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EDUCATION

2020 - 2022 London Business School

Reading for Masters in Financial Analysis Degree

GMAT: 720

LBS Merit Award (2019)

2015 - 2018 Rotterdam School of Management, The Netherlands

BSc International Business Administration, GPA 8.8/10, Cum Laude

University of British Columbia, Vancouver, Canada International Exchange – Finance and Computer Science

BUSINESS EXPERIENCE

2019 - 2021 ALBION CAPITAL, London, United Kingdom

Over £1b AUM - Private Equity and Venture Capital

Investment Analyst

- Invested in renewable energy assets and data-driven energy start-ups as part of asset-backed and energy investment team
- Spearheaded modelling of potential returns for a new £500m+ renewable energy fund investing into operational and pre-construction assets leveraged with project finance
- Led a £3m CHP, solar and battery micro-grid development project at The Royal Mint making it the "Greenest Mint Worldwide"
- Created both data room and financial model and negotiated reserve account levels during refinancing and partial exit of a £100m renewables portfolio, achieving Albion's highest carry

2019 Intern (5 months)

- Managed finances and operations of existing assets of a £100m renewable energy portfolio (i.e. budgeting, valuations, board reports, insurance) together with Finance Director
- Procured and negotiated power price agreements during price spikes and uncovered contractual discrepancies leading to renegotiations of long-term contracts resulting in significant NAV uplift
- Screened, modelled, communicated, and assisted during due diligence of multiple new investment opportunities

2018 ROLAND BERGER, Dusseldorf, Germany

Intern (3 months)

- Drove performance improvement project for a global automotive OEM with 500,000+ employees to achieve cost savings of 30% as part of Roland Berger's automotive and restructuring teams
- Developed financial improvement models for both overheads and indirect personnel whilst liaising and engaging directly with clients
- Prepared and visualised qualitative and quantitative content of various top management presentations

2017 NATIONAL AUDIT OFFICE, London, United Kingdom

Intern (2 months)

- Constructed an in-depth economic market analysis of the British Higher Education market within Value for Money, Regulator, Consumer and Competition division
- Ran econometric regression analyses on universities' financial incentives and inclusion of students from disadvantaged backgrounds

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

- Additional Activities: Board member of EU-funded, Albion investee company developing first multi-source micro-grid systems throughout Wales
- University Extracurriculars: Chairman of Rotterdam Chapter of IFSA Network (amongst world's largest student run finance societies across 5 continents) responsible for a team of 10; Student Assistant to the Director of the Erasmus Centre for Future Energy Business
- Awards: South-German Champion in Field-Hockey (2nd youth division); Abitur Award of Excellence in Physics
- Languages: fluent English; native German; basic French; basic Dutch
- Computer literacy: Microsoft Office; VBA; Python; SPSS; Stata
- Training: Albion VC's Introduction to Venture Capital training; Roland Berger Consulting Readiness training