



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

Ever since I was a kid, I have always been fascinated with “anime.” I remember vividly I always cried to my parents whenever I wanted to buy some toys related to the anime that I watched, but I always received painful rejections for my selfish requests. So, if I could have a dream job, it would be someone who does toy exhibits for a living, especially for an anime-themed museum or gallery. Not only am I going to enjoy myself to the full extent daily but also get paid for it. Now, that is the definition of a dream job. I would always be excited to come to work every day just to guide the customers or even the children. Talking about stuff I'm into and meeting people with the same interests as me. It would really feel amazing and keep me motivated. If this scenario comes into reality, I will greatly feel that getting paid is just like a bonus because doing what you love is already self-fulfilling.

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?

There was a certain time when I really felt stressed and couldn't understand how to handle the situation. I was working with my colleague at that time when he really wasn't feeling well. I immediately hurried him to the infirmary to have a nurse attend to him. I really didn't expect that to happen, as he was doing fine during the first half of our shift. Little did I know, he has a business review meeting with a client and has to discuss the performance of the team for the past week. I panicked since we were both 2 months into the role and I was expected to take over the meeting in his stead. I wouldn't lie that anxiety filled the room every time the clock came close to the meeting schedule. With only half an hour before the meeting, I hurriedly created some talking points, and luckily, I was able to discuss everything. I was praised by my supervisor for how I handled the situation, but after experiencing that, I created a workaround for some tasks that might be endorsed by someone in unforeseen circumstances. I was only able to overcome that situation because I handled it with composure.



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

My struggle in creativity was evident whenever I created a visual presentation that had no template readily available. I really find it challenging to create something if I don't have a guide to follow. I am mostly using up my time on designing and deciding if the content would fit with the design. I am mostly comfortable with the information to put in but often struggle to find the proper design for it. I usually ask for my colleague's opinion and suggestions to beautify the presentation.

The task that I felt I enjoyed the most was during every first 2 hours of my shift when I extracted a report and compiled all the data to be sent out to everyone daily. The most enjoyable part of that task is when I input the data, and it doesn't conflict with the existing formula. It really is satisfying to see thousands of data running through without error. Seeing it every day doesn't make me feel bored. It really makes me feel satisfied that this important data that I've worked on for two hours is a crucial notification for others to work on.

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

They would usually describe me as straightforward and a person who has a calm demeanor. They would highlight that I am a dependable teammate or individual. They usually would say that I am too quiet sometimes, but I always know what to do. They say I am reliable when a task is assigned; not only that, they always expect me to finish it in a timely manner, but also, they know how I do quality checks. My colleagues often consult me about some things that they might have trouble understanding. I don't mind lending them a hand since they know me as someone they can trust and rely on. They say I have a high sense of responsibility, and whenever I make a mistake, I am always open to constructive criticism. I don't take negative feedback personally; instead, I take it as a challenge to improve myself. Sometimes my superiors observe that I don't wait for a go signal but do have initiative as a self-starter.



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

The accomplishment that I am proud of is when I helped establish our very own SOP or Standard Operating Procedure, outlining a regulatory process for a financial technology program that our company uses. It was an achievement for me because it was a result of our research, multiple trials and errors, and simulations. It was a very tiring task, as multiple revisions were placed on us. It wasn't easy, and some may not consider it an accomplishment, but after experiencing the hardships we went through, I was proud of myself for a moment, given that not all are provided the opportunity to work on such a valuable task. The approval of the SOP was rewarding since the client was able to appreciate the way we laid out the process, prioritizing compliance with the regulatory guidelines. The process we created became the backbone of other fintech programs that came into the company.