

QUESTION 1 : Can you tell us about your academic background and the qualifications you have completed so far?

ANSWER: I have completed my Intermediate in Engineering from Bright Future H/SEC School Umerkot. I obtained 785 out of 1100 marks, earning an A grade. Additionally, I completed my Matriculation from the same school, achieving 654 out of 850 marks, also with an A grade.

Question 4: Could you elaborate on the gap in your academic record between June 2022 and now? What did you do during this time?

Answer: During the gap in my academic record, I dedicated myself to improving my English language skills. I enrolled in various language courses that focused on reading, writing, listening, and speaking. This allowed me to develop my English language skills significantly, preparing me for the PTE test and future academic endeavors.

Question 5: What are your thoughts on studying abroad versus studying in your home country? Why did you decide to study in Australia rather than in Pakistan?

Answer: Studying abroad also offers access to advanced academic and research facilities that are often more well-equipped than those in Pakistan. Studying abroad will provide me with better career prospects, as the skills, knowledge, and better positioned to contribute to Pakistan's economy and society.

Question 6: Why did you choose Australia over other countries like the USA, Canada, or the UK?

Answer: The cost of education in Australia is relatively lower compared to the USA, UK, and Canada. Australia offers more part-time job opportunities for international students compared to the UK, USA, and Canada. European countries were not chosen due to language barriers in their universities.

Question 7: What factors led you to choose Edith Cowan College for your studies? Or WHY ECU

Answer: Edith Cowan College has a strong reputation in the field of Computing. The tuition fees at Edith Cowan College for the "Diploma of Science (Engineering Studies)" are AUD 30,190 for a one-year program, which is reasonable compared to other universities. and multicultural environment is very attractive for me.

Question 8: What are your career growth and future plans?

Answer: My long-term career goals are to gain industry experience in engineering and contribute to my home country's economic and social development.

Question 9: Who is sponsoring your studies in Australia, and what are their details?

- My father, a successful businessman, will be sponsoring my studies.
- He owns a shop and is involved in trading chilies, wheat, cotton, and mustard.
- He has PKR 10.285 million worth of assets which is equivalent to 53387.76 AUD.
- He has deposited the amount 10 million PKR (50882.30 AUD) bank statement.

Question 10: What are your home ties in Pakistan?

Answer: Growing up in my home country, I have a strong attachment to my culture, traditions, and community. My family runs a successful business, I will come back to my country and seek employment with a technology company or other option is to help my father business.

Question 11: What is your immigration history? Or have you travelled other countries for study

Answer: I don't have any travel history outside of Pakistan.

Question 12: What are the work limitations for international students in Australia?

Answer: As a student visa holder, I am allowed to work up to 40 hours per fortnight (two-week period) during the academic session and full-time during scheduled breaks.

Question: What are your sibling do?

Answer: I have two brothers and three sisters and these all younger siblings' study in primary and secondary education and I am the eldest son in my family.

Question: Why your mother chose housewife

Answer: My mother has chosen to be a housewife and focus on taking care of our family and household responsibilities.