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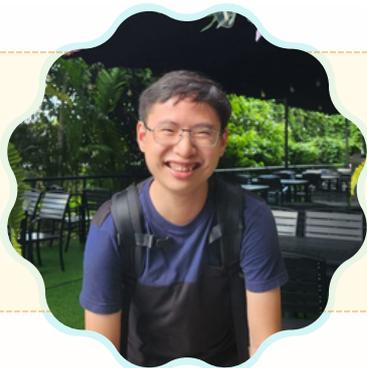


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Internship Period: May 2023 to July 2023

1. What made you take up the internship programme?

Despite multiple attempts to secure an internship, I had no luck. When Honorary General Secretary Mr Lee offered me this opportunity, I was driven innately to repay his favor and make the best out of this internship. NTUAC provided me a platform to hone the skills I've learnt in school, especially my web development skills via Joomla and SP Page Builder.

2. What do you like most about working at NTUAC? Any memorable moments?

What I like most about NTUAC is the working culture. My superior and colleagues were easygoing, patient and readily available to answer my queries. They were also helpful in providing constructive feedback and advices. A big shout-out to my supervisor, Ying Hong, for answering my 101 questions and to ensure I have a comprehensive understanding about the assigned tasks.



Furthermore, with flexibility in our work life at NTUAC, there was rarely any tension or excessive pressure on our daily work. This promoted a healthy and conducive working environment for all staff, not just for interns like me. On top of that, NTUAC provided interns with a WFH day every week.

Memorable moments were having lunch with my colleagues and having small networking sessions with the club members.

3. What was your biggest takeaway from this experience?

My biggest takeaway from this internship was the chance given to be involved in the planning and execution of many different types of events like volunteering, networking, sporting events and NTUAC's very own anniversary clubbing event!

These experiences have added colours to my life and I would never forget the memories formed during this 3 months internship at NTUAC. Bonds and connections that are hard to come-by were also forged.



4. How have you grown as an individual? Any final thoughts?

Personally, the past 3 months felt like it was yesterday. I am grateful for all the guidance, support and opportunities given by my superiors and colleagues, and the by-chance times I am exposed to through chats with members from varied expertise. This journey has further reinforced to me the importance of networking and taught me many different things which I cannot simply learn from surfing the internet. Via this, I have tapped into my own connections to secure sponsorship for NTUAC club's anniversary event. Furthermore, compared to when I first came to NTUAC, I have become more confident communicating with unfamiliar faces and handling huge crowds. I have also refined my time management skills and the ability to adapt to unforeseen circumstances.