

1. What have you learned about the professional interview? Give at least three meaningful insights you have gained after the session.
  - Through the interview, I learned that in the tech industry, learning never really stops. Technology constantly evolves, so I need to stay consistent, curious, and updated in my skills and knowledge. Another thing I learned is the importance of maintaining balance in life. Ms. Kyla reminded us that we have a life outside work, and that struck me because I realized I've been neglecting myself lately—forgetting to eat well, rest properly, and workout like I used to before. I also learned how important communication is in the workplace. I tend to rely on myself too much and hesitate to ask for help, but this interview made me realize that teamwork, collaboration, and open communication are key to growth and success.
2. What are the things you need to work on because of the professional interview?
  - After the interview, I realized that I need to focus on improving both my technical and personal skills. I must work on my skill gaps, especially in problem-solving and adapting to new tools or technologies. The session also made me aware that I need to stop isolating myself when facing challenges. I tend to handle everything alone, but I learned that asking for help and collaborating can make the work faster, easier, and more meaningful. Building connections and learning from others are essential in any workplace. Lastly, I need to manage my time better to balance learning, work, and self-care so I can be more productive and healthy overall.
3. Are you still certain of your planned career in the future? Has it changed? Why or why not?
  - Yes, I am still certain about pursuing a career in tech, particularly as an AI Engineer and eventually a Tech Founder. However, after the interview, I became more open-minded and curious about other career paths in technology. The tech field is so broad, and there are many roles that I might enjoy exploring in the future. For now, I'll stay focused on my current goal while keeping an open heart to new opportunities. Ms. Kyla's story also inspired me to consider working abroad someday, especially in places like Silicon Valley where I can grow, learn, and be surrounded by innovators and people who share the same passion.
4. Cite one important question you want to ask your future self about your job. Why do you want to ask yourself this question?
  - The question I want to ask my future self is, "What message would you give to your past self?" I want to know if I made the right choices, if I worked hard enough, and if I am truly happy with where I am. Sometimes I worry about whether I'm on the right path or doing enough to reach my goals. By asking this question, I hope to find reassurance and guidance from my future self—someone who has already faced the struggles I'm going through right now. It's a reminder to keep believing in myself, stay patient, and continue growing no matter how difficult things get.