



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

If anything was possible, I would like to become a veterinarian. When I was a kid, I loved watching animal documentaries and shows on the television. Sunday morning was always fun for me because my favorite TV shows are airing, like Matanglawin and Born to be wild. I remember switching channels every time a show goes to advertisement, I was trying to watch both shows at the same time. We also own a lot of pets, and it always saddens me when they get sick, because we can't really do anything to help them, and taking them to the veterinary was very expensive. Becoming a veterinarian is also very expensive, and we weren't wealthy growing up, which makes it not possible for it to become my college course. I instead chose a tech related course which also became my passion when I got to Senior Highschool, but I still have that interest in veterinary. Everything is pretty much on the internet now and you can search up possible medicine or remedies when our pets get sick or injured.

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 always tend to avoid being stressed in certain situations, especially in school, I always divert myself from being stressed and instead do things that could cheer me up. But there was this one time where I almost snapped, it was in third year, and our professor gave us a group task to make a PCB Design. I never made a PCB Design before and it was very new to me, but my groupmates decided that I should be making it. It was unfair to me, but I accepted it, not to mention that I wasn't feeling very well at that time. It was stressful because I was learning how to make PCB Design at the same time installing the software needed and also thinking about the placements of the electronics on the board. I tried asking for help, but some were not there, some were on their phone, and some were saying they couldn't really help because they don't know how to make one. Seeing that I was the one struggling for the whole group was very unfair and made me very stressed. Fortunately, my college best friend helped me finish the PCB Design.

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

I was a Web Developer Intern from my previous internship and the most challenging was when they introduced us to a new software, and we were tasked to create a working output from it. The software that was challenging was Shopify, it's like an e-commerce website builder and our previous tasks were textbook drag and drop website builders. I was overwhelmed by Shopify because it was different from other website builders. Commonly website builders minimize the use of code, and Shopify has its own programming language and framework in which you need to learn and understand first before you can create a working website from it. Aside from that, the system was very complex involving the product prices, the deliveries, discounts and a lot more, which is why it was very challenging for me. The task that I enjoyed the most was to make a web-



based system using PHP. PHP is like my comfort programming language, and I have a lot of experience making web-based systems so doing the task was enjoyable for me.

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

They would probably describe me as a perfectionist and calculative person. When I was still in school my friends also characterized me as a perfectionist, I always felt uncomfortable when my work wasn't neat or not uniform overall. Small details like different color codes, small misalignments, uneven value on the spacing or something like that always catches my eye and it itches me to correct them or modify them even though they look fine or acceptable. They also describe me as a calculative person. I tend to analyze and play all the scenarios in my head what could happen when I do this and that. I think overhead what's going to be less risky and if I can handle the consequences of the action. I think these work ethics of mine are like double edged sword, they are very useful and beneficial work ethics, they also could be deficient to me through certain scenarios.

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

As a fresh graduate, I don't really have that many professional accomplishments, but I do have some few personal accomplishments that I am really proud of. I started being aware of my health, I started tracking what I eat and learned how to count your macros. I also achieved my goal to gain weight, I was a skinny kid growing up and gaining weight was difficult for me. At the beginning of the year, I was 56 to 57 kilograms and now I'm at 63 to 64 kilograms. It still isn't much but the fact that I gained weight makes me really proud. I have also started working out, I have been going to the gym 5 to 6 times a week and it has been my main hobby. I have seen significant changes to my physique, and I was very satisfied with it. It also developed confidence in my appearance and I'm really proud of it.