DoorDash Product Manager Interview Prep

INTERVIEW FORMAT
The final interview will be a virtual onsite interview day; it will last approx. 3 hours and consist of 4 different interview rounds as outlined below:

- Product Sense  [45 min]
- Product Prioritization  [45 min]
- Analytics  [45 min]
- Product Values  [30 min]

Each round is a 1:1 with a product manager from any one of our product teams. You will use 1 zoom link, and our interview team will join/leave for each round. Please note that this is a general interview loop; team matching will be done post-onsite (in most instances).

PRODUCT SENSE
Goal of the Interview:
We want to understand how you think about creative and impactful ways to solve customer problems at scale.

Signals We Look For:
- Ability to think critically and methodically when it comes to solving product problems with deep empathy and consumer-centricity. Ability to take a big space and break it down into smaller parts
- Value & Impact: Demonstration of a point of view and reasoning around what jobs need to be done, enumerating opportunities.

PRODUCT PRIORITIZATION
Goal of the Interview:
This round is intended to assess how you break down a problem, prioritize opportunities, and go about fixing them.

Signals We Look For:
- Clear, data-driven, and systematic approach to product prioritization
- How would you go about measuring how bad something is?
- Strong understanding of tradeoffs involved and willingness to make tough decisions
- Ability to establish a north star in the beginning and use that to guide your discussion.

Analytics
Goal of the Interview:
To Assess how you incorporate analytics into the product development process to influence product decisions.

Signals We Look For:
- We’re looking for PMs that know how data works and how it impacts a product.
- We look for you to talk about (hypothetical) tangible approach to testing your hypothesis.
- Emphasizing how you’d use data, trend, and metrics to guide product decisions or direction.

PRODUCT VALUES
Goal of the Interview:
We’re curious how you learn, how you respond to feedback, how you deal with ambiguous problem spaces, and more!

Signals We Look For:
- Ultimately, we mainly want to know how your values align with our company values.
- You can find + read through a full list of our company values here.