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POET and SDSU Job Shadow Journal

For my job shadow I shadowed at both POET and SDSU. POET was my first job shadow and there I met and shadowed under both Melissa Tille who was a lab manager, and Ryan Bouza who was a research scientist. My Job shadow with POET was on November 22nd at 9:00 A.M. it ended at 11:00 A.M.

At POET I was to meet with Melissa when I got there. She greeted me and then we moved downstairs to one of the labs. There she got a lab coat and a pair of safety glasses. She then introduced me to another lab researcher there named Tim.

When I was with Tim he asked me about what I planned to do in college, which then lead to him telling me how he had majored in Forensic Science or something of the like. Which I thought was really neat because it coincided with what Jonathan Moore said which was "It is nice to have a specialist area, but to still be able to interact with many different groups of patients and medical staff". It really showed me that even though you maybe majored in one area you still can spread out and have a job that encompasses many other different types of science as well.



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I found this very interesting

in A Day in the Life of a Microbiologist

There is always the chance

someone can specialize