

1.If anything was possible, what would your dream job be, and why?

I've never really had any working passion in my life since I'm more of a realist than a dreamer. So, I've always seen jobs as a means to earn and supply the things I want to possess in life. But if I had to enumerate something I really want to do with regardless of any circumstance. That is to work for a movie studio as big as Marvel or work on any movie. However, if that doesn't work out, I would also love to work for a toy company, preferably the one that makes and sells Funko Pops. As an avid film enthusiast, it has always been a passion of mine to work on movies, to live and see the magic behind the screen. But I am also a huge fan of toys and/or action figures as I am already a collector myself, so to be able to have the opportunity to work on one is a dream come true.

2. Have you ever experienced a stressful situation in your past workplace (college if fresh graduate), what was it and how did you overcome it?

The biggest source of stress in college was working on feasibility or research studies as you have to work with deadlines, different schedules with your members, and the constant pressure that maybe what you were working on for such a long time is actually wrong. It was a tiring and stressful environment not only for me but for everyone else in the group since we were in it together. It also didn't help that clashes between different ideas or approaches to a certain part of the study are inevitable. But, the help of trying to work on it with each other no matter the differences, and settling on compromises so we can focus on what needs to be done was a stepping stone to pulling through. And I wouldn't have done everything that I did if it wasn't for the people I was with, they were both stressful to work with but fun and motivational, a great balance.

3. In your previous position, what task did you find most challenging and why? What task did you enjoy most and why?

As a fresh graduate, I only have my online internship to turn to for a little bit of experience in the working industry. And though it was more laid back and simple there were also challenging instances here and there. The challenging part is having to talk to other interns, since I'm more of a shy introvert, especially to new people and with the pandemic's isolation for years, it didn't help my communication skills either. I was very shy to even speak present in most meetings, but it's good that the internship mostly develops your communication skills since tasks are mostly simple, excessive but never the less simple. At the end, it helped me improve communicating towards other people and work well with a team I personally don't know. I went as far as almost making it to team leader but my internship was coming up so I couldn't take the position, though I felt proud to reach that point.

4. How would your previous managers/coworkers describe you?

I personally did not know the people I worked with since it was an international company and my coworkers came from different places and backgrounds. Though I'd like to think that they'd describe me as someone who was responsible, took accountability, and was kind. Since we were always so kind and polite to each other during meetings and addressing tasks. And I was always responsible in whatever task I'm working on from meeting deadlines to making sure it is of quality was definitely a work for me. Though, I couldn't say more on how my co-workers and managers would describe me since we didn't get to interact that much aside from working on tasks.

5. What personal or professional accomplishments are you most proud of?

Since I'm a fresh graduate I don't really have any accomplishments professionally, yet. Though personally I think my biggest accomplishment is graduating, since there were many instances in the pandemic where I thought 'Is this worth it?' 'Is my course worth it?' and I've always met myself with silence asking those questions. But I thought of my parents who went through so much just to give me everything I need and want. It was a struggle for me, especially mentally but with my parents and future in thought, I pulled through, I had to. And now actually working for a company, it still feels surreal for me but I would really love to get back to my parents for their undying love and support. But, this job also means fueling my mild addiction to collecting toys such as happy meals, funko pops, anime action figures, and hopefully many more exciting and new little things in the future.