

UCAS Personal Statement

Ever since I spent my years of childhood in Sunderland, UK, I've always dreamt of coming back in the future. Although I lived in Japan longer, those times in UK was a fundamental year for me acquiring fresh experience, values and education which makes most of who I am today. I'm proud of my country, though I can never forget the carefree, enjoyable and eclectic culture of England. I want to come back to pursue my passion and prepare for my career at the place I believe is the most suitable for those who seek to learn.

As I grow up and be exposed to the "real world", I frequently hear people telling me that sometimes you have to give up your passion for career. Yes, it is understanding enough to make up one great counter argument for a popular idea "Follow your passion". So, rather making passion as a job I want to bring my passions into a job; film and fashion.

From a younger age, my passion towards film and fashion have been continuous and recently I've thought about it for my career. I'm pursuing in daily basis such as reading articles, magazines and watching films although I've also engaged in this field from academic aspect. An example is my visual arts extended essay(EE) where I researched on the visual developments of musical films through comparison of 1950's classic "Singing in the Rain" and old Hollywood inspired "La La Land" from 2016.

As much as I enjoyed creating my EE, film captivates me through lifetime. From younger days, I was really close to films as well as performances including watching musicals in London few times a year. During my time at IB, films became more interesting in more depth. Because I watched them more analytically where I never really thought about before. Almost everybody in my class is interested in movies or TV shows and I occasionally have time to share these ideas with people which is also one of the reasons why I became interested to pursue this as something to study in university. It's also because of my experience in EE where I extremely enjoyed learning about essentials of motion picture and viewing two of my favourite works in more profundity.

Fashion is another of my huge obsession. Back when I used to live in U.K., one of my close friend's mum had her own boutique store selling self designed clothes. It was a second home for me as she taught me a lot about fascinating natures of fashion. Patterns to trends, colours to coordination, fashion industry has a place for people with various passion and opportunities to work and inspire each other. Buying a magazine and looking through new product lines of brands is my daily routine. As I also have passion towards films and entertainment, as I observe, I also keep in mind of aesthetic details keep them as my inspiration.

My core idea is to bring passion into my career. Combine it from the aspect of business as basis to support my dreams with security and stability but still with vast possibilities of imagination. Because careers in creative field can be challenging to seek success and with my fostered knowledge in business from IB, I'm definite that I will enjoy and success in my future studies with ranges of career options in the future.

Either way, film or fashion, I would be honoured to make a meaningful contribution in the industry; reporting and spreading inspiration as a editor, or I could be selecting potential product lines to sell in department store or pursuing career as a marketing director or create my own brand.

U.K. is exceptionally appealing to me because of the nostalgia that reminds me from endless hills and farms, frequent bad weathers and that accent that I used to have but now which I've lost. That's why I also think I'm the best fit for your school because the environment and lifestyle fits me and that is one of the part that motivates me in all aspect. I expect that I make out the most out of my campus life to pursue my study and eventually my career. As I stated, I will never give up on my passion for profession.

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