#### Bao Zekun

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### **Education and Certification**

### National University of Singapore, NUS Business School

Bachelor in Business Administration (Accounting and Finance), Second Upper Honours

• 2013/14 Semester 1 Dean's List (Top 5% of cohort)

#### CFA Institute

Dec 2014 – Present

• Passed CFA Level 1 and 2 on first attempt; CFA Level 3 Candidate

### **Bloomberg Institute**

Feb 2015 - Feb 2015

Aug 2012 - Jun 2016

 Placed in 99<sup>th</sup> percentile of all test-takers for Bloomberg Aptitude Test and entered APAC Top 5 Hall of Fame

## HEC Montréal, QC, Canada (Student Exchange Program)

Jan 2014 - May 2014

• NUS Study Abroad Scholarship (Given for strong academic and leadership qualities)

# **Professional Experience**

Mizuho Bank

Jul 2016 – Present

Global Graduate Program Analyst

- Improved FCF of USD 10 million for a client by structuring a reverse factoring program.
- Directly engaged in client meetings to structure solutions to their financing needs.
- Conducted due diligence on working capital note investment via double-trust structure.
- Created research report on the outlook of palm oil, bulk shipping and thermal coal industries in the APAC region.
- Provided daily market update on key clients and trading commodities.

# Royal Bank of Canada Wealth Management Asia

Summer Intern, Investments and Products

May 2015 – Jul 2015

- Produced training materials across classes of Investment Products for the education of Relationship Managers.
- Amended Product Factsheets on Structured Notes, Fixed Income and Forex Products.
- Created Product Factsheet on Contingent Convertible Notes (CoCos).
- Performed pay-out analysis on Structured Products, such as Equity Linked Notes, Shark Notes, and Steepener Structured Notes.
- Learnt process of trade execution for Bonds and Forex Products.
- Updated policy paper on Securitized Dual Currency Investments for Investment Product Committee.

## United Overseas Bank

May 2014 - Jul 2014

Summer Intern, Group Technology and Operations

- Analysed outward telegraphic transfer process and proposed using median result instead of mean result for evaluative purposes due to extreme data points. This enhanced accuracy of system evaluations.
- Statistically analysed transaction volume for different product types and proposed areas
  of focus for enhancement.
- Proposed improvements to the authentication of transactions to reduce processing time and reduce operating costs.

#### UBS AG (Singapore)

May 2013 – Aug 2013

Summer Intern, Private Wealth Management (Value Based Investment)

- Drafted portfolio establishment rules and monitoring criteria based on customized investment portfolios mirroring social impact funds.
- Analysed investment viability of a Chinese enterprise in Beijing for a large client and provided inputs which led to rejection of the investment due to risk factors.
- Contributed in editing a UBS White Paper published at the BoAo Forum for Asia 2013.
- Reached out to local business leaders to participate in a workshop for Ultra-High Net Worth clients in the Asia-Pacific region.
- Translated client prospectus and for regional offices from English to Mandarin.

# Other Related Experience/Co-Curricular Activities

### StockTrack Portfolio Management Simulation Competition

Jan 2014 - Mar 2014

Picked stocks that generated over 10% in a week using top down approach.

# NUS-Shell Case Challenge

Sep 2013 – Sep 2013

- Performed preliminary valuation of the multi-national energy company Petrobras.
- Analysed industry outlook for the Oil and Gas industry.

#### Skills

- Fast leaner and strong team player with excellent interpersonal skills
- Financial modelling and basic Excel VBA