

Mark Basford

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EDUCATION

University of Florida – Warrington College of Business

Master of Science in Finance

May 2009

- 700 GMAT score
- Key Coursework in Fixed Income Securities and Investment Analytics
- Proficient in Microsoft Office, with extensive experience using Excel for various financial applications

Bachelor of Science, Finance

May 2008

- Minor in Entrepreneurship
- GPA: 4.0 major and 3.91 overall
- Fully funded own college tuition

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Ring Power Corp. St. Augustine, Fl.

Summer Intern

05/07 – 08/07

- Involved in the initial stages of a six sigma project that is expected to save millions of dollars
- Gained financial modeling, accounting, and technical skills

University of Florida

Research Assistant

01/07 – 05/07

- Contributed to the research and analysis of data for several published papers involving mergers, acquisitions, and IPOs

ACTIVITIES

Student Finance Group

Founding Member

03/05 – Present

- Participated in finance related discussions with members of the community
- Gained presentation skills and industry knowledge while taking on leadership positions

Wakeboard Club

10/03 – Present

- Organized meetings and ski times for over 100 members
- Displayed leadership ability

HONORS & AWARDS

- Jacksonville Area Golf Association Scholarship Recipient
- Andersen Scholar

TRAVEL

Visits to Europe, Summer 2005 and 2006

- Traveled throughout Europe and developed many new relationships
- Inducted as an honorary member into a Swiss fraternity
- Gained language and cultural knowledge