**Informational Interview I**

Since I'm majoring in Mathematics and Computer Science and is going to become a software engineer after graduation. At the same time, I think I may also want to become a computer scientist who conduct research. As a result, those are the main two areas I want to learn about.

to get myself know more about what my future occupation is going to be like before I formally start working. It is important to get as more information as possible to know if what I need from this occupation so that I know how to become one of the successful in the area.

For the informational interview, I plan to do it with a friend of mine who is currently a CS PhD student named Carl Yang. He had worked for Snapchat Inc. as an intern and for Professor Jiawei Han as a graduate student. As a result, it is reasonable to think that he is experienced in multiple areas that I can learn from. Also, since I have experience working with him, I'm certain his is a reliable subject to conduct an informational interview.

Since I'm still working with him on a project, it is not hard to find a time that we are all free after the works are done. Basically, we can do the interview in his office after meeting.

A few questions that I want to know include:

* How much income can an entry-level software engineer make?
* What are the best ways to get promotion?
* What are the main responsibilities an intern has in a company?
* How should I behave in company in order to get a return offer?
* What are the ways to get along well with colleagues and boss in work and after work?
* How to learn in my free time after work to improve my ability in career?
* What are things that I can do that are unrelated to work in order to help me become successful in career?
* If there are things that I don't know in work, what are the best ways for me to catch up?
* How should I do the job I currently have to get a better job if I'm not satisfied by the current one?