

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

My dream job would be a Flight Attendant. This has been my dream job since I entered high school. I would always imagine myself wearing their uniforms whenever I see them on TV. Adults would always say that a Flight Attendant is just a maid on the airplane. They will say it in a nasty way that it seems like they are mocking that job. But their mockery never hindered my dream to be one. I'm still pursuing it despite of their judgment on that job. When I was nearly graduating from junior high school, my passion to be a flight attendant just got bigger. But my mother's words made me realize that I cannot pursue that course anymore. I am short and I would not be able to find a job with this height. With that, I instantly change my course. I'm always thinking what course I will pursue now. I heard from a friend that there's a course called BS Accountancy and she said it's all about numbers. Her words caught my attention because I love numbers. I thought maybe I can pursue this course since it is aligned with my favorite subject which is math. But then when I got to college, I found that Accounting is not all about math. It's all about analyzation and it's very complicated. Even though I was not qualified to go on with that course, I did not regret taking Accountancy. I've learned to love it, but Accountancy doesn't love me back. It's a lost that I was not given a chance to be a flight attendant but I'm thankful that I was able to land in Accountancy that thought me how to study hard.

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?

Yes, I have experienced a stressful situation back when I was in first year college and my course that time was BS Accountancy. It was so stressful because when you don't study hard, you will literally fail every quiz. It was my first time to experience studying hard for a one subject only. A very complicated subject that really needs your whole attention. Way back in high school, books were just a decoration. Only needed when there is something to read or something to answer. But in Accountancy, you'll literally open it every day and understand every word written on it. At first, it was stressing me out since it's my first time experiencing it, but as the time goes by, I got used to it and I was able to overcome it. I was happy to experience that feeling. That feeling of determination and eagerness to be still part of that family. But God has a different path for me, that's why I was able to move on in life and accept my defeat with Accountancy.



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

When I was doing my OJT in Inventor, Miranda, & Associates, I got challenged the most by their clients' working papers. Their system is new to me that's why I was challenged by it. They are doing their working papers in Excel and all the files are in different tabs. All the cells are connected that's why I need to be extra careful because I might format the cells. The forwarding of amounts is very easy. What's the most difficult is calling the client each day just to remind of their trial balance since the due is fast approaching. When the client sent the balances late, me and miss Jammie are put in the tight spot since the deadline is fast approaching. After a while I got the hang of the works in the office, and I was able to do the work efficiently. But I was assigned to the working papers part rarely. I was more involved in doing the filing of taxes of the different companies in the BIR Portal.

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

I was awarded as the Most Enthusiastic in my OJT workplace because they said I'm the most talkative and the always happy person. They always see me smile and they say I'm their happy pill. And I know that I'm that kind of a person. I always love to see people smile. It's like my heart is warming whenever I see someone smiling. Their work there in IMA is very stressful because they are handling many clients. Sometimes, I'm making jokes for them, and they are also making fun of me, but not in a bad way. The employees there are very approachable that it made the workplace a healthy one. I think, employees are the one who is making a company successful. They have the right attitude and the right skills to be part of that organization. They are open for OJTs because of the heavy workload. That's why making them smile is important to me. If the employees are not happy anymore with what they are doing, they will really choose to resign. Happiness is important just like how earning is important.

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

My personal accomplishment that I am most proud of is when I was able to graduate last June 16, 2023. It is my life-long dream because it is also the dream of my parents. I am the first graduate in our family that's why my parents are very proud of me. Despite of the many challenges that our family has encountered, we were able to survive it all with the help of God. My mom is an OFW for how many years and my dad is a jeepney driver. They were able to give us whatever school expenses or needs we have, and that became my inspiration to strive hard and never waste their sacrifices. I am very happy now because I will be able to return the favor by helping them in our daily expenses. I am the eldest and I have 3 more siblings that are still in school. Even though they are in the public schools, they still have so many expenses



that's why I'll be in charge with the schooling expenses of my sister who is now in 3<sup>rd</sup> year college in the opening.