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### Frederick Douglas

Good morning, Laura Meyer, isn't it?

### Laura Meyer

Yes, good morning.

### Frederick Douglas

I'm Frederick Douglas. I manage the marketing department here. You can call me Fred.

### Laura Meyer

Okay, Fred.

### Frederick Douglas

Have you already been shown around the company?

### Laura Meyer

Yes, I got here at 9 AM and Jessica gave me a tour of the place.

### Frederick Douglas

And what did you think?

### Laura Meyer

It's a lot bigger than I thought it would be.

### Frederick Douglas

Yes, a lot of people say that. Now, we have over 50 people working for us here. Did you bring your resume?

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### Laura Meyer

I sent it by e-mail last week.

### Frederick Douglas

Yes, of course. I was reading it only yesterday. Now, where is it? Here it is. Here we are. Laura Meyer, 26 years old, born in Germany. Okay, let's see. Where did you hear about us?

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### Laura Meyer

My brother worked for you a couple of years ago and has always spoken well of you.

### Frederick Douglas

Eric Meyer, yes, I remember him. How long did he work here for, sorry?

### Laura Meyer

I think it was about 10 months. Now, he's living in the U.K. He's been working for a magazine in London for around a year.

### Frederick Douglas

You'll say "hi" to him from me, won't you?

### Laura Meyer

Okay, sure.

### Frederick Douglas

Now, tell me something about your work experience, Laura.

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### Laura Meyer

Well, I worked in the offices of my mother's company when I left the university.

### Frederick Douglas

What sort of company does your mother run?

### Laura Meyer

It's a caterers. She does catering for weddings, graduations, funerals, that type of thing.

### Frederick Douglas

How long did you work there for?

### Laura Meyer

About a year or so. They put me on the phones, and I was also responsible for all the advertising and our leaflets, business cards, and the website.

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### Frederick Douglas

So, you didn't do any of the cooking?

### Laura Meyer

No. They kept me a long way from the kitchen.

### Frederick Douglas

What did you do after that?

### Laura Meyer

Well, I traveled for a little while, mostly in Europe and a little in South America.

### Frederick Douglas

How long?

### Laura Meyer

It wasn't too long. Maybe about six months. I had a job that was going to start at the end of the year, so I had about six months free. So, I though "why not?"