

Unforgettable experience at Monash University Careers & Employment by Tsai Jianfa (Ben).

I chanced by this internship after attending a number of Job Seeker's Workshops and the Future Leaders program offered by Monash University Careers and Employment. I found these workshops and Future Leaders extremely helpful with my outlook in life and handling my career pathways, and it was definitely life changing. I have turned from a person who is rather laid back in his attitude in life, to someone who always tries to have a dynamic approach to handling situations and looking at things.

The internship served as a practice site for what I have learned at the workshops and Future Leaders. I have learnt new things and made new friends and a mentor, namely Pamela. She has been extremely helpful and encouraging throughout my internship and I have learnt lots of new things from her. During the middle stages of the internship, I took part in the Summer Vacation Fair and International Careers Expo. During these events I met new people and made new friends.

Especially at the International Careers Expo, I had the opportunity to meet up with one of the employers which I am particularly interested in. This employer provided me with valuable insight on my career pathways, what qualities employers look for in graduates and advice on steps to take to achieve my dream career. I would never have had this first hand opportunity if I had not been an intern with Monash Careers and Employment.

There are always new and interesting things to learn during the internship. For instance, you will get some office style work experience. There will also be times which will require you to communicate with fellow classmates. You can expect lots of practical, hands on things to do. There will hardly be a moment in which you will be bored.

Lastly, I would definitely recommend this internship to anyone who wants to take a step forward in their career pathway and outlook in life.