

CAREER DEVELOPMENT

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Introduction

There were 2 career talks organised which is a career talk by Mr. Habib on 23rd October 2023 and another career talk by PPG on 28th October 2023.



Career Talk by Mr. Habib

Mr. Habib explained on common mistakes made by students during job hunting such as constraining themselves to certain job scopes. Other than that, he also explained on how to create a quality CV/Resume which could get us hired easily.

Career Talk by PPG

Staffs of PPG explained to us on what to expect as an intern in PPG as they would treat their interns as equals as Junior Executives. Moreover, our alumni who are now data engineers in PPG, explained the importance of knowing Structured Query Language (SQL) as it is one of the main programming language used by them. PPG also assured a healthy work environment as they organize programs from time to time to loosen up their employees.



Reflection on The Career Talk

I've gained more information on how to express my strengths and experience in my CVs based on the career talk by Mr. Habib. For example, Mr. Habib mentioned that a CVs created using Canva templates are not the best CVs because CVs are not manually checked one by one and when the machine encounters CVs that used Canva or similar platforms, it could overlook the key points the companies want. Based on the career talk by PPG, I understood the importance of choosing the best companies to do internship because as previously mentioned, PPG treats their interns as equals to Junior Executives. Therefore, interns there could potentially learn more as they would be much more involved with the company and colleagues while not being overworked.