# Gabriella Kiel

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#### **EDUCATION**

May 2024 University of South Carolina

Columbia, SC

• Bachelor of Science, Risk Management Insurance, Minor in Applied Computing

GPA: 3.6

• Dean's Honors List, Life Scholarship, WSIA Derek Hughes Scholarship, J.H Blades Scholarship

Spring 2022 Università Cattolica del Sacro Cuore – International study abroad program

Milan, Italy

## WORK EXPERIENCE

2023 Wholesale & Specialty Insurance Association – Internship

Kansas City, MO London, UK

# J.H Blades Scholar

• Tailored curriculum encompassing comprehensive exposure to the London insurance market and visits to Lloyd's enhancing understanding of operational structures and market dynamics

Hull & Company (Bridge Specialty Group): Professional Liability, Property & Casualty

Horsham, PA

- Generated potential new clients by diagnosing the added value of partnerships
- Effectively presented agencies with a cyber quoting portal to enhance their time-to-quote ratio
- Conducted market appetite research to solidify appropriate market submissions

Markel: Management Liability, Health Care, Primary & Excess Casualty

Manhattan, NY

- Shadowed multiple product lines, thus increasing my awareness of the industry
- Attended a potential client meeting to analyze the format of an informative encounter with the insured
- Obtained comprehension of the underwriting process from submission through the account cycle
- Participated in marketing events with brokers, which allowed me to gain insight into developing relationships

## Sompo International: Large Property Underwriter

Manhattan, NY

- Initiated opportunities to observe communication with brokers and risk engineers
- Coordinated a global informative session with a cat model team to extract information
- Participated in Dale Carnegie training to increase my presentation and communication skills
- Exceeded intern networking by connecting with important individuals to foster a relationship
- Facilitated opportunities to expand my knowledge in other product lines by coordinating meetings

#### 2021 Amwins Group Inc. – Internship

Charlotte, NC

- Shadowed underwriting and brokerage teams learning principle job functions
- Participated in a two-week intensive underwriting training class

#### LEADERSHIP EXPERIENCE, INVOLVEMENT & CERTIFICATIONS

2024 Digital Studies Certificate

Columbia, SC

### 2023 University 101 Peer Leader

Columbia, SC

- Mentor first-year college students transitioning into college life by offering support in challenging situations
- Actively contribute to shaping experiences by promoting fun and safe ways to get involved on campus

#### 2023 The Institutes CPCU Society

• Insurance Essentials Certification & Surplus Lines Fundamentals Certification

#### **2023 Buddies Beyond Borders**

Columbia, SC

• BBB creates an environment for students to have a cultural connection and create friendships

# 2022 Gamma Iota Sigma Fraternity

Columbia, SC

#### President

- Orchestrated recruiting techniques to triple membership numbers and increase involvement
- Experience and engage in WSIA symposiums, regional and leadership conferences
- Build innovative partnerships with companies to educate members on the industry
- Attend monthly leadership training to exhibit prominent leadership to the chapter
- Coordinate chapter meetings and restructured chapter cataloged documents
- Communicate with members on all chapter news and events

#### **Public Relations Director**

- Revamped social media platforms to ensure an organized and user-friend design
- Initiate and organize social and professional events to enhance the membership experience

#### 2021 Mayoral Campaign Volunteer for Daniel Rickenmann

Columbia, SC

• Assisted in winning local campaign efforts in three key areas: (i) phone and texting banks keeping registered voters informed, (ii) sign blitzing, and (iii) result retrieval

## 2020 Chi Omega Sorority

Columbia, SC

- Circle of Sisterhood Rep Liaison for Chi O and Panhellenic to fundraise women's education
- Philanthropy Cabinet Member Coordinated philanthropy events for Make-A-Wish Foundation
- Sisterhood Cabinet Member Created, supervised, and led sisterhood events for the chapter