



# Career Development

On 23rd October and 28th October we had an industry talk from Habib and PPG respectively. This poster includes the crucial information imparted during these sessions and my reflections on the topic.



A.

## Introduction

Career development is a journey that shapes our future. These talks guides us to embark the journey and highlights the qualities and knowledge that the industry values, where we can improve ourselves on.



B.

## Career Preparation

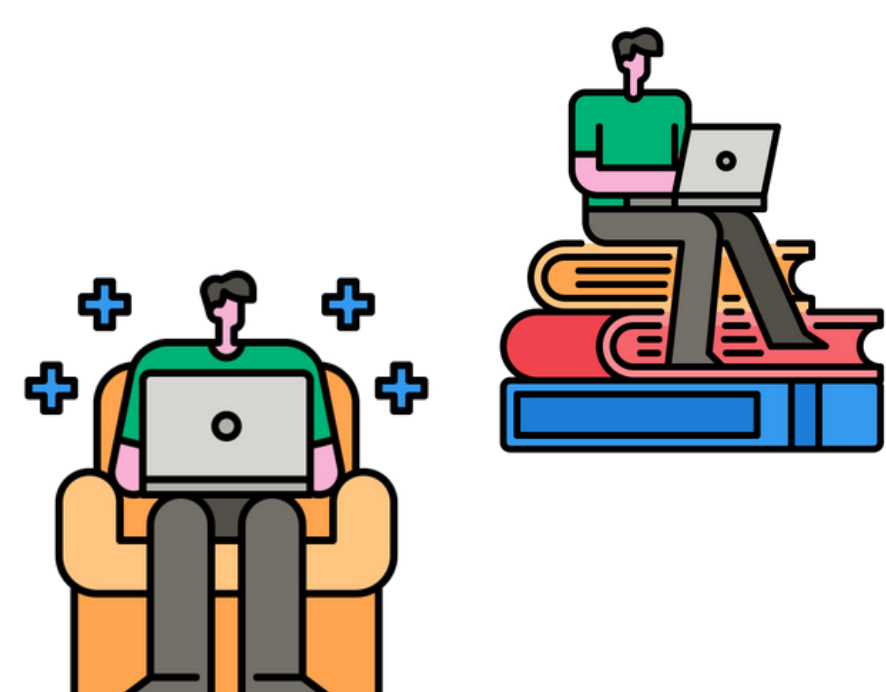
Build portfolio  
Explore the field  
Participate in activities  
Start apply jobs as early as possible  
Level-up & Improve skills



C.

## Attitude & Mindset

Curious  
Adaptable  
Open-minded  
Eagerness to learn  
Positive Mindset



D.

## Soft skills

Communication  
Teamwork  
Time management  
Problem solving  
Critical thinking  
Logical & analytic



E.

## Technical skills

Programming skills  
Database concepts & design  
Data modelling & visualisation

Tools:



Power BI



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Programming languages:



F.

## Reflection

The sharing made me reevaluate my career development journey and ponder my current plans and decisions.

### My Action

Participating in English Debating Society since Foundation year, aiming to hone my public speaking and critical thinking skills.

Participating clubs that can encourage me to improve my technical skills. Currently, I am a core member in GDSC and an intern in AIROST. By joining these club, I am exposed to various knowledge in the field.

"Working hard happily" is my life motto. I believe that we should work hard to achieve our goals but at the same time being happy and optimistic.

Beyond these actions, I also recognise the need to plan ahead. We will be more occupied by our academic projects and assignment in Year 2 and Year 3. Thus, I decided to participate more activities in Year 1 and reduce my commitments to clubs and society in the following years. Besides, I would explore internship and apprenticeship opportunities during semester break and continuously improve my technical skills through self-learning. The rapid evolution of technology highlights the necessity to possess both robust technical and soft skills. The sharing motivated me to stay on the path for my career development with determination and adaptability.

### Reflection

The importance of communication is being reiterated by all the speakers. I gained confidence in English speaking and would continue my efforts in this area.

Habib has suggested us to participate in various activities and leverage our technical skills. I believe by enriching my university life with these activities, I can improve both my technical skills and my soft skills in parallel.

I strongly resonate with the speaker when he emphasised the importance of a positive mindset. An optimistic outlook equips me with resilience to tackle obstacles and pursue my goals.



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