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## INTERVIEW WITH NINFA VITAL GOENECEHA

INFLIGHT UNIT MANAGER TRAINEE – SPAIN

### YOUR CAREER

- Graduated from a Master in Supply Chain Management & Logistics at EAE Business School of Madrid
- Internship in the USA in the sport event field before evolving in commercial positions in Spain.
- **Started in Newrest Madrid's inflight production unit in May 2017 as Inflight Unit Manager Trainee**

### YOUR JOB AND YOUR MISSIONS

During the first 6 months of the Graduate Program, I have been rotating at logistic department most of the time. This involves purchasing area, which has made me deal with suppliers and make purchase orders management, also warehouse management, which has taught me how to manage custom process, personnel management and how to do inventories. I'm also on the buy-on-board part learning step by step how this amazing job works.

### WHY DID YOU APPLY FOR THE GRADUATE PROGRAM? WHY DID YOU JOIN NEWREST?

The main reason I apply for the Program is that aviation sector is pioneer for logistics, which is my specialization area. This Program brings me the chance to learn how such a big company like Newrest work internally, the connections between departments, the coordination between them and the importance of logistics for all this connexion. The training I am receiving is a great opportunity to introduce myself into this world, learning from the bottom to the top how does it work, which is why I joined Newrest.

### WHAT DID YOU FEEL MOST ABOUT ARRIVING IN THE UNIT PRODUCTION IN MADRID?

What most impacted me when I arrived in Madrid was the magnitude of the production unit. The capacity they have to provide more than 300 flights a day and great facilities they have to get it.

### HOW DOES YOUR EDUCATION ALLOW YOU TO UNDERSTAND YOUR WORK? THE WORLD OF BUSINESS?

The knowledge about logistics I had before I started the Graduate Program was so theoretical, but even that way it has helped me understand the reason why things are done one or another way. For example, the knowledge about customs management has assisted me to understand how does custom warehouse process work.



## ACCORDING TO YOU, WHAT ARE THE PERSONALITY TRAITS NECESSARY TO JOIN NEWREST?

From my point of view, after 6 months working in Newrest, the most important personal trait necessary to be successful are:

- adaptation capacity
- hardworking capability

## WHAT ADVICES WOULD YOU GIVE TO FUTURE GRADUATES OF YOUR SCHOOL (OR OTHERS) WHO WOULD LIKE TO APPLY FOR THIS PROGRAM?

If you want to keep learning in a real work environment, apply your knowledge and improve it, it is a great chance. It's important to get involved 100 %, have a positive attitude and work hard to get as much as possible of this Program.