



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

Ever since I was in elementary, I have already dreamed of becoming a lawyer. The reason may seem childish, but it is about the custody of my first niece. My brother has two daughters with his first girlfriend, and when I was in sixth grade, I was the one who took care of my niece when she spent her vacation with us. There came a time when issues happened between my family and my brother's ex-girlfriend and my niece was taken away from us. Every time we asked her to let my niece spend some time with our family, she wouldn't allow us to. Because of those scenarios, I thought of becoming a lawyer to get custody of my niece. She is my first niece, and I am the one who always takes care of her. She would sleep beside me every night and would always want to spend time with me. She loves how I take care of her as much as I love taking care of her too. But I realized as I grew up that we could just have the service of a lawyer do it for us. I don't need to be one, but yes, that was my lifelong dream.

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?

Entering college, I knew that stress would always be present in my day-to-day life, and I was right. Situations such as during our exam week, quizzes, project compliance, etc., always cause me stress. There came a time during our thesis-making that our paper should have been submitted during our 3<sup>rd</sup> year 1<sup>st</sup> semester, but we were not able to do so as some of my members became busy with other school activities and were not able to finish their assigned tasks. We were only able to submit our paper weeks before our graduation, fortunately, it was still accepted by our professor. But before that, we had to go through a lot of revisions, we even went house to house just to ask for the signature of our panelists and research adviser. We were exhausted, aside from being physically, mentally, and emotionally exhausted. Our pockets were exhausted as well. Fortunately, we overcame it all and graduated on time.



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

I had my internship in the New Government Center Accounting Department. My work involves processing ingoing and outgoing vouchers and payrolls, encoding them in an excel file, encoding transactions in the department's system, and we even participated in the yearly inventory count of all barangays in Bacolod City. Among these, the task that I find most challenging is the first one, the processing of ingoing and outgoing vouchers and payrolls and encoding it in an excel file. It is challenging because every time the auditors are finished auditing these vouchers and payrolls, we need to encode them as soon as possible because they will then be signed by the officer in charge of the accounting department, and the number of vouchers and payrolls every day is no joke. Aside from that, there are always people coming in and out and asking the status of their voucher or payroll and it always delays the process. Whereas the work that I enjoyed the most is the last one wherein we went to different barangays and counted all the properties that belong to the city. Each barangay would always treat us to eat somewhere and every day we were able to go to 5-6 barangays at most.

4. How would your past colleagues or managers describe your work ethic?

Before we finished our internship in the NGC Accounting department, we were given a chance to bid our farewell. We have so many people that we have become close to up until now, and some of them always describe me as someone who is hardworking, who does her tasks to the best of her abilities, and who is always making sure that they are done with integrity, accuracy, and promptly. Some of my colleagues also agree that I am hardworking. I go to the office on time and do my assigned work. I even stayed late to participate in their events, even though I am not required to. I always make sure that I am honest and diligent in doing my tasks. I exhibit professionalism when in the workplace and sometimes try to create friendship and bond outside with my managers and colleagues. They would treat us to food and coffee, and we'll do the same.

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



As a fresh graduate, there are two things I am most proud of. First, to be able to graduate and have my bachelor's degree. I am proud of it because I worked hard for it. It was my blood, sweat, and tears that led me to that finish line. I am proud that I graduated from college without allowing my parents to pay for my tuition because I secured myself a scholarship from SM Foundation, Inc. But that doesn't stop there because another chapter will be open once I graduated and that is securing a stable job. Which is the second thing I am proud of. I am now a trainee in Pathcutters Affordablestaff. I am proud of it because I know that not everyone was granted the same opportunity as I was. But of course, the credit does not really belong to me as it was God who worked with me and through me at all. I am and will always be proud of myself and thankful to God because he is with me in every step of the way.