

Full Critical Experiences List for Consulting Executive

Consulting Experiences	Executive
1. Develop strong relationships with client contacts	$M = 4.76$ $SD = .54$
2. Maintain composure under pressure	$M = 4.64$ $SD = .63$
3. Attend client meetings to build client relations	$M = 4.60$ $SD = .75$
4. Contribute to the success of projects or consulting assignments	$M = 4.58$ $SD = .74$
5. Present information at client meetings	$M = 4.57$ $SD = .74$
6. Interact with clients regarding requests, inquiries, and questions	$M = 4.57$ $SD = .65$
7. Manage relationships and networks with others in the organization	$M = 4.49$ $SD = .84$
8. Maintain high client retention rate	$M = 4.48$ $SD = .79$
9. Expand number of clients	$M = 4.44$ $SD = .77$
10. Works independently with minimal supervision	$M = 4.42$ $SD = .85$
11. Understand how to apply I-O psychology consulting skills in a way that enhances business	$M = 4.42$ $SD = .81$
12. Serve as a subject matter expert in a given area	$M = 4.37$ $SD = .78$
13. Create and administer own projects from start to finish	$M = 4.36$ $SD = 1.00$
14. Follow timelines and budgets on project work	$M = 4.33$ $SD = .84$
15. Contribute to or complete projects in different areas (e.g., selection, training, coaching)	$M = 4.30$ $SD = .89$
16. Develop or contribute innovative ideas	$M = 4.25$ $SD = .78$
17. Manage large client accounts	$M = 4.21$ $SD = 1.01$
18. Translate organizational strategy into action	$M = 4.19$ $SD = .99$

19. Plan complex tasks or projects	$M = 4.18$ $SD = .83$
20. Track business opportunities	$M = 4.17$ $SD = .83$
21. Recommend changes to projects	$M = 4.15$ $SD = .92$
22. Manage available resources	$M = 4.15$ $SD = .85$
23. Write project proposals	$M = 4.14$ $SD = .96$
24. Assist with project delivery	$M = 4.11$ $SD = .99$
25. Establish a strategy to reach the organization mission	$M = 4.10$ $SD = 1.06$
26. Monitor outcomes of assigned projects	$M = 4.10$ $SD = .95$
27. Create original products or processes	$M = 4.09$ $SD = .90$
28. Manage small client accounts	$M = 4.08$ $SD = 1.12$
29. Allocate resources effectively	$M = 4.06$ $SD = 1.00$
30. Collaborate with others on various projects	$M = 4.06$ $SD = .96$
31. Expand services clients beyond those originally contracted for	$M = 4.05$ $SD = .85$
32. Complete highly complex projects that require a wide range of skills (e.g., analytical skills, knowledge of various methodologies)	$M = 3.99$ $SD = 1.03$
33. Establish a core vision	$M = 3.96$ $SD = 1.08$
34. Work on a diverse array of projects	$M = 3.95$ $SD = .95$
35. Demonstrate political savvy in structuring and designing projects	$M = 3.94$ $SD = 1.23$
36. Use organizational performance data to support a recommendation	$M = 3.88$ $SD = 1.09$
37. Build client portfolios	$M = 3.85$ $SD = 1.06$
38. Manage budgets for a portfolio of projects	$M = 3.83$ $SD = 1.08$

39. Track hours billed to various projects	$M = 3.80$ $SD = 1.20$
40. Demonstrate that project work adds value to the organization	$M = 3.73$ $SD = 1.16$
41. Decide which markets to expand into	$M = 3.72$ $SD = 1.14$
42. Track and measure success of programs	$M = 3.72$ $SD = 1.02$
43. Oversee and guide projects of others	$M = 3.68$ $SD = 1.25$
44. Support colleagues in sales of products to clients	$M = 3.68$ $SD = 1.18$
45. Develop expertise in multiple content areas of I-O	$M = 3.65$ $SD = 1.05$
46. Collaborate with other staff who are not in an I-O role	$M = 3.60$ $SD = 1.32$
47. Lead project teams	$M = 3.50$ $SD = 1.25$
48. Participate in professional development programs	$M = 3.44$ $SD = 1.03$
49. Manage performance of subordinates	$M = 3.43$ $SD = 1.40$
50. Complete projects on a global scale	$M = 3.39$ $SD = 1.34$
51. Attract and retain top talent to organization	$M = 3.38$ $SD = 1.38$
52. Demonstrate value of research and development for future revenue generation	$M = 3.32$ $SD = 1.34$
53. Provide developmental opportunities to subordinates	$M = 3.31$ $SD = 1.31$
54. Write technical reports	$M = 3.29$ $SD = 1.22$
55. Mentor and coach new consultants	$M = 3.25$ $SD = 1.13$
56. Coordinate between the consulting and the research and design areas of the organization	$M = 3.19$ $SD = 1.46$
57. Assist with training new employees	$M = 3.08$ $SD = 1.24$
58. Become a part of a task force and/or committee	$M = 2.97$ $SD = 1.24$

59. Collaborate with other divisions in the organization (e.g., technology, sales)	<i>M</i> = 2.96 <i>SD</i> = 1.45
60. Conduct succession planning	<i>M</i> = 2.85 <i>SD</i> = 1.29
61. Serve as advocate for employees	<i>M</i> = 2.83 <i>SD</i> = 1.23
62. Represent division to the rest of the organization	<i>M</i> = 2.76 <i>SD</i> = 1.47
63. Conduct performance reviews for team leaders	<i>M</i> = 2.72 <i>SD</i> = 1.35
64. Monitor global competitors	<i>M</i> = 2.57 <i>SD</i> = 1.21
65. Use different types of analytical software (e.g., SPSS, Mplus, SAS)	<i>M</i> = 2.30 <i>SD</i> = 1.25
66. Publish research	<i>M</i> = 2.30 <i>SD</i> = 1.19
67. Use different types of analytical methods (e.g., Structural Equation Modeling, Hierarchical Linear Modeling, Multiple Regression, ANOVAs)	<i>M</i> = 2.10 <i>SD</i> = 1.13

Note: Means and standard deviation reported for all experiences of Executive ($n = 117 - 122$) within Consulting.