# INTERNSHIP PERIOD – <20/11/2023> to <24/11/2023>

Name of student intern:

Chua Jia Jun

Name of the company: NTU ARISE

Course:

# GAME DEVELOPMENT & TECHNOLOGY



*Week 1 Report: Date Questions to answer:*

1. What are your initial reactions to your first few days? What are you looking forward to? Is there anything you are disappointed about?

I didn’t really have any reaction on the first few days, cause its just helping the elderly by teaching/assisting them on how to play the games that were taught to them. And I have somewhat of experience doing this type of stuff during my part-time job. I am mostly looking forward to the projects that we need to do from week 4 onwards.

1. Read the entire website of the organization and read relevant marketing materials about the organization (If possible ask for an annual report or similar document). Do a summary of what the organisation is about and does.

ARISE is a pan-university institute at NTU focussed on ageing-related research, programmes and activities to address the demands of an ageing population.

ARISE acts as a coordinating body to synergise the efforts and resources between various groups, both within NTU and trans-organisation, to optimise the outcomes and impacts of our efforts to benefit the individuals in particular, communities and society in general.

1. List the tasks you have been assigned this week. Have you completed them (Or when will you complete them)? What have you learnt and what problems did you face?

* Game trainer: Which assist the elderly when they play games.
* Interviewer: Help with surveys for elderly
* Coordinator: Oversee the game session and do documents

I learn how to talk to elderly and to coordinate the game sessions. Problems I faced were that when I was a game trainer the elderly don’t really listen to you so you have to kind of be loud for them to get their attention.

# INTERNSHIP PERIOD – <27/11/2023> to <01/12/2023>

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*Week 2 Report: Date Questions to answer:*

1. Provide some details about the history of the organization.

Singapore is among one of the world’s fastest ageing countries. Due to the increasing longevity and declining birth rates, it is projected that by 2030, the number of elderly citizens will be tripled to almost one in four Singaporean residents over the age of 65. This huge expansion in the population of older adults’ reflect an increasing strain on the current institution-centric eldercare system and society. Health expenses due to age-related diseases are expected to increase with the expanding population of older adults, while economic productivity is predicted to experience a downturn due to decreasing labour pool. There is, hence, an exigency in making efforts to develop a set of strategies that will advance the development, acceptance and adoption of technologies that enhance the independence, health and quality of life of the growing older population.

To promote independence, health and quality of life of the growing older population, Nanyang Technological University (NTU) has established the Ageing Research Institute for Society and Education (ARISE) to support multidisciplinary and interdisciplinary ageing-related research, programmes and activities. ARISE primarily focuses on (i) Ageing Medicine; (ii) Social Integration and Education; (iii) Ageing-in-Place; and (iv) Care & Lifestyle Enhancement. ARISE’s role is to act as a strategic functioning body that co-ordinates to engage and integrate the efforts of the research institutes, centres, colleges and schools across NTU that focuses on ageing population.

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The vision of ARISE is to empower the ageing community and improve the quality of life. The mission is to pursue elderly-friendly, innovative solutions to ageing-related issues by harnessing its strengths in technology and engineering.

1. Get a copy of the organizational chart and job descriptions within the organization or department. Show it below.

A group of people's heads on a white poster

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I was the coordinator for one of this week’s sessions and I struggle to keep up with the flow of the session. I think cause it was my first time being a coordinator I was a bit unsure whether I was doing a good job.

# INTERNSHIP PERIOD – <04/12/2023> to <08/12/2023>

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*Week 3 Report: Date Questions to answer:*

1. Ask your supervisor his/her career story. Summarise his/her story below:

Chris BX: was in TP taking engineering(course name changed), chose psychology as general study module. Further career path choice after National Service in ACORN, helping facilitate and participate in student focused programmes. Pursued psychology as a postgraduate degree in NTU.

Tran Nguyen:

Thomas Koh: aerospace engineering 2011-2013 at NP, worked in aerospace before coming to ARISE in 2022.

1. If you have identified challenges or disappointments in your initial expectations of your internship (from week1), put together an action plan to deal with these. List the plan below.

havent come across any challenges yet.

1. List the tasks you have been assigned this week. Have you completed them (Or when will you complete them)? What have you learnt and what problems did you face?

* Assist in set-up for game competitions in centres and on the final competition day at suntec
* Game trainers
* Help in packing tv and consoles for the event at suntec

# INTERNSHIP PERIOD – <11/12/2023> to <15/12/2023>

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*Week 4 Report: Date Questions to answer:*

1. What is your biggest challenge in this internship?

* being not able to speak to chinese elderly

1. Do you feel like you fit in to the organization so far? Why or why not?

I feel like i am neutral in this organisation, cause i can help in explaining to elderly on how to play the game and on the other hand i cant really speak chinese that well for the chinese elderly.

1. List the tasks you have been assigned this week. Have you completed them (Or when will you complete them)? What have you learnt and what problems did you face?

* Mainly in office helping to unpack the stuff from the events.
* Got to know how meta spark works

# INTERNSHIP PERIOD – <18/12/2023> to <22/12/2023> week 5

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*Week 5 Report: Date Questions to answer:*

1. How has your perception of the internship/organization changed since you started the internship?

* It hasnt changed much i already expected to work with elderly when i join and help make the previous batch games better.

1. What goals have you met so far? What goals do you still need to meet? Have you changed any of your goals?

* I didnt really set any goals for this internship. Due to the fact that most of the time in this internship we were out on the field to help in the elderly centres.

1. List the tasks you have been assigned this week. Have you completed them (Or when will you complete them)? What have you learnt and what problems did you face?

* Help return Tv and console to centres
* Help in redoing some surveys

# INTERNSHIP PERIOD – <25/12/2023> to <29/12/2023> week 6

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*Week 6 Report: Date Questions to answer:*

1. What have you contributed to the organization? In what ways do you feel like you can improve your performance?

I have been assigned to do interviewing work, ushering elderly and visiting elderly centres. I was mainly tasked to go to centres to help by being a game trainer and also help in doing moca surveys. I was also assigned by the supervisor to take care of the equipment that they gave me that day to take home to take to other centres.

I also help in the office when they need assistants. Like small task like filing documents, stapling papers for the moca sheets and returning equipment that we took from centres for the suntec competition.

1. Is your personality a fit for this organization? Do you notice particular personality types working in this industry?

* To be honest i dont know if my personality is a fit for this organization. Its for the supervisors to decide that. I do notice different personality types like one of the part time workers for arise. He was so gentle and kind to the elderly even though they kept complaining about stuff. And it really shows the type of person he really is.

1. List the tasks you have been assigned this week. Have you completed them (Or when will you complete them)? What have you learnt and what problems did you face?

* Survey interviews
* Help centres in game sessions

# INTERNSHIP PERIOD – <01/01/2024> to <05/01/2024> Week 7

Name of student intern:

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*Week 7 Report: Date Questions to answer:*

1. What is surprising you about this internship?

What is surprising is how dedicated Arise is helping the elderly. By hosting events, competitions and surveys. They made games for elderly to play and enjoy this games are very interesting. Cause it can be supported by xbox kinect and on Ipads.

1. Identify the most boring or routine activity in this experience and put together a plan for turning it into an opportunity for learning something new. List your plan below.

There isn't any boring activities. Everyday is interesting and helps me learn more about this company.

1. List the tasks you have been assigned this week. Have you completed them (Or when will you complete them)? What have you learnt and what problems did you face?

* Went to elderly centre to do surveys after the competitions.

# INTERNSHIP PERIOD – <08/01/2024> to <12/01/2024> week 8

Name of student intern:

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*Week 8 Report: Date Questions to answer:*

1. Did you work with a diverse range of people?

NIL. Cause we only work with our supervisor.

1. How did people from diverse backgrounds work with each other? What did that teach you?

NIL. I only interact with the centre staff and the elderly.

1. List the tasks you have been assigned this week. Have you completed them (Or when will you complete them)? What have you learnt and what problems did you face?

* We had a briefing with Mr Thomas on the project we need to do for the rest of the internship.
* I learn a bit of Next.Js, Typescript and react.
* Went to elderly centres to do surveys.

# INTERNSHIP PERIOD – <15/01/2024> to <19/01/2024> week 9

Name of student intern:

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*Week 9 Report: Date Questions to answer:*

1. What did you learn about yourself through this experience?

I learned that I like to interact with the elderly and listen to how they feel about anything thats going on in their lives.

1. What was your biggest success in this internship? Were your expectations for this experience realistic? Why or why not?

Being able to help in the final competition in suntec. My expectations for the final competition were quite high, as the company put a lot of effort and resources into it. For it to fail on the day will be impossible given the amount of helpers we had on that day.

1. List the tasks you have been assigned this week. Have you completed them (Or when will you complete them)? What have you learnt and what problems did you face?

-Mainly work in office to do research for the webapp project we needed to do.

-Created a simple Login page with what i learned for Nextjs.

- Help in organising the switch sets and games

# INTERNSHIP PERIOD – <22/01/2024> to <26/01/2024> week 10

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*Week 10 Report: Date Questions to answer:*

1. What have you done that you didn’t ever think you would be able to do?

I never thought that i would interact with a lot of elderly. As the only elderly i interact with before the internship was my grandpa.

1. How are you different than you were when you started this experience? What changes would you make if you had the chance to do this over again?

I dont think I changed much during this internship. If i

1. List the tasks you have been assigned this week. Have you completed them (Or when will you complete them)? What have you learnt and what problems did you face?

* Still doing research on how to integrate some code into the project.
* Was brief by Mr chris on doing a report for the switch games.

# INTERNSHIP PERIOD – <29/01/2024> to <02/02/2024> week 11

Name of student intern:

Name of the company:

Course:



*Week 11 Report: Date Questions to answer:*

1. What was your biggest success or contribution to your organization? What did you learn from your challenges in this experience?

Being able to help in the final competition in suntec. My expectations for the final competition were quite high, as the company put a lot of effort and resources into it. For it to fail on the day will be impossible given the amount of helpers we had on that day. And also to see the smiling faces of the elderly when they compete or when i interact with them.

1. Think about a new career option that you learned about through this organization. Research that career and provide details below.

From this experience, i would try to be a freelancer for web design.

1. List the tasks you have been assigned this week. Have you completed them (Or when will you complete them)? What have you learnt and what problems did you face?

* Working on the webapp project the entire week.

# INTERNSHIP PERIOD – <05/02/2024> to <09/02/2024> week 12

Name of student intern:

Name of the company:

Course:



*Week 12 Report: Date Questions to answer:*

1. Write a description of the internship or project that can be added to your resume.
2. Write a handwritten thank you note to your supervisor and 2 or 3 other people at your internship site that had an impact on you. Keep in touch with these people after your internship ends. List the people and their jobs roles below.
3. List the tasks you have been assigned this week. Have you completed them (Or when will you complete them)? What have you learnt and what problems did you face?
4. My Mentor and immediate supervisor during internship were the same person.(Y / N)
5. My Mentor provided me with a better understanding of the career development and progression pathways within the company and industry. (Strongly agree / Agree / Disagree / Strongly disagree)

-Strongly Agree

1. Comments on Mentorship experience.
2. Given the COVID-19 situation, my overall internship experience was: (Highly satisfactory / Satisfactory / Neutral / Unsatisfactory / Highly unsatisfactory)

* Satisfactory