## Software Engineer Interview Questions to Help You Hire the Right Developer

Whether it's <u>in-house</u> or <u>freelance</u>, <u>finding</u> the <u>right</u> <u>software engineer</u> takes some work, and it's even *more* difficult if you're unsure of what to ask. Software <u>developers</u> are <u>technical</u> <u>people</u>, so most interviewers <u>tend</u> to <u>jump into</u> the <u>technical interview right away</u>, but there are <u>plenty</u> of <u>personality</u> and <u>ethics questions</u> that you can ask to <u>ensure</u> the one you <u>hire is the best</u> fit for your project.

## 1- Preparing for the Interview

- Know your project requirements
- Know your budget
- Know your deadline
- Prepare your questions

## 2- Software Engineer Hiring Process

There are three main interview phases when working with any type of app or software developer. You may do only one or all of the following:

- Phase I: This is the <u>basic introduction phase</u> and usually <u>involves basic questions</u> about <u>previous employment</u> and any <u>previous projects</u> the software developer has worked on.
- **Phase II**: This is the <u>technical stage</u> of the interview to <u>evaluate</u> the <u>developer's skill</u>.
- **Phase III**: This is the <u>final part</u> of the interview where the <u>developer can ask questions</u> and <u>clarify any confusion</u>.