



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

If anything is possible, I would like to be a Fashion Designer as my dream job. Growing up, I was really invested in fashion, I like to draw clothes, even though I don't really know how to draw, or I am not very creative, but I had a wide imagination when I was young. I also grew up watching and admiring Barbie, which was also one of the biggest factors why I wanted to pursue a career in fashion design. But as I grew older, my interests have changed, and now I am more interested in K-pop, though I still enjoy watching Barbie occasionally. My other dream job, if anything is possible, is to work in the entertainment industry or be part of a team of organizers who handle concerts in different countries. I wanted this job because I believe that it would be a great job if your work is in line with your interests.

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 did. There will be days that I tend to get overwhelmed by the tasks that I need to accomplish, and I tend to pressure myself, which ends up in me breaking down due to pressure and the feeling of being drained. When I was in college, there were a lot of times when I had outputs or projects that I needed to pass in a short span of time and sometimes if there are a lot of things on your plate, you don't know which one to do first and you are flooded with a mountain of unfinished assignments.

I was able to overcome this situation by managing my workload and by taking breaks. By managing and organizing my workload, I was able to organize it in a way that I will know which task I shall accomplish first and prioritize more. I also encourage taking breaks when it gets too hard. Taking a break is essential because if you succumb to pressure and stress, you are only hurting yourself. As I grew older, I learned to prioritize and take better care of myself, especially my health.



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

During my experience in Recruitment, my most challenging task was finding the right candidate for the job. Being part of the Recruitment team, it is our duty to make sure that the candidate that will apply to the company is the right fit for the role. Some of the tasks that I had to do during my internship were to contact candidates and assist them with their applications. Additionally, as marketing students, we were also tasked to provide or think of different marketing strategies to entice people to come and apply. I found it difficult because we had to go through hundreds of applications a day and as well as assist applicants that are walk-ins and sometimes at the end of the day, there will still be no candidate that has what you are looking for.

As for the task that I enjoyed the most, it was assisting walk-in applicants. As the company wanted us to have the full Recruitment experience, we were exposed to the whole process of Recruitment in the company. One of my other tasks was to assist applicants with the assessments that they needed to accomplish to move to the next interview. I enjoyed this task as I got to interact with other people as I had to instruct them on what they had to do. In line with this task, I also got to experience the different kinds of application processes in some companies.

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

When I was in college, some of my professors and classmates would tell me that I used to be a quiet type of student but as soon as I got comfortable with the people around me, I became more interactive and talkative. I also used to be a bit of a procrastinator but as I approached my last years in college and was exposed to a work setting, I got to improve on my work and time management.

Furthermore, during my internship, my previous managers/coworkers would describe me as a fast worker and dedicated. Although we have already ended our internship, we are still in contact with some of the supervisors and coworkers from that company and they said that I, together with my other classmates that had their internship together with me, was one of the best set of OJTs they had. They were proud of how we accomplished the tasks given, as it helped decrease a big part of their workload and they were able to focus on other tasks that needed to be done.



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

A personal or professional accomplishment that I am most proud of is being able to come out of my comfort shell. As an introverted type of person, I would like to avoid talking face-to-face as much as possible. But, as I entered college, I knew that eventually, I would need to step out of my comfort zone.

Personally, I was able to overcome this by joining clubs such as Toastmasters, to gain more confidence in speaking in public or with other people, especially strangers. I also got to practice how to formulate my thoughts better when I am in front speaking and addressing a lot of people.

Professionally, through being exposed to the Recruitment side of a company, because I was on the frontline when engaging with people and communicating with them, I was able to overcome my nervousness when speaking with other people. I used to have so many self-doubts and when I try to talk to other people, mostly people that I don't know or just simply ordering in a restaurant, I tend to get so nervous that I back out and let other people do it. Through having experience in a people-facing job, I got to work on my shyness and though I am still nervous and going back into my comfort zone, I can see that there are improvements which make me proud of myself.