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Attending the Add Venture Forum PH 2025 in ST Quad at Adamson University was a surprising and life-changing experience. At first, I thought the event would just be a typical talk about careers. However, as the sessions went on, I realized that the forum focused on demonstrating their product and startups, on how they are started, the problems they face, and how they overcome those challenges. The event was full of energy and offered many practical lessons on what it takes to build a startup. This experience may have changed my view of the usual career path.

Out of the three companies that presented, I found AniTech's session the most interesting. Their talk explained the steps of starting a business, the challenges along the way, and useful ways to solve these problems. Even though I sat at the back and did not interact with the speakers or representatives, the clear and passionate presentation made a big impression on me. I learned more about startup products, how they work, and the overall business environment, which helped me see other career opportunities.

There were a few things that could be improved. Because I was sitting at the back, it was sometimes hard to hear the speakers, especially with background noise. Giving each partner a microphone would help everyone hear clearly. Also, the 30-minute session for partner engagement felt too short for deep discussion. More time would allow better conversation between the speakers and the audience.

In conclusion, the Add Venture Forum PH 2025 exceeded my expectations and taught me valuable lessons about the startup world. The event has inspired me to consider different career paths and showed me the importance of resilience, creativity, and lifelong learning in entrepreneurship. With some improvements in audio support, space and session timing, future forums could offer an even better experience. This one-day event has definitely broadened my understanding of startups and the many opportunities beyond traditional career.