

Transcript – Marta

My name is Marta Morales and I work for a large publishing company and I've been working there for two years. I'm an International Sales Executive for South East Asia and Mexico. My typical day? Well, I don't really have a typical day because so many things can happen in the day. I get, like, different, all the time different queries from our branches in South East Asia and Mexico and it can be, like, anything like information on titles or agreeing special prices or organising print runs in India or Pakistan.

The thing I enjoy most is that I'm building relationships with lots of people from different countries. I don't really know how I've ended up doing sales to be honest because I never thought I was going to be doing sales. I always thought I was going to be a translator so ... I'm doing sales. I'm selling books.

I've been living in the UK for four years and before joining this large publishing company I was working for a secondary school in Summertown. So I was teaching Spanish and French from year 7 to year 12.

Since I'm here I'm more sporty. I'm doing rowing and I never did that in Spain. But this is something of Oxford. The countryside is beautiful so, like, hiking. Pubs, I really like them. Though at the beginning I was quite shocked and I didn't quite like them but then I've got to like them.

I think if I had stayed in Spain I would have been for a while on the dole where here you apply for jobs and get interviews like this.