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Readio Jockeys introduce themselves and share their experience on their maiden voyage to IN10CITY.



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Listeners, Like
any other typical
Cancers, RJ
Rose is no doubt
overly emotional,

protective, sympathetic, shy, unpredictable, cautious, clingy and unable to let go.

If RJ Rose loves you, you will be ever so lucky because when she loves, she loves with all her heart. She will not forget what you do to her as well, so try your best not to break her heart, for her gift of unconditioned love and loyalty to you will be broken too.

Like a crab, she is hard on the outside but soft on the inside. Her amour might not show signs of vulnerability but inside, she is more fragile than glass. Provoke her and into her shell she will crawl. Introverted but opinionated, her attractiveness lies in her intelligence and humbleness.

In short, RJ Rose thrives on strong emotions, true feelings and following her heart and thus so, her voice will reflect on these traits.



It all started out as a random job application after browsing through several online job search websites for days. I looked through many mass communicationrelated field such as marketing, advertising, public relations, writing and so on.

Honestly speaking, I have zero interest in any of those fields except for writing. But my passion for writing has subsided over the years until I found this job.

I received a couple of interviews and attended them, mostly marketing and advertising jobs. However, these companies were judgmental and incredibly rigid. What I cannot stand is that they do not want to hire me because of my lack of experience.

If you do not even give me the chance, how the hell am I supposed to get my experience?

Also, they asked really judgmental questions, hoping to paint a picture of me out from my answers. I remember an interview that left me fuming for days.

"Please tell us in five words or less, what do you think of the word "team".

"Please use one minute to tell us why we should hire you."

What is the point of all these questions? Talk is cheap. Anyone can churn out any answers they want. If you really are sincere about finding a good worker, hire someone and then judge him or her from their actions. They asked me even more similar questions and one interviewer even said it to my face that he can see that I am a person who loves to party, which is not true.

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I say that my passion for writing subsided because I remember getting bad grades in school and that really pulled down my confidence to write. I did get a few good grades though, very seldom. I think the bad grades were because of teacher's biasness, difference in opinion or writing style, lack of interest in topic or feeling too restricted to write (too much instructions for assignment, strained computer lab environment, awareness that grades will be awarded, etc)

Also, it is somewhat difficult to get a writing job in Singapore. There is no freedom in writing because so many topics are banned here and therefore, the market is small. The writing jobs here are mostly newspaper journalism. The

newspaper industry here tends to employ only the elites NUS and NTU degree holders. I also really hate magazine writing, they are bimbotic and full of propaganda. Therefore, I didn't think that my chance of writing is high at all and gave up on it.

I was a lost cat and was confused for months after my graduation.

As I did not know what to do and which path to take, I desperately looked for socially-accepting jobs such as marketing. Everyone tells me, marketing is good, this and that. Even my mother told me to get a marketing degree right after I get my diploma.

I was brain-washed by them, applied for a marketing degree course and got offered a place. However,

part of me was contemplating so I did not accept the offer. I know that my interest does not lie in marketing no matter how popular or big the industry is. Attending marketing job interviews double confirms my disinterest. This can be related to a discussion on another topic "Wisdom and Withering".

I actually wanted to take up Nursing for my diploma. However, nursing was seen as a course for people with bad grades and mass communication was the otherwise. I received good grades for my GCE O Levels and therefore, chose the latter because I can feel the glee when I tell people I am in a "Mass Communication" course. Their face instantly lights up. This is a sociallyaccepted course.

I do regret it as I have wasted 3 years on a diploma that is not my interest. I am planning to get a Nursing diploma soon.

Sorry if I went off topic but back to the actual questions.

Honestly speaking, I would say that In10city does things, quite a unique way.

Usually, other companies will call me up to set up an interview date if they like my resume. Some even conduct phone interviews before they even want to see me. Cap10 on the other hand, emailed me a long passage and told me to call drop by whenever I feel like it.

When I dropped by to have a chat with Cap10, he did not ask me any judgmental formal interview

questions and instead, just told me briefly about the company and his ideas. He then gave me the choice as to whether I want to take up the job or not. I was confused. I was so used to not having a choice in other companies as my choice is in their hands you see.

This freedom he gave and the other rigid and strict interview experiences I have been through contrasted on a high level. Honestly, this is something new and thus, I was thinking that he is not being an employer seriously. Also, I was wondering why he would want to employ me as a full time writer and editor. I have no experience at all and I am young. Honestly, I was having a dodgy feeling about this.

However, I was extremely

interested in the job scope because my passion is rooted deep into writing, free writing to be exact. I was given another offer as a Project Management Executive in a reputable American MNC. I consulted my friends and relatives and most of them told me to pick the latter. Reason being, it is a good company and therefore I can climb up the career ladder. A very sociallyaccepted reason.

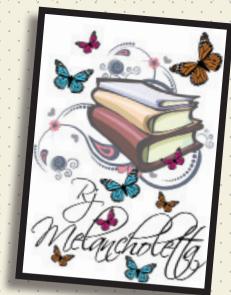
I was torn between people's acceptance and my own passion. That is why I suggested a 1-day trial with In10city as well as the other company.

During the trial, I felt extremely bored in the other company despite the very nice office and pantry and multi-racial American MNC

culture. Working system was rigid, pressure was there, people were in boring office attire and everyone was striving to work hard hoping to outbeat one another in order to get promoted. Within an hour there, I could tell that I will be struggling if I chose the job.

I am glad I did the trial as now I cherish my writing job even more. I am glad that I am brave enough to pursue my passion despite of what society thinks.

That is my biggest satisfaction.



An anomaly who came trashing out of a womb bonded in

the ropes of righteous. She holds a lighter in her fist and is surrounded by her very own trinity of defiance which includes deviation, dissection and demolition.

RJ Melancholetta believes that the entire point of existence is to question everything from the system to the sciences. She is highly analytical and critical of mainstream schools of thought including organized religions, moral codes and institution-sponsored indoctrination.

RJ Melancholetta believes that conservative mind sets are merely umbrellas to protect the ignorant from those who dare to go against the grain and roast the meat in the process. She is just another soldier in the mental militia that is our existence, but she is also an idealistic little girl at heart.

RJ Melancholetta constantly engages in the epiphany, that is escapism. She is inspired by tragic poets and their sullen scars and loves dwelling in the comforting arms of her own melancholy.

When you traverse her words with your mind, you will find yourself unlocking the door to your own inner deviances. In RJ Melancholetta's voice, you will detect rebellion with a cause and hopefully, start questioning the norm that you have been force-fed with as well.

#### RJ MELAN

I was a fresh faced and naïve minded Communications graduate, when I first came aboard the vessel en-route to in10city.

At the back of my mind, I knew that searching for a creative job in commerce crazed Singapore was going to be a walk on glass shards and rusty nails. I also expected to find opportunities solely in the mainstream of the writing world, in the consumerist arms of magazines

that only existed to act as mouthpieces for advertisers. I have always despised such magazines because of the fact that they adorn the veil of creativity only to mask the fact that they are serving no other purpose than to dumb down the masses.

I was fresh out of University and in desperate need of some fulfilment as a writer. I wanted more than to be the messenger of bad news and so I knew that journalism was not my calling. It was during this period of intelli-quest that I found out about 33.3 IM and In10city. When I first jumped aboard, I was a skeptic because of my knowledge on all forms of so called creativity in pretentious Singapore but I soon realized that this vessel differed greatly from any

other authoritarian mouth piece that I had ever experienced in this country.

On board the vessel, I was offered the opportunity to meet with several like minded individuals, who were absolutely nothing like the cookie cutter, brainwashed zombies that I experienced on a daily basis. These individuals who are my fellow RJ's possessed the ability to dissect and rationalize various aspects of life and society that I had always possessed strong opinions about. Through our discussions on everything from religion to gender and politics, I was given the opportunity to voice my displeasures and share my desires.

Apart from being a forum for philosophers, this also served as a circle in which creativity could be

cultivated. The intellectual level of our little community was of a far higher level than that of mundane society in a sense that we could speak to each other in constant metaphors and yet be understood perfectly. The way in which we all connected was truly enthralling to me.

I would have to say that the most liberating aspect of in10city has to be the bravado factor which most of us posses. I am extremely proud to say that I belong to a team of writers and a family in which we are not afraid to express controversial opinions that defy the moral code and value system in which we have been imprisoned for almost all our lives.

I have encountered several mental

obstacles on board this vessel such as religious fanaticism, extreme self righteousness and at times petty and narrow minded behaviour but I accept these as opportunities to observe and develop my human experience and my intellectual growth as a writer. As with non virtual reality, I have found that my opinions have come across as rather extremist and even shock inducing at certain times but being aboard the vessel has also encouraged me to express these without hesitation.

In conclusion, I would have to say that perhaps what truly sets us and this experience apart from any other writing agenda is its roots in the freedom of speech and expression.

It is in my opinion that being born in Singapore is equal to being born

with a gag in your mouth, a cork in your mind and several knives at your throat but in10city has given me the opportunity to rise above my oppressors and take my turn at the microphone.

I love the line "All in all is just a nother Image I Nation".

Reminds me of my young days where we used to mouth Pink Floyd's WALL during

our dope sessions. Each of us used to allocate an instrument to mime, including the Helicopter.

A FreeKingdom, of Thoughts it is, as I am freaking out after many years.

All my best wishes for In10city to become the Fashion City of the Intellects.

I have nothing much to say about myself. A life that had nearly gone to waste, is at least now of use to the future generation. Its a great pleasure to be beside the cap10, as none ever before gave me the freedom to apply my crooked mind or thoughts to just anything and everything. Having brought up all life, suppressing thoughts amidst inhibitions, it does take time to draw and spell out, but hope I am doing okay.

I would like to share with you all, what Cap10 told me when I asked him to describe **In10city**.

by far the farthest, by near the nearest by dear the dearest

As we clear our way to the Clearest

for ever it would be our next Everest,

as the peak of anything is where we are standing on,

and to move on we need to progress,

without stationing a congress to mark every attainment,

for our own attainment

then becomes a blockade for our thoughts to progress.

A Mission to an utopia , that forever remains, a "never attainable"

for even after billion years, any day will still have its tomorrow.

It took me a few days to peel this, but I am getting used to it as we progress, for what he meant is that we should never stagnate even in our thoughts. And all he said was to try to describe it my way as much and I can see the words forming itself on its own, through my expression. Following are some lines that I made.

An expedition that has "transformation" as the mission, and any attainment is not for us to rest on, forever —

as the Utopia is the way along for us to farther and not to settle down.

A Venture to evolve with Miss. evolution and not to have her married or to make her our belonging at home.



G o o d Heavening Listeners. This is RJ Sassychloe

live and direct from the Philippines.

Like a nomad navigating the endless sand dunes of the Sahara desert in search of an oasis, I was finding my way through the busy streets of Manila to make ends meet and survive life's sand storms such as my unhappy marriage and a pending money crisis during the time I joined the CAP10 and his

formidable crew.

My journey to IN10CITY became my oasis. As for any voyager, it is the journey that really counts more than the destination. It is the wealth of lessons learned and wisdom gained from the experience that make a man's character. And in choosing the right ammunition to write his life's ending.

We sail from end to end of human reasoning and common sense, armed with our ink, sharp mind, and guts. We had the pirates at bay to think twice before attacking or find themselves dead on their tracks with our unforgiving rhetoric and unstoppable wit.

The CAP 10 and his crew ducked the golden anchor of their huge vessel, on the sandy shores of man's stubborn and rusty consciousness. Not too long after, we have reached the land of milk and honey, the land of the free-thinkers.

The CAP10 and his crew have arrived at IN10CITY, a state of NIRVANA, yet completely aware of their surroundings.

FREEDOM, at last.

Arranged marriage is the territory I bravely explored as it touches a chord in my own life. Here, we've talked about relationships, marriage, behaviour, culture, and society, and how these subjects affect each other. Realizations throughout my exploration in this territory have helped me recover in own marriage dilemmas, and have empowered me to take the road less travelled, which is the road to

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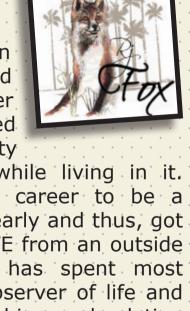
happiness without compromise.

Looking at something through black and white lenses is easier than seeing purple and orange. Now I know that it is the choices that I make that shape me and move me. It is up to me to limit my countless options, and finally make that one choice that will make all the difference, and have the balls to stick with it.

Now, I'm happily separated from my husband. I learned to listen to my needs more and be able to go claim the person I want to be, before I married and lost my sense of self. I am happy living with my son, and happy that I have my FREEDOM back and gained a family.

IN10CITY rules!

RJ Fox, An IT analyst and a free thinker who received an opportunity



to analyze life while living in it. He switched his career to be a freelancer quite early and thus, got to experience LIFE from an outside perspective. He has spent most time being an observer of life and has been researching and relating various aspects of life. He lives in his own style.

Phrasing or framing questions is the art of living to him. Giving birth to questions and giving a berth to it is his art of living. In his philosophy, questions are the magic key that opens very complex locks in life. He was specially chosen by Captain Con Fessori for the immaculate questions he gives birth to out of the blue.

Personally, he is a proponent of open relationships and his endeavor is to relieve humanity from a bad habit called "marriage". Apart from giving birth to questions and topics, he has been assigned the task of evolving a new operating system for LIFE in In10City. He has named the project *Life Operating System* (LOS) and he will be sharing the features of it along the way.

An emotional but determined being, RJ Chirpee is a little introverted but also keen and



intuitive. She is elusive, complex and contradictory.

Her life is a game to her and involves fresh moves and continuous entertainment.

RJ Chirpee hates being tied down. She likes to be free like a bird, where she can think on her own and her decisions are not influenced by others.

She hates being alone as she is fun, frolic and very talkative, but that does not mean that she is a bad listener. She plays the role of Agony Aunt for her friends too.

She loves truth, honesty and straight-forwardness. She hates to be taken for granted and is always ready to prove her worth to the world.

In her voice, you will many times think that you can relate to her as she is just someone from amongst you only!

### In10City

A new intellectual nation indeed!



I'm Phlox. I'm an RJ on board now. It wasn't long before that I was out wandering, and looking for a place to belong to. Then fate had it that I met Cap10 through an acquaintance that couldn't join, but informed me there was an opening. I got in touch with the Cap10, and he openly invited me to board this vessel, provided of course I wanted to! I responded in the affirmative,

and then Cap10 responded in the affirmative with a few tips on the do's. No don'ts? That was that! The deal was struck. I was a maverick overnight.

It sparked my adventurous streak to come to life!

### A place with all Do's. And no Don'ts.

Wow. Can this be so? Am I dreaming?

But it seemed for real.....

I have done many jobs. With enough experiences to produce some maturity.

But I like to think of myself as "a young girl." There is a secure feeling in that and I am tempted to use it often! I feel as if I am in my teens.

There's zest and enthusiasm inside me still.

But fact is, people expect results from you now. No longer can they understand you nor give you concession for being a young and inexperienced person in life.

Why? Because I ain't sweet sixteen any longer!!

I too have been longing to do something out of the ordinary.

This one sounded like it was just what I was looking for.

I was excited. But undecided.

Not so young, but not so old. What have I got to lose anyway?

I was thrilled. But I was scared too.

But knowing myself as I do, Could

I let the chance of something that sounds too good to be true, Just slip by my fingers?

So, I took the chance anyway. This expedition has since then brought my young spirit alive.

The first one to board the ship. What does the future hold? What can I expect?

When I started off, I thought to myself that this isn't going to be like the ordinary. It turned out to be right. The work is different. Yes, I may well be wrong! But there again, I may be right.

It doesn't matter. Now, that I am on board.

I was skeptical at first. I wrote like how I would write for another run-of-the-mill deal. I wrote in a robotic fashion, because that was how it always was.

The only way writing was accepted.

And so I wrote according to the idea given.

I wrote. Trying all ways to think alike.

When sometimes I couldn't come up with reason enough!

Then Cap10 coaxed me to write what I feel from within

I was told to have my own style and express my thoughts.

It didn't matter whether it was in agreement or disagreement with the idea given

It was welcomed. That was the deal.

I am allowed to express my thoughts.

I was ecstatic!

Along the way, new RJ's boarded the vessel. It was exciting.

Everyone had their own space. Their own freedom to express.

The Cap10 took in all.

There was no discrimination. Race, religion, culture, gender...

Nothing mattered! We were free souls...

Like minded. Opposite minded!! We all had mixed opinions.

Sometimes here. Sometimes there.

No two individual thought alike. At any given time.

That was the beauty.

It was indeed challenging, having thread where no one did

Sometimes shocked and confused in some situations.

Sometimes searching and seeking with all my heart, Knowing that there is no point in fooling myself, and daring the world to see it my way.

I have tried to open myself as much in this mission

Through varying feelings and opinions

And shared what is honestly right and real for me

. And what is true to my integrity.

Now that the vessel has been traveling for long.

And in my traveling I have met many souls

Like minded at times, begging to differ at times

But it is an experience that I will never forget

As a woman, I have now internalized what I shall live and die by

And this expedition did give me the chance to voice my views

Whether I be right, or I be wrong

That is the consequence of the choices that I will have made.

I am just an ordinary person. I live in a big, big world where I go about.

I walk, I talk, I laugh. I cry. All unnoticed.

But sure do hope that when the unpublished views of mine gets published

I would rather that my writings make an impact.

To one other soul at least.

And as a tribute to All RJ's- hope that our determined and daring views- will move the world!!!

Ok Listeners. We have come to the end of this special edition. Hope you all enjoyed our experiences. But this is just the beginning. Do catch up on our hot debates. For that is when things started to get serious and our pretence started to fall

or in other words we started to realise how our own pretence comes in our way and starts to impede us and in fact becomes a nuisance when things get real. Like how we remove our glasses or roll our sleeves when it comes to a fight, our true colours started to reveal.

Yes. it is a new experience. We are not physically near any of us, and anything has to be through our writing.

Shucks!! yeah.. we got stripped off all our shucks.

and for those of you who have been using the word shucks, are encouraged to google for meaning of the word shucks.

This is RJ Phlox signing off with this quote...

Start listening to 33.3 IM READIO for a soul filling experience and to attain a fullfilled soul.

Good Heavening Listners. (Oops.. are you good in catching spelling mistakes in speech?) .. ooops.. I have already signed off, but I one more thing to add.. And for those of you who haven't yet dared to dare.. start expressing your inner feelings while listening to any of our READIO programme.

Get to know your INNER YOU.

And want to listen to more of READIO?

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