you visited?

What is so striking about these caves ?

Yes, the paint still looks fresh like painted this morning

How far is it from Bhopal

Okay, you spoke about Rani Lakshmibai. Was her story with Scindias a story of tragedy or valour ?

No no, from the point of view of Scindias, what they did with her. Was it tragedy or valour ?

Okay, can the Scindias enter Jhansi even today ?

They cannot (Lady member - is it so ?) Yes yes, "aaj bhi vo Jhansi mein kadam nai rakh sakte" (All members had a laugh) (I smiled)

Chairman

Looked at the watch (it was exactly 30 minutes).

48. vinod meena 4/5/18

P.K Joshi, afternoon, last one to go

Law graduate

IPoS

Jaipur

Optional Law

Total time: 20 mins

Chairman:

1. Read out my DAF loud.
2. difference between pledge and mortgage.
3. Mistake of fact under what statute, which sections?
4. Gauri shukla case, law of contract.
5. another case law on contract act.
6. When was PIN code introduced?

M1

1. do we need to amend IPC due to compoundable and non- compoundable cases?
2. A situation question on that.
3. What are compoundable and non compoundable cases.
4. What are principles of natural justice?
5. Is rti law good or bad?
6. What relief a person has if CIC refuses information?
7. Exceptions to RTI?
8. Fine for fake applications? Fine for denying information?

M2

1. Justice should not only be done but must also appear to be done. Explain. Cross questions.
2. Tell me a case law on mistake of fact (he took forward the question asked by chairman)
3. Ease of doing business. Just spoke the word.
4. Name a few wars fought by Indian navy?

M3. Lady

1. What is #me too campaign.
2. Who started it?
3. Story behind it?
4. When do you fly kites? (Hobby)
5. Which law would you have practiced had you been a lawyer?

M4.

1. What is administrative law?
2. What are the judicial mechanisms to adjudicate administrative laws?
3. Tribunals under which article of Constitution?
4. 323A and 323B?
5. Where do appeals from tribunals go?
6. Did they always go to high court?
7. Discussed L Chandrakumar case
8. What article deals with high court writ mechanism?

Chairman- thank you. (btw today was his birthday, though i didn't wish him)

Overall, way too technical, only law except few questions.

49. Neeraj, Sat

Neeraj

B.tech...COMPUTERS

PSIR

RAJSTHAN

4 APRIL FORENOON

1st TO GO

PK JOSHI SIR BOARD

Ch. -SUPERCOMPUTER

Jaipur's speciality

Rajasthan strength n weakness

M1- why PSIR

PSIR use in admin

42nd amend

Privy purse

Privy purse and right to property

Right to property ...Is it FR.

FUNDAMENTAL DUTIES

WHY FD

In which regime FD wer included?

3 4 more not able to recall

M2- totally on rajasthan

Consolidation

Jodhpur speciality on which I did not know anything

Jodhpur china wall connection

Jodhpur king clan

Jodhpur kannauj link

Percentage of princely states area in colony

Many more

M3-computer eng..Then pair why

What is political science

Where is polity in it

Ques on my industrial training

Biometric tech nd privacy issue

Book which u read for PSIR

Garbage in garbage out

M4-world political

Trump and anti glob

Impact

Make in india

Make in india is anti glob also

Nd discussion over it

Ch again-jaipur smart city

What it is

Why

Metro city nd smart city any diff

Why needed

What about villages

Smart villages

Make a smart village

Int is over

My interaction- very cordial board

Min counter ques...

Initially totally fact based but after trump it turned analytical

Apx 30 min when it is over dnt know....

Pk joshi sir was very attentive all the tym :blush:

50. Himanshu UpadhyaySat

Name: Himanshu Upadhyay

DOI- 20.03.2018

P K Joshi Board

Background- Electrical Engineer

Optional - Electrical Engineering

Place- Agra, Uttar Pradesh

Chairmen

1. Your profile seems to be very good for Central Power Engineering Services, then Why you want to join Civil Services?
2. What is the role of Electrical Engg. in Administration?
3. What is Social Engineering?
4. Suppose you are a police officer in a Naxal affected area then how you will control the Naxal problem in that area?

Member 1

1. You Play cricket? Batting or Bowling? So what is Yorker?
2. What is ChinaMen Bowling?
3. If you want to adopt a cricketer couple as your parents then who would they be?
4. What is India's Maritime Policy since the past?
5. How Kashmir issue can be solved?

Member 2

1. Have you visited Kashmir?
2. So how can you justify the solutions about Kashmir?
3. Suppose a stone thrower throws a stone to you and you being a police officer then what will you do?
4. How J & K is Different from Other states?
5. Criteria for Special Category States?
6. Historically how Kashmir is integrated to India?

Member 3

1. Himanshu, tell me one problem which all Discoms are facing in India, which if Solved will resolve most of the issues in the power sector?

2. what is Saubhagya Scheme?
3. What is the Target of UDAY Scheme in terms of AT&C losses?
4. How Saubhagya scheme is different from IPDS and DDUGJY?
5. Is there any state who has achieved the 15 % Target of AT&C losses?
6. How many Villages are not electrified till now?

Member 4

1. Again a question on Rural Electrification villages
2. Question on Railway Electrification. Should 100 % allowed or What is the approach of the Govt.?
3. You was Selected for ISRO , then why did you Join Engineering services?
4. So, In which area you want to work in civil services?
5. Are you comfortable in Nagaland?
6. What are the issues in Primary Education in India?
7. What is Dropout Ratio?

51. Amita Pargi

6th April afternoon

last to go

PK Joshi Board

Background- B. Pharmacy

Hobbies- Reading novels, playing tennis.

Chairman-

1. So you did your schooling from Ahmedabad and your graduation from Anand, is that correct?- Yes, sir
2. You have graduated from pharmacy, did you not want to pursue a career in that field?- Answered
3. You completed your graduation in 2012, so what are you doing at the moment? (training as TDO and selected as GAS)- thats good.
4. Can you tell me the difference between the economies of India and China? Answered
5. How can we address the huge difference in the sizes of our economies? Answered

Member 1-

1. So it is said that foreign companies collude with domestic companies to drive up the prices of drugs in our country do you think that is correct? Answered
2. Same is the case with medical devices, what do you think are the effects of these policies? Answered
3. What is the role of Doctors in driving up the prices of drugs? Answered
4. Do you think we should have a law making it compulsory for doctors to prescribe generic medicines? Answered
5. Which country is the leading manufacturer of paracetamol in the world? Answered correctly

Member 2-

1. So your hobby is reading novels, which type of novels do you read? Popular novels

2. English or Gujarati? English
3. Which is the last novel that you read? Game of thrones by George RR Martin, Good
4. What is the rank of India in the Pharma Sector? (not sure, asked to guess, guessed correctly)
5. What is KHAM combination? - not Answered
6. Have you heard of Khap panchayat? Answered
7. What is the difference between Krishna of Mathura and Krishna of Dwarka? Answered
8. What was the name given to Krishna? Answered (Ranchodd)
9. Do you know what is Indus Valley Civilisation? Answered
10. Can you tell me cites of IVC in Gujarat? Answered
11. Can you name some ancient ports? Answered
12. Have you heard of Lakhpat and Koteswar? Yes
13. Describe layout of Dholavira. Answered
14. Which is the river that passes near Dholavira. Not Answered
15. How is oceanography used in the study of ancient habitats? (I couldn't understand the question so i asked him if he was referring to the study of submerged sites like Dwarka) Answered

Member 3-

1. So where are you posted as BDO? Are you under training? Yes
2. Have you heard of Kanaiyalal Munshi? Yes
3. Can you name his famous novel? Answered
4. Have you read it? Yes
5. Have you read 'Gujarat no naath'? Aware but not read, yet.
6. What is Gujarat model? Answered
7. Can it be replicated in the other parts of the country? Answered
8. They say that development is not possible in a democracy, what are your thoughts? Answered

Member 4-

1. India is a leading manufacturer of drugs in the world, it has lead to drug menace, what do you think? Answered
2. What can be the solution to this problem? Answered
3. Many drugs are available OTC illegally, what can be the solution? Answered
4. Why is consumer awareness and drug regulation weak in India even after 70 years of independence? Answered

Member 5-

1. What is Brexit? Answered
2. People in UK are now saying that it was a mistake, why are they saying so? Answered
3. Ahmedabad was recently declared as WHC, on what basis? Answered
4. What is the sex ratio in Gujarat? Answered
5. Why is it so low? Answered

Chairman-

Ok, thank you, your interview is over.

Chairman-

6. Can you name some PVTG in your state? Answered

7. What are the schemes in your state for their protection? Answered

52. UKWed

Name- Akhilesh Singh Yadav

Board:P K Joshi sir

Electrical & Electronics, Hindi Literature

Badminton, Contemporary Hindi Novel

10th april ..Afternoon 2nd to go

Time-3.00-3.30pm

Medium-Hindi

Ch.

1. Why civil services after engg..
2. why so many enngs for civils?(2-3 cross quests)
3. Role of Electrical in Admin..
4. Tell me about Ghazipur Opium Factory..raw material (Ghazipur hometown)

M1(Lady)

1. Tell me a short story of Munshi Premchand.
2. Gangrape case of Unnao(yesterday news)
3. What will u do as SP.
- 4.badminton famous players of India
- 5.Commonwealth game....venue?(Gold Coast)
- 6.Why did they call it Gold Coast?
- 7.How many medals we have won till today?
- 8.Youngest Indian commonwealth gold medalist.
- 9.Problems of Lucknow..
- 10.What will u do as Commissioner..
- 11.Odd-even scheme..Delhi pollution...

M2

1. Delhi traffic problem...Is Delhi metro sufficient to tackle it...what will u do..
2. How much part of your electrical knowledge you will use in administration...
3. Positives and Negatives of Delhi on your personality
4. India's foreign policy about Sri Lanka and Maldives..
5. Tell me about Diego Garcia..
- 6.Diego Garcia controversy and India's stand on it..
- 7.Importance of Mauritius for India..

M3

1. Again...Mauritius as a tax haven...effect on India..what should India do..
2. European Refugee Crisis..
3. Effects on Eu countries..elections

4. Brexit...detail...
5. Brexit's Positive and Negative effects on India..

M4

1. Ujjwala Yojana(gas)
2. Bharatmala project
3. Saubhagya Yojna
4. New trend in Modern Hindi Literature..

Ch.Thank You. Your Interview is over..

Board was cordial...exact 30mins....not able to recall some quests of M3 and M4.....
All d best to everyone..:pray::pray::pray::pray:

53. Name Rahul javir.

Date 10/04/2018

optional : public administration

Board P.K Joshi sir

2nd to go in morning

Chairman:

- 1)you have done BE and also joined Civil services in 2016?
- 2)how can you use your knowledge of engineering in railways ?
- 3) how old is this upscale building? Any idea?
- 4) which foreign travellers travelled to India?
- 5) what they have brought about India in their books?
- 6)do you know kemal pasha Ataturk.?
- 7)what is difference between administration and management ?
- 8) where have you travelled ?

member 1:

- 1) why you started family counselling?
- 2)what is this 498A,304B and dowry prohibition act?
- 3) which songs you listen?
- 4) do you just follow m S subbululaxmi or you know something about specific ragas?

5) what is this AI? and how is it's development in India?

6) whether it can be used in smart city ?

Member 2:

1) so you know about peshwa history ,what was factors behind end of peshwa rule ?

2) tell some social reformers from Maharashtra? And their work ?

3) saint poets from Maharashtra ? And their contribution?

4) what is smart city? As a dm how will you develop Pune as smart district?

Member 3.

1) why there is low employability among Indian engineers ?

2) what needs to be done?

3) local self governance structure in India ?

4) as a dm how will you ensure women's participation in LSG?

5) why public administration got sprayed from political science?

Member 4.

1) so you talk about baba adhav (I clarified that I talked about baba amte) ? Tell me about baba adhav and kashtakari kamgar panchayat?

2) what is this human resource management system?

3) performance management system? And which is followed in India?

4) what is the 3R of sustainable development?

5) what is status of sbm in Pune ?(told about pmc initiatives and Adar Poonwala clean city initiative). thank you your interview is over.