# **CHRIS WONG**

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## **EDUCATION**

The University of Houston

Bachelor of Science: Computer Science
Overall GPA: N/A (First Semester)

May 2019

The University of Texas at Austin

Master in Professional Accounting
Bachelor of Business Administration: Accounting
Overall GPA: 3.4

May 2014

#### **PROJECTS**

Hold'em Game - Personal Project

August 2017 - Present

• A recreation of the Texas Hold'em card game in Java designed to be played in the command line to practice development of computer based decision trees based on Poker probability statistics

# www.Invysti.com - Personal Website

July 2017 – Present

• Portfolio website created using GitHub Pages and Jekyll as a means of documenting project statuses as well as practice use of source control, HTML, CSS and JavaScript

# Blackjack Game - Personal Project

July 2017 – August 2017

• A recreation of the blackjack card game in Java designed to be played in the command line to practice use of enumerations, Card Objects and the ArrayList data structure

#### **EXPERIENCE**

Ernst & Young LLP – Financial Reporting Assurance Staff (ConocoPhillips); Houston, TX September 2015 – December 2016

- Performed financial reporting assurance for the top oil and gas exploration and production company as the primary staff for the Alaska and Corporate Business Units and honed critical thinking abilities through the performance of accounting systems testing
- Developed communication skills through facilitation of meetings between the client and the engagement team to determine and address accounting risks, internal control risks, and audit risks
- Created internal macro in Excel to quickly retrieve oil and gas pricing and production data with increased accuracy and efficiency from a variety of external sources to determine oil and gas valuation saving ten hours of budgeted work time per week
- Obtained the highest internal performance rating by exceeding company set goals related to operational excellence, client communication, and team performance

Financial Reporting Assurance Intern (ConocoPhillips & BP Wind JV) (January 2013 – March 2013)

- Worked with the client and assisted on performing financial statement analytics, testing of accounting balances, and controls testing over debt, cash, accounts receivable
- Developed quantitative analysis skills through performance of all substantive procedures and variance analyses related to three wind farms and worked with client to understand and establish account valuations
- Worked closely with the engagement team manager and client on appropriateness of transaction disclosures

## **Yvonne Lau, CPA** – Operations Intern; Houston, TX

May 2012 – August 2012

• Performed data entry tasks and developed Microsoft Excel macros and shortcuts for ease of future data entry to improve operational efficiency

# **SKILLS**

Proficient in: Java, C++, HTML, CSS

Tools: GitHub, GitHub Pages, Bootstrap, Visual Studio, Eclipse, Unreal Engine

Business: Certified Public Accountant (CPA), Financial Reporting, Business Valuations, Financial Statement Modeling & Analysis

## LEADERSHIP EXPERIENCE AND ACTIVITIES

# Asian Business Student Association Finance & Investment Team – Head

January 2012 – May 2015

- Actively managed an investment portfolio of over \$5,000 to generate returns that were donated to ABSA affiliated charities
- Developed valuation models for public entities using three statement projections, discounted cash flow analysis and comparative ratio analysis to determine portfolio direction
- Headed a team of 15 members and hosted workshops teaching macroeconomic, accounting, and financial concepts to the members
- Performed sector presentations and market updates to inform the ABSA members on financial news and implications to the financial markets

### **WongHaus LLC** – Director of Finance and Accounting

August 2017 - Present

• Determine financial viability, budgetary requirements, and tax repercussions of real estate investment projects

#### ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

**Languages:** Fluent in English, Conversational Proficiency in Japanese, Mandarin Chinese, Cantonese **Interests:** Snowboarding, Basketball, Tennis, Piano, Guitar, Bagpipes, Cars, Travel, Real Estate, Architecture

Work Eligibility: U.S. Citizen; eligible to work in the U.S. with no restrictions