



SECURITY GUARD

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"I'm from Nueva Vizcaya in the Philippines, and came to Hong Kong about 10 years ago. I joined JLL as a security guard in 2022. You will find me standing almost all day at the entrance of this building, greeting guests and staying alert to ensure the safety of the building. I am always dressed in my smart uniform and standing straight and tall. The security team looks after all the public areas and patrols the stairwells, facilities and bathrooms - essentially making sure that everything is in order for our guests!"

"I see people coming in and out of the building and of the Hong Kong Club all day - some familiar faces, some new faces. Many of them will greet me and stop by to have a chit chat. It's not easy being on your feet all day, it gets quite tiring but it does help to have friendly guests remember my name and joke around with me once in a while. Back home, I also worked in security but it was a very different environment. I was guarding a military base - it was 600 hectares of land and jungle, so we carried big guns and had guard dogs. It's a lot more relaxed in the middle of Hong Kong and I do like that the nature of my work is not as dangerous as it used to be. Even though I'm mostly static during the day, it does consume a lot of energy. It's really important to be physically fit. Luckily, I'm very active and I love sports. After work or on my days off, I play basketball or go cycling with my friends."

"I live with my wife and son in North Point. My wife and I were classmates in secondary school, so we've been together for a long time. My son is 8 years old and I'm happy that he speaks very good Chinese. I haven't been back to the Philippines for four years because of the pandemic, but I'm really looking forward to going home this summer. I will spend time with my elderly parents, relax in my village house and check out my rice field to see how it's doing!"

「我來自菲律賓的新比斯開省，大約十年前來到了香港。我在2022年加入仲量聯行當一名保安。你會見到我差不多一整天都站在這幢大廈的入口處歡迎訪客，並留意著大廈的安全。我上班的時候一直都會穿著這套整齊的制服，昂首挺胸地站著。保安團隊要負責看管大廈所有的公共空間，巡邏樓梯間、設施和洗手間，基本上是要確保為客人提供的設施和服務能夠暢順地運作！」

「從熟悉的到新的面孔，我每天都看到不同人士進出這幢大廈和香港會。他們許多人都會跟我打招呼，停下來聊一兩句。整天站著是不容易的，站得久了會挺疲憊，但當有親切的客人記得我的名字並偶爾跟我開玩笑時，感覺絕對會好一些。在我的家鄉，我也從事過保安工作，但那是一個非常不一樣的環境。我當時守衛的是一個軍事基地——包括了佔地600公頃的土地和叢林，所以我們要帶上槍械和守衛犬。相比之下，在香港的市中心工作就放鬆得多，我喜歡現在工作的性質沒有以前那麼危險。雖然我大部分時間都是站著不動，但也會消耗很多能量，所以保持身體健康真的很重要。幸好我的性格很活躍，熱愛做運動。下班或放假的時候，我會和朋友一起打籃球或踩單車。」

「我和太太及兒子住在北角。我的太太和我是中學同學，所以我們在一起很久了。我兒子今年八歲，我很高興他的廣東話很流利。由於疫情的關係，我已經有四年沒有回過菲律賓了，但我真的很期待可以在今年的夏天回去。到時候我會有時間陪伴年邁的父母，在家鄉的村莊屋子裡放鬆一下，還會去看看我的稻田種得如何！」

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