

S09-6 How to answer the expectation at the chance?

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Going to “College Pharmacy” was under the influences of my father, a physician, and my mother who had recommended me to be a working woman. However, it doesn't have the memory what wanted to be studied especially at my school days. The graduation study was carried out at the laboratory of the manufacturing chemistry with much fun, where my senior asked me. I looked for a job from several industries because of woman's job scarcity and my various interests. Consequently, it found employment in Pfizer as uncommon “the female proper” at that time. It is true that it was considerably special existence though there was no hesitance of myself in being “the female proper” during finding employment. Afterwards, it has been “the first female vice president” at Pfizer Japan through the business career of medical and marketing division, etc at the headquarters.

Today I would like to talk about “Career Development of Pharmacy Graduate” based on my career until now, which gave me many opportunities to work with colleagues, superior, subordinate and a lot of medical personnel including, the physicians, and the pharmacists.

- 1) View of occupations: difference between before and after starting work
- 2) Ambitious person and potentiality
- 3) MR for competence: difference between Pharmacy graduates and non-Pharmacy graduates
- 4) Motivation
- 5) Expectation to young person as a business person and a pharmacist

I, one of the business people hope that we can offer many opportunities to develop professional career to Pharmacy graduates in spite of extended education for six years.