

<b>Our vision is a world where all people have</b>  
<b>access to opportunities that give them purpose,</b>  
<b>prosperity, and belonging.</b>  
<b>My name is Sang and I'm an</b>  
<b>employment placement specialist.</b>  
<b>I've been working with the</b>  
<b>Open Door Group for...</b>  
<b>This is my eighth year</b>  
<b>actually, I just counted it.</b>  
<b>And it's been a long journey and</b>  
<b>it's been a great journey so far.</b>  
<b>So as an organization, our</b>  
<b>mission is fostering well-being for all</b>  
<b>by opening doors to</b>  
<b>meaningful and sustainable employment.</b>  
<b>Specifically as an employment facilitator, when I</b>  
<b>was helping people with resumes,</b>  
<b>seeing how happy it made them when they got a</b>  
<b>job, there was one client specifically that came</b>  
<b>in just to come thank me.</b>  
<b>And he was like jumping up and</b>  
<b>down. It was really exciting.</b>  
<b>It's seeing how big of an impact it made in their</b>  
<b>life, you know, even though</b>  
<b>it's just a part of my role.</b>  
<b>I mean, we hear from a lot of clients that we</b>  
<b>helped them find their first employment.</b>  
<b>And it's always kind of a really touching moment.</b>  
<b>And probably I think that's one of the kind of</b>

<b>reasons that I'm still in this job.</b>  
<b>All of the staff that started working for </b>  
<b>Open Door Group are people who want to help,</b>  
<b>are really guided by</b>  
<b>similar values as Open Door Group.</b>  
<b>And you can see people have</b>  
<b>been here for a long time.</b>  
<b>And so it's really people who care about the</b>  
<b>people we serve and want to help them on their</b>  
<b>recovery or improve quality of life.</b>  
<b>A really important part of who we are at </b>  
<b>Open Door Group, we believe truly that</b>  
<b>everybody has the ability to succeed.</b>  
<b>We care for our clients and we</b>  
<b>really want to do the best for them.</b>  
<b>So while Open Door Group has grown and evolved as</b>  
<b>an organization and, you know,</b>  
<b>now we serve multiple communities,</b>  
<b>the passion that we see with our teams and our</b>  
<b>employees in the local</b>  
<b>communities, that hasn't changed.</b>  
<b>And so it's really neat to see that creativity</b>  
<b>and that passion exist in our employees and </b>  
<b>team members across the organization.</b>  
<b>It's a really good feeling. I always think about</b>  
<b>clients when I go home after work too.</b>  
<b>And each of them have their own barriers.</b>  
<b>But if I'm able to help a little bit with one</b>

**aspect of it, I'm, you know, thrilled.**