



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

My dream job, if anything was possible, would certainly be an astronaut. For one simple reason, I have always believed we were born to inherit the stars. As an astronaut, I would have the chance to see the stars and the heavenly bodies found in space and marvel at their beauty. I would have the chance to see how forces unseen in the naked eye works at a universal level. The chance to travel a long distance of vast space with nothing but your knowledge and training as the basis of whether you survive or not. The chance to meet extraterrestrial life forms and to answer the centuries long question "Are we alone in this universe?". If anything was possible, I think that being an astronaut is the best job a sci-fi nerd like me could have. I would have a chance to see if all the questions I have wondered about as a child looking up at the stars can be answered. To see, if we really are born to inherit the stars.

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?

Yes, my previous work was nothing short of a stressful situation, but it was fun. For an adrenaline junkie like me, stressful situations make me think so much better. The pressure was exciting and it kept me thinking on my feet. Specially during times where defendants from my previous job retains counsel and their lawyers call or email me and I will have the chance to speak with them first before our attorneys, they will always try to give me a hard time by flexing their titles and using their legal knowledge to overwhelm me to saying the wrong or incorrect thing that can be used against our client. But that never worked; I was too focused on proving that I deserve to be in my role and that I can hold down my own against opposing counsel without needing the assistance of our attorneys. I always stood on my ground and said the right things. I am not a perfectionist, but I always try to minimize mistakes. It was the standard I held myself to.



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

In my previous position, the most challenging part for me was when defendants called and explained their situation. Most of the time I talked with old people fearing they would lose their homes due to the foreclosure case we filed. They would explain their situation, their income, and their reasons why they cannot pay the payoff amount for the case to be dismissed. Having been raised by my grandparents, knowing all I can do to help these older defendants was a chance for me to explain their situation to our attorneys or to our client and to offer them payment plans was hard for me, I always wished I could do more. The task I enjoyed the most was being able to talk to the opposing counsel. I really loved and enjoyed talking to opposing lawyers trying to one up with each other so that one can have the upper hand or have the case thrown. I loved explaining when they try to overwhelm me that I have also the knowledge when it comes to foreclosure cases and that I trained myself to answer these specific questions they are throwing me.

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

During evaluations my supervisor often describes my work ethics as 'hungry' or 'insatiable'. I didn't have any training since I was a pioneer on my account, meaning I must start from scratch. I was only told what to expect. So, what I did was to accumulate every knowledge, practice the tools as much as I could to somewhat prepare for a role I was not trained for. I was given a week to prepare and during that week I asked my supervisors every question I couldn't find the answer to. I was proactive and I was in fact 'hungry', starving even for the knowledge I need and must have to succeed with the role I was given. I didn't want to make a mistake and if I did, I made sure that was the last time I made that mistake. My thirst for knowledge and hunger for wisdom always has been and always will be insatiable.

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



The personal accomplishment I am most proud of is the moment I won multiple debates, and the fact that I have never lost in one. I love socio, geo, and/or any other branch of politics, psychology, and the human mind and psyche. I love learning, I love understanding it, and of course I love debating about it with my peers in a competition or even in mundane dialogues. I won multiple debates in high school and college; may it be in amateur competitions or in classroom set ups where you were given a chance to intellectually debate a random topic and show your knowledge about it. I never liked to lose so I will try to do anything and everything I can to win. So, if in any chance I fail, I can look back and say that I have done everything I humanly could then work to be better next time.