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14 WAYS TO SCREW UP YOUR COLLEGE INTERVIEW

MAX, 18, Male

INTERVIEWER 1, 20's, NA

Max enters the scene, devil may care attitude. Interviewer extends its hand.

INTERVIEWER 1
Thank you for coming.

MAX
Whoa! What is that?

INTERVIEWER 1
What?

MAX
What are you doing with your hand there?

INTERVIEWER 1
I'm... offering to shake you hand.

MAX
Oh my god! Who does that anymore?!? A hand shake? Okay, I'll shake your hand.

Max shakes the interviewer's hand. Too hard.

INTERVIEWER 1
Ow, what are you doing?

MAX
Oh what?!? Now I'm shaking your hand too hard?!?

INTERVIEWER 1
Yeah. Why would you squeeze it that hard.

MAX
Oh, I'm sorry. I didn't realize this was a "finishing school" for "girls" with... baby hands!

Max tussles Interviewer's hair and takes a seat.

MAX (CONT'D)

Alright so let me in to your school, okay?

INTERVIEWER 1

What? No that's not how this works.

MAX

Oh shut up! Sure it does.

INTERVIEWER 1

No, it isn't!

MAX

Look, my mom's being really annoying right now. She's all, "Get into college." And I'm like, "If I get into a college will you shut up!" And she's like "No, I'm not going to shut up until you get out of my house!" And I'm like, "Fine! But if I get into college and move out of the house then you have to shut your mouth! Forever!" And she was like "sure! Just get out of my house!" And I was like, "Great!" And then I made her sign a contract so that she couldn't back out of it later. And she did! It's legal now!

INTERVIEWER 1

What?!? That can't be legal.

MAX

Yeah it is! I got a lawyer! It's happening! So get me into a college so I can shut her up!

INTERVIEWER 1

Well, no, I'm not going to let you into school to shut your mom up.

MAX

Yes you will!

INTERVIEWER 1

No. I won't.

MAX

Well then I'll beat you up.

INTERVIEWER 1
You'll beat me up?!?

MAX
Yeah! With my fist! And your
face! Together as one!

INTERVIEWER 1
This is over. I'm not going to
threatened by some stupid bully!

MAX
You're going to be threatened if I
use my fist!

INTERVIEWER 1
No. I won't. Get out!

Max fake punches Interviewer. Interviewer 1 flinches.

MAX
Yeah, that's what I thought.
Acceptance granted.

INTERVIEWER
That doesn't mean you got in.

MAX
What?!?

Max threatens punching again. Interviewer 1 flinches again.

MAX (CONT'D)
See ya next fall. When I'm coming
to your school... as student. Max
out!

Max leaves confident he got in.

INTERVIEWER 1
(quietly to himself)
You're not getting in.