

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

If anything is possible, my dream job would be an artist in all aspects. By artist, I mean a person who creates and practices any of the various creative arts (e.g. poetry, filmmaking, drawing, performing, etc.). I have been enamored with written and visual storytelling. As someone who enjoys the arts, being an artist would mean taking my imagination and creativity beyond limits. Despite not having the creative power to write award-winning novels or poems, I find solace in turning my ideas into something people can see. Perhaps I can show people the world that I see. I want to be able to create masterpieces and inspire others to tap into their skills and imaginations. Whether it's painting in a historical building, producing my animated show, or performing live on stage at Broadway shows and musicals, I want to be able to connect to people through a medium that's more than just surface level.

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 have experienced many stressful situations when it comes to working on a project or event. It always came with the job back when I was in college whether it was in academics or campus organizations. It will range from little to no stress to an absolute breakdown time. The most stressful situation I found myself in back in college was when there was a limited number of passes for us student journalists to use during a big campus event. The signal was jammed due to the crowded areas, and we needed to post real-time articles online. The publication back then was extremely understaffed as well, which means there were only two or three people out on the field taking pictures and covering events. It made it harder for us to cover the multiple events that were happening all at once. Thankfully, we were able to get our work done within the day despite all the slight delays in the schedule.

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

When I was an intern in the City Legal Office at the Bacolod City Government Center, the most challenging task I had done was to encode all of the details of businesses or shops in certain areas of Bacolod. There was no digital copy of the documents I was supposed to encode. I had to manually go through the physical papers one by one with the help of the staff. Some documents were missing, while some had incomplete information. Attempting to decode the handwriting was also part of the challenge. We had to do verification checks to make sure it was correct. It took me around a week to complete the task. The task I enjoyed the most was going out of the office to deliver papers. That meant that I would see and visit some of the offices in the building, meet the people working there, and get some physical exercise.



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

My past colleagues or supervisors would most likely describe me as someone who can be really quiet when working but gets the job done either way. It means that I am either too shy to ask someone for assistance or I am still trying figure out how to properly express myself in a new crowd of people. They might say that I take my time to get used to the place and the system. However, once I am comfortable with the people I'm with, it would not be an issue for me to ask for help with some tasks. It is usually my shyness that holds me back from seeking help or asking questions. My colleague would describe me as someone who can become hyper-focused on a task to the point where I would lose track of time and not be aware of my surroundings. This causes the delay in some of my tasks and schedules.

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

The accomplishments that I am most proud of were the once that I have achieved back in college. I would say that college was my peak at performance. In my last year, I was promoted to Editor-in-Chief of the school publication. I became the yearbook editor under my department. I was the 4th Year Representative of the Student Council under the College of Arts and Sciences. One of our panelists recommended our paper to an international research conference, and I was one of the students who was asked to represent our thesis for that conference in Thailand. However, due to financial instability and a hard time to look for sponsors, I backed out of the event. Despite that, I was still one of the few students in my department that graduated with Latin Honors, Magna Cum Laude. Personally, I am most of proud of giving it my best despite my lapses and mistakes.