

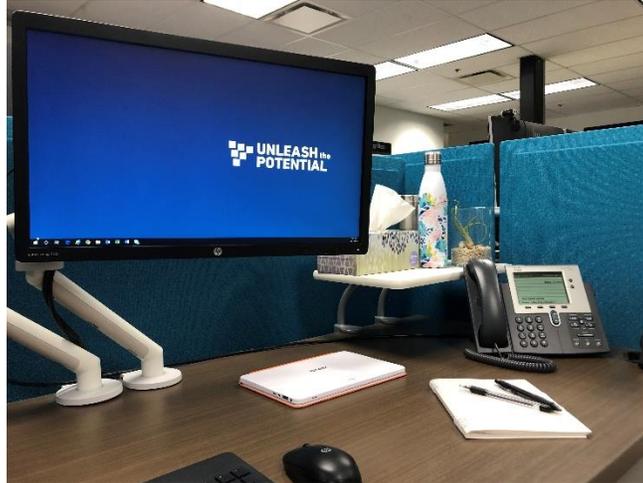
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Take Your Kid to Work Day!

The Interview:

Name of your host: Stefka Lukanov Relationship to you: Mother

1. What is your job title? Corporate Accountant
2. What is your job description? Performs full cycle accounting functions, including journal entries and reconciliations, maintaining consistency and quality of accounting processes, contributing to accurate financial statement information and preparing financial information for reporting purposes.
3. What are the duties and/or tasks you perform at your job?
 - Preparing complex accounting transactions relating to the maintenance of a complete and accurate general ledger
 - Assist the manager on completing accounting processes to ensure compliances with accounting policies and procedures
 - Prepare complex reconciliations within established deadlines
 - Prepare ad-hoc reports and analysis
4. What qualifications do you have for this job in the following areas:
 - a) training? Chartered Professional Accountant (CPA)
 - b) education? My mother has a bachelor's degree in finance
 - c) experience? My mother has done over six years of full cycle accounting
 - d) skills and attributes (personal qualities)? My mother has great organisational and communication skills
5. What are some of the things you like about the job? My mother is really good with numbers and she enjoys analysing them.
6. What are some of the things you dislike about this job? My mother doesn't like that she has to work indoors everyday.
7. How do you anticipate this job changing in the next 5 years or so? She anticipates becoming a senior accountant or even a manager for that department.



Student Reflections:

1. Give three reasons why you would like this job (be specific):

- a) I would like to work at this company because they give you three paid days a year to volunteer.
- b) I am really good at math and I think that I will be good at this job.
- c) This job requires the use of Excel a lot and it can be really cool when I design the graphs and tables.

2. Give three reasons why you would not like this job (be specific):

- a) The job is very repetitive, and I will get bored.
- b) You see the same people everyday and you don't get to meet new clients.
- c) The job can be stressful when having tight deadlines for month end and year end.

3. Is this job for you? Why or why not?

No, currently, I don't think that this job is for me. I find it a little bit boring and I don't think that I will have a lot of energy and motivation while working this job. I am not a fan of doing the same thing every day. I prefer variety.

4. Explain the value of the TOKTW experience in relation to your ideas about your post secondary (after high school) plans (education? training? travel? work?).

The experience was really important because it allowed me to see what a normal working day looks like for an accountant. Those are impressions you can't get if you only read about it. Having a practical experience allowed me to see better if this job is really for me. When I read the job description, it just gave me a summary. But, when I saw my mom actually working, I realized that it is not that simple, and I would have to do a lot of studying and training.