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EDUCATION

University of Florida – Gainesville, Florida

Masters of Science in Finance

May 2011

B.Sc. in Physics (GPA: 3.83)

May 2009

Minor in East Asian Languages & Literature (Mandarin)

GMAT: 700 (Quantitative 47, Verbal 39)

Language Skills: Advanced level of spoken and written Mandarin (conversational)

Computer Skills: Microsoft Excel, Word, PowerPoint, Visual Basic, C++, HTML

Graduate Coursework: Financial Statement Analysis, Fixed Income Security Valuations, Measuring and Managing Value, Financial Decision Making, Venture Finance, Study in Valuation

Tsinghua University – Beijing, China

Summer 2007

- Intensive summer program taught by Tsinghua University professors
- Two semesters of intermediate spoken and written Mandarin
- Independently studied Chinese economic environment through travel to Shanghai and Xi'an

WORK EXPERIENCE

Jade Dragon Development – Shanghai, China

Summer 2009

- Summer internship for a consulting and retail property development investment company
- Designed and wrote statistical clustering analysis program for geographic and demographic data
- Organized and summarized previous consulting reports into caseworks used for marketing
- Translation of a consulting report from Mandarin into English

Fortis Bank – New York City, New York

Summer 2008

- Summer internship on the Equity Derivatives and Structured Notes desk
- Programmed VBA Excel builder that automated and reduced legal documentation process by 80%
- Assisted office personnel in creation of automated booking systems for interoffice transactions
- Created pitch book for broker dealers to explain the offered products

Ronald McDonald House – Florida

2004 – 2005, 2008

- Programmed VBA Excel database for family response surveys
- Compiled house resource manual for relief management and volunteer staff
- Supervised and directed large groups of volunteers

HONORS AND ACTIVITIES

- Bright Futures Scholarship – Full merit scholarship to University of Florida
- University of Florida Honors Program
- Assisted visiting professor from Sichuan University during his residency at University of Florida
- Secretary and competing member of MAΘ Math League team
- National Honor Society and Beta Honor Society