I am really excited to meet you and work with you all and make this camp fun and productive.

1. **What did you learn from your teaching experience?**

* I learned from my experience tutoring two of my students that teaching requires a lot of patience and hardwork. For instance, a lot of times what happens is you keep talking and talking about a specific subject but the student doesn’t pay any attention. At first, I used to get frustrated. Why don’t you pay any attention? But later I realized that if the student loses his concentration, I simply let him do whatever he wants. Like play ipad games, eat food, or talk with his friends. Then after sometime, I ask him if he is ready. Mostly, he says no but after asking quite a time, he says yes, and surprisingly, he concentrates much better and absorbs what I teach him.

1. **How would you encourage a young camper who doesn’t want to leave mom’s side in the first day?**

* I have a big chocolate for you. There are a lot of friends waiting to play with you. We will play games, eat chocolates and then I will tell your mommy that tom wants to go home now. Please come to pick him. Then she will come and pick you up :D

1. **Why do you want to join Camp Galileo?**

**🡪**  I am excited to work with Galileo because I want to change how kids think of technology and Galileo is a perfect platform to do it. I have noticed in my college that lots of students find technology or computer science difficult. They find it boring as well. I don’t know what made them think that but I definitely want to change that mentality in younger generations. I want to teach them that technology is cool, and with it you can create whatever you want and you have the power to change the whole world. Now with the emerging technologies like VR, AR, AI, the possibilities are endless.

1. **What's something silly you had to do?**

* I had to catch my ear and do up and down in front of class of girls. It was the most silly and embarrassing thing.
* **I lost a bet of hot wing challenge with my friend and had to wear her dress with make up on.**

1. **What was an incidence where you went into an activity thinking you had to do one thing, and then found out you had to do something you were completely unprepared for? How did you handle this?**

* Once I was elected for Mardi gras court in my college. I thought after I win the election I would have to throw beads standing on vehicle But I had to do a ramp walk holding a girl in front of people. I never ramp walked in my life. I felt so awkward and reluctant to do it at first .But after some time I gathered courage and put a smile on my face and walked as if I wasn’t feeling anxious or discomfort. I walked until I reached center stage where a photographer took my picture and an old couple put on big beads around my neck.

1. **Explain a time you had to work in a group, and point out the keys to success when it comes to working in a group.**

* In my college, I and my friends were given a group project in which we had to present a song in a sign language. What I think was important for our success was communication and trust. We didn’t have time to sit together and practice but we each depended on each other to practice and learn by ourselves and get together a certain time of the day and show what we’ve learned. We would also chat via facebook to tell each other’s the signs of a particular words of a song. That was we were all learning the same sign and we did well in the presentation.

1. **Why are you the best candidate?**

* I know my stuff cause I’m passionate
* I have teaching experience
* I am international

**PHONE INTERVIEW ABOUT BACKGROUND:**

1. **Name of company –** ULM Computing center.
2. **Job title –** Student worker
3. **Job description –** Interact with student and faculty member to troubleshoot smart technologies and personal computers problems.
4. **Date of employment –** May 2017
5. **What did you gain:** 
   1. I gained communication skills(how to handle customers),
   2. many troubleshooting skills.
   3. exposure to smart technologies used in classrooms.
   4. Learned how to install security cameras.
6. **Employer:** Wayne McDaniel
7. **Major challenges:** Since English is not my first language, I couldn’t speak English properly so people didn’t understand what I was saying. To make things worse, I also had trouble understanding them because they were too fast. I was frustrated by this but I continued meeting people and talking with them to improve my English. Today, I can speak and understand clearly.

**PHONE INTERVIEW ABOUT GALILEO:**

1. **Tell me about yourself?**
   1. Name
   2. What you do during school year
   3. Why you’re excited to work with Galileo.
   4. 15-30
   5. Hello, My name is Rohan Maharjan.
   6. I am currently a Math tutor at the University of Louisiana Monroe where I teach students from different cultures and backgrounds to solve math problems.

Excited to work with Galileo because I am very passionate about teaching. I have been teaching difference subjects to children and adults of different age groups for more than 3 years. So, I can use my experience as a tutor to make the learning process of campers at Galileo fun and effective.

1. **What have you learned from your experience?**
   1. Every body has their own way of learning.
   2. Some picks up faster with audio learning some with visual
   3. In my experience, visual learning has been much more effective.
   4. Eg: When I taught addition and substraction to a Grade 3 student I drew small animals instead of numbers.
2. **Why Galileo?**

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* Second thing I realize is that I must work hard as well. I have to first learn everything I will teach my student and then be able to break it down in such a way that makes it easier for them to digest. Also, if the teaching material is in the form of games, the students are able to pay attention for a longer period of time.

1. **What can you bring to Galileo?**

* I checked the Galileo website and found out that it is offering virtual reality course in 2018. I should be able to guide students in that field. It is a very new technology and a lot of people do not have much knowledge on it. However, since I am passionate about virtual reality, I know how it works. I have built a small VR game for google cardboard. I am also working in a project in my university to create VR app for virtual tour, 3D object manipulation, augmented reality and so on. So, definitely I can give a lot to Galileo. And my main purpose for wanting to join Galileo is to share my knowledge and ideas with kids there.

1. **Are you willing to travel or relocate?**

* Yes, I don’t have any problem with travelling. However, I do not have my own vehicle so I will most likely use public transportation or car pool if its available.

**QUESTIONS TO ASK INTERVIEWER:**

1. **How would you describe the responsibilities of my position?**
2. **What are the biggest challenges of this job?**
3. **What is the best part of working for Galileo at Manhattan beach?**
4. **What’s your least favorite part of working there?**
5. **What type of background do you feel would be best suited for success in the position?**

Thanks for your time today!

Hi Ms. Katie,

Thank you again for talking with me today. I enjoyed answering your questions and sharing my thoughts on Galileo. Working in an innovation camp that I admire would be an incredible learning experience, and I would love the opportunity to prove that I’m a great fit for the role.

I’ve found in the Galileo website that it is offering virtual reality course in 2018. Attached is my resume which shows my skills and experience on virtual reality and web development which could be helpful in making students understand the basic concepts of such technologies.

Let me know if you have any questions about anything or if you’d like me to send anything else. I look forward to hearing back from you!

Sincerely,

Rohan Maharjan