

UCAS (Management Program BSc)

I remember waking up one morning in a wild forest in [REDACTED]. It was early dawn. I was sleeping in a tent with 10 people next to me and the entire next day we were going to spend on building basic commodities. I knew that for three weeks we would have to take the shower in the river and wouldn't have access to electricity or basic comfort. Yet I was feeling more alive and happier than ever before.

In our scouting group I was in charge of 15 people my age or younger. We had to use creativity and teamwork to improve our living conditions. It was a complicated task because not only I had to take care of the security of the youngest children in our group but also handle the organization, create a friendly atmosphere, all while keeping an eye on the daily objectives. This challenge taught me not only autonomy but also flexibility and teamwork. I was proud to feel accepted and respected as a leader by my teammates.

As long as I can remember myself, I have always been interested in leadership and management, both in work and in my studies. During my last internship in a pharmacy, my supervisor was so content with my work that he granted me complete independence after only 5 days, letting me manage alone all the organizational details and logistics including the delivery of the products and the schedule of the employees. I was flattered with the responsibility and succeeded in multitasking. At my school today, I am active as a member of the School Association. We interview students in order to identify problems, to find the solutions that we then present to the school administration. In addition, we are also in charge of creating and organizing events. My social involvement taught me a lot not only about leadership but also about the importance of human relationships in management.

All of the above experiences led me to choose management as my future career. My academic background so far reflects my strife for excellence. When I was younger, I skipped a year because I got A+ in all of my subjects. Today I am an honor's student, and I am pursuing a scientific specialization. The courses I have taken, such as Advanced Math, Physics, and Philosophy have stressed logical thinking, curiosity, and innovation - all of the skills that are crucial in management. On the other hand, I have also always had a pronounced interest for different cultures. I have already had a valuable opportunity to do a month and a half study abroad program in the United States. I loved the open-minded environment, as well as the interaction with other students who came from all over the world. During the program I stayed with a pastor's family in Boston. Outside of class I volunteered to organize charity events for the pastor's community that included over 500 people. I formed a very close relationship with the family, and we still keep in touch. This wonderful experience has proven to me that I was thriving in an English-speaking multicultural environment and further reinforced my desire to pursue my studies internationally. At my young age I have already visited over 15 countries. Therefore, I think that studying management abroad in Great Britain would be a great opportunity for me to hone my skills in the area that I am passionate about, all while providing me with the possibility to study in an international environment.

Leadership and curiosity have always been part of my personality. I am interested in informatics and airspace. Sports has also been a big part of my life since I was little. I have been practicing handball soccer and boxing for six years, participated in multiple competitions, and won prizes. I think that this hobby has taught me about competition, teamwork, and self-discipline. Passion and curiosity are the main driving forces behind my desire to become an entrepreneur. I believe that an international management program will greatly contribute to this goal, and I am looking forward to revealing the challenge.

