

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

If anything was possible, I would have a lot of aspirations. I love watching Science fiction movies. Watching these kinds of movies made me want to be an astronaut when I grow up. Unfortunately, as I grew up, I realized that it was impossible because I didn't have the resources to become one. When I was in high school, I started to love reading and eventually, I started reading Mangas. I also started to watch anime. For that reason, I met people who like the same things as me. These people became my friends. They introduced me to video games. At first, I just watched them play. I enjoyed watching them, hence, I bought myself a desktop computer. Now, I play with them in my free time. This hobby of mine made me want to be a game developer. I thought that it was cool how they can think of a bunch of creative ideas and make it into a game. I have responsibilities as the eldest daughter, so it was already too late for me to aspire to be one. Still, I am happy with just playing those games with my friend. However, if anything was indeed possible, I would strive to achieve my dream job.

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?

I have no experience in working yet, except for my Internship in DILG – Negros Occidental. The daily tasks in DILG-NO were easy. However, the requirements caused me to be in a stressful situation. We were required by DILG-NO to make a policy paper and it was full-on research. Along with this, we were also required to make a portfolio. It was not impossible, and I am already quite knowledgeable in making these. However, it became stressful for me because along with those requirements we were also busy with schoolwork. We also needed to pass a portfolio to pass the Internship subject in our school. Our Thesis and Feasibility Study was also being finalized. I had to take days off my internship for those. Although in the end, I was able to get through the stressful situation with the help of some of my groupmates. Me and my groupmates were the only interns that were able to finish our policy paper for DILG-NO.



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

The task I found most challenging was the policy paper. We were in DILG-NO from Monday to Friday. We had to do our tasks when we were there. We only had a little time to make that policy paper. Also, we were management accounting students. We had literally no idea how to make a policy paper. At first, we had to make a policy paper individually. We presented each of our studies and the three best ones will be made by groups of three. My study was chosen, and we worked on it. While working on it, I realized that I enjoyed it the most. My co-interns hated it, but I secretly enjoyed it. It was new to us and there I also realized that I actually like doing research studies. I do not think that I am good at it. I always think that I have a lot of things to improve. However, what I am sure of is that I enjoy it and I will continue to do it. I will probably take a master's degree in business administration.

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

I am not quite sure how my previous managers/coworkers will describe me. I never ask. However, I have noticed that I kind of have leadership skills. I was the leader of our Feasibility Study. I was not the leader of our thesis, but my groupmates still depended on me, even our leader. During our internship, I was also the leader in our policy paper. So, if they were to describe me, I would be someone dependable. I don't believe in my capabilities, but my groupmates believe and depend on me. It can be pressuring but I still do my best. Even though I am also not knowledgeable in some areas, I study and do my research. Some of my friends would tell me that I make my life hard by accepting to lead and even by wanting a master's degree. However, I know what I like and what I want. I like to challenge myself. I like learning new things. Hence, I work hard to achieve what I want by doing what I like.



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

I am most proud of myself for graduating. All those years I spent in school were for this. To be able to graduate with a bachelor's degree in management accounting. During my elementary days, I was an achiever. I was a consistent honor student in high school. During my college years, I realized that I wasn't that smart. I spent two years and two summers as an accountancy student. I passed the qualifying exam to proceed. However, after those years, I failed. I got super disappointed in myself. I barely studied after that. I was thinking that there was no point in it because I already failed. I was already planning what I would do in the future, but my failure ruined my plans. For months, I was like that. The good thing was that eventually, I realized that in life, you are bound to fail once in a while. I took my failure as a lesson and continued studying. After two more years, I graduated and was ready to face the real world.