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Personal Details

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Primary Address

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Career Choice

Business unit : Mashreq**Function choice** : Engineering & Manufacturing**Second Function Choice** : Human Resources

Further Education

University : Alexandria University**Faculty** : Engineering**Major / Department** : Electromechanical Engineering**Graduation Year** : 2014**Degree/GPA** : 3.89

Secondary Education

School Name : *Zahran Language School**Dates From - To** : * 09/20/2008 - 07/01/2009**High School Certificate** : *General Secondary Education

Language Competency

English

Comprehension : Fluent**Speaking** : Fluent**Writing** : Fluent

Arabic

Comprehension : Fluent

Speaking : Fluent

Writing : Fluent

French

Comprehension : Basic

Speaking : Basic

Writing : Basic

Work Experience

Please give details of any work you have undertaken, indicating whether full-time, part-time, vacation work or industrial training etc (most recent positions first).

Dates From - To : 11/01/2013- 03/09/2014

Employer : ROV pilot - Chassis designer and manufacturer - Buoyancy and balance system designer - CAD assembly coordinator

Responsibilities : AquaPhoton ROV team

Dates From - To : 09/01/2013 - 04/15/2014

Employer : Electric team member - Chassis manufacturing coordinator

Responsibilities : Alexandria University Shell-Eco Marathon team

Dates From - To : 08/25/2013 - 09/12/2013

Employer : Summer training

Responsibilities : SUMED Co.

Dates From - To : 09/01/2012 - 08/07/2013

Employer : Steering system designer and manufacturer of formula car.

Responsibilities : Alexandria University Formula Student Germany team

Dates From - To : 09/01/2012 - 05/03/2013

Employer : Team Leader - ROV pilot - Electronics and electric system team member - CAD assembly coordinator

Responsibilities : AquaPhoton ROV team

Interests Activities

We are interested in what you do / have done outside your academic work.

Please record your non-academic interests and activities stating whether at school, college, university or elsewhere. Record any positions of responsibility you have held in any aspect of your life. (300 word limit imposed) *

Activities: 1. Sports is one important aspect in my life. At school I was a captain of a football team in KSA. 2. Charity work with Life Makers NGO is one of the activities I have started since first year in college. 3. Watching documentaries, specially on National Geographic. Responsibilities: 1. Team Leader of AquaPhoton ROV project on 2013. 2. R&D manager in AquaPhoton ROV team on 2014.

These questions tell us something about how you respond in challenging situations. Please answer them using examples from your experiences in academic, social or working life

1. Please tell us about experiences and people that have over time shaped your decision to consider a management career within Unilever and in your chosen function in particular. What efforts have you made to test out your choices?(300 word limit imposed) *

During college I participated in many projects. In some of them I was a team member, and in others I was a team leader. Throughout these years I learnt how to work with a team, and realized that a good management of a team is the reason behind the success. I learnt from my teammates and my leaders. In each project I learnt a new success criterion. I learnt time management, human resources management, Finance, and logistics. The most important is that I learnt how to keep the team spirit high in different circumstances. I believe that these experiences have developed my character. The people that inspired me to consider a management career is the leaders of the projects I participated in. They gave me the feeling that they trust me. They always discuss the team plans with me. Also being chosen from my teammates to be the R&D manager in our ROV project was very motivating for me to consider a management career within Unilever. I'm now the R&D manager in AquaPhoton team. We are a team making underwater vehicle or robot called ROV (Remotely Operated Vehicle). Our goal is to manufacture an ROV that can dive to a depth of 300m and can carry a load of 50Kg. So I made a plan for the R&D to study the ways of sealing electrical motors and components at this depth and to study the design of propellers and thrusters that enable the ROV to carry the 50Kg load underwater. I'm doing my best to stick to a certain timeline so that we can proceed to the next step in our researches and the team is doing very well until now.

2. Using an example of a time when you were in a new environment and had to achieve a task, please describe a) how you established and used a network of contacts, and b) how you set about influencing people, to help you achieve your task. (500 word limit imposed) *

When I joined Alexandria University team participating in Shell Eco-Marathon competition, the team members were all new and it was the first time for me to work with them. During our first meetings we discussed the budget of the project and realized that we need sponsors for the teams. I suggested making sponsoring coordination team. My task was to find a company that can help us with manufacturing the car chassis. I called an engineer -whom I know from a previous project- who guided us to a company that helped us and became our sponsor. I also suggested a point to be in the team work system. I suggested to make bonus points for the team members who help other team members in their task and to be called member of the month.

3. Tell us about an occasion when you have taken the initiative to learn and develop yourself in significantly new ways. Why did you want to do this, what did you do and what was the result?(300 word limit imposed) *

When I decided to develop my presentation skills. I wanted to do that because it is important for each person to be good in the technical side and to be good in soft skills. I participated with IEEE in many events where I presented a success story. I also participated in the sessions given to the college new comers. The result now is that I developed my presentation skills a lot. And IEEE Alex SB gave me the opportunity to present eight sessions on ROV technology for the students.

4. Tell us about a time when you saw the opportunity to really make a difference for the future of an activity, team or organization. What did you do, what obstacles

did you overcome, and what happened as a result? (300 word limit imposed) *

This year, My team -AquaPhoton team- won the 1st place in ROV Egypt Regional Competition, and we were qualified to participate in the International ROV Competition in USA (June 2014). I saw that we are in a good situation and we have a great opportunity to take fund from companies to help us in developing the project and to help us in travel and accommodation. I suggested that we make fund raising campaign by appearing on TV and writing in new spapers. As a result, the university accepted to fund the project.

5. Tell us about a time when you have had to analyse and understand a complex situation in order to make decisions and put a plan into action. What did you do and what was the outcome? (300 word limit imposed) *

When I was chosen to be the R&D manager in AquaPhoton team. First, I had to set our goal, assess the work, determine the challenges that we expect, and evaluate the resources we have. Second, I made a work plan and a timeline. The work was divided into stages. Some stages had to be done in parallel with each other so sub-teams were made, each sub-team had its coordinator. A work system was made and implemented. A job description for each team member was made. Now, the team is going very well.

General

Please give details of any military service requirements, with reasons for any exemptions claimed. If you have completed your military service please state when. If you have answered Exempted above, please specify the reason you were exempted.

I'm still a student in the fourth year. I'm not sure about my situation from the military service.

Do you have any health problems that could affect your future employment? If yes, please specify:

No.

Do you have any relatives in Unilever NAME? If yes, please give details:

No.

Is there anything that has not been covered that you would like to mention? Are there any personal considerations that may be relevant to your application?

Have you applied to Unilever before? If yes, what did you apply for:

Yes, I applied in The Quest event in November 2013. I was shortlisted to attend Unilever day.

Have you attended a Summer Internship in Unilever before? If yes, please provide details:

Year : -

Line Manager Name : -

Have you attended/participated in any event/activation held by Unilever in the last year (e.g. Lecture, workshop, competition)? If yes, please provide details

Event Name/Type : The Quest

Date: (MM/YY) : 11/13

Event Name/Type : Summer training

Date: (MM/YY) : 08/13

Have you attended/participated in any activity held by other companies in the last year (e.g. internship, competition, workshop etc)? If yes, please specify

Company Name : none

Event Name/Type : The Quest

Date: (MM/YY) : 11/13

Company Name : SUMED

Event Name/Type : Summer training

Date: (MM/YY) : 08/13