

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

If I were given a chance to get my dream job, and if anything is possible, then I want to be a businessman who owns a large and successful company. I also want to be included in the list of the 100 richest men on Earth. Since anything is possible, I won't hold back and dream of what I think every man with ambition wants to become.

There are some people who say that money can't buy happiness, but I want to disagree with them. Because I think that money isn't really the goal, but the things you can do with it. Being a businessman with a successful company was one way to make a lot of money. It will not make you untouchable, but it will certainly give you authority and power. Although there are still things you can't buy, it will give you a lot of options in life. The freedom of making a choice is such a privilege for those with money. You can certainly enjoy it as much as you want, like buying luxurious things and living like a king. You can also help those in need and give people opportunities they normally would not be able to get. Build schools and offer free elite education for those under privilege; help communities in rural areas to have reliable access to roads, electricity, and clean water; provide free medicine and check-ups for people who can't afford them; and offer jobs to those who are in need. These are the things I might be able to do if I am a businessman with a lot of money.

Becoming a successful businessman is something I would want to become if I were given a chance. Not as a job itself, but for the advantages I will get. You can move people with ease and achieve more with it. I believe that money will give you the power to change those around you in a good way if used wisely.

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?



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I seem to recall that college is full of stressful events. When the epidemic struck in March 2020, all my goals and aspirations for my college years were dashed. For two years, we stayed at home and only attended online classes. Within those two years, I only talked to people at home when necessary and locked myself inside the room. I became used to being silent. So, when the face-to-face set up classes started, I was having a hard time during introductions since I am not comfortable talking in front of people saying something about myself. To me, sharing something and talking about myself was difficult because I don't really have anything to share. My days consisted of taking my regular online lessons and reading light novels or manga afterward. Imagine then that I had to spend the entire day introducing myself, doing it in every subject. It was tense. Although I am aware of my introversion, I never imagined that when I stand in front of others, I would forget nearly everything I had mentally prepared. From what I recall, I didn't really overcome it, I just bear with it until the introductions were over. Me and my friends just laughed over my introductions, then somehow, I felt better because it was done.

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

Our internship consists of two parts; industrial and educational. My first internships were industrial, so I have done my internship in Human Resource department of South Bacolod General Hospital. Most of the time, my job was to modify the employees' weekly schedules whenever they submitted a leave request or changed shifts, and I also had to work on changing the employees' employment statuses or contributions. However, there were days that we were asked to go roam around the hospital and collect the evaluation forms from the employees for the quarterly evaluations. It was challenging for me, because some of the employees, especially some department heads, don't seem to have a nice personality. I was so nervous whenever we went to their department, and we had to ask for something. But what I enjoyed the most was the timekeeping task. What I needed to do was just input the schedules of the employees from different departments for the month. It was easy and manageable. I also made friends with the staff because of that task. It was fun.

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



I think that my past classmates or trainers during internship will describe as someone who works diligently and timely. I always make sure that I understand what I was doing and know if it was correct. Although I committed some mistakes at first since I was still just grasping the basics of my work. The next task will be expected to show some improvement. It was fun working with them at the time and they always included me in their conversations, so I didn't feel out of place. It was a warm office, so whenever I arrived every morning, I didn't feel tense and thought that I would have a fun day at that office again. They have no problem with the tasks they give because I made sure to check everything twice and finish it on time, since it might be important, and I also don't want to cause trouble for them.

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

I am only proud of two personal achievements. One is graduating from college without my family providing financial assistance and earning the DOST scholarship. I was overjoyed to pass the DOST scholarship exam because, at the time, I was not sure if my family could support my college education financially, so receiving the scholarship was helpful. I still recall studying the same material for two hours every night for the month before up to the exam. Next was graduating without financial assistance from my family. I know that we are not a well-off family, and it will be difficult for me to ask something if ever I need money from my mother while studying. It was an achievement for me because I managed to graduate without giving her trouble and I was also grateful to her for supporting me while studying, making sure that I can have my breakfast early in morning so that I won't be late for school.