# JOHN BLAKE

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### **EXPERIENCE**

#### MORGAN STANLEY

New York, NY // Investment Banking Analyst, TMT // 03/2010 - 06/2014

- Executed over \$1.5 Billion transactions on Wall Street and global capital markets
- Created presentations for boards, senior management, executive committees
- Performed comprehensive range of valuation analyses comparable company analysis, precedent transactions analysis cash flows. Performed financial modeling for a variety of transaction structures including sale, acquisitions, leveraged by equals

#### **Selected Transactions:**

- \$500M High Yield financing of electronics manufacturing services company
- \$65M Follow-on offering of software company
- \$120M Buy-side M&A, reverse-IPO assignment for an advertising & marketing company
- \$60M Sell-side M&A assignment for a leading US online travel company
- \$40M IPO on AIM of media holding company
- \$71M IPO of Chinese online travel agency
- \$100M Fund placement roadshow

#### AMBER BOX

New York, NY // Product Management // 08/2007 - 01/2008

- Designed and deployed the original product
- · Hired and managed product development team from leading tech giants

## **FLEX MAGAZINE**

New York, NY // Business Development, Marketing, and Strategy // 02/2008 – 02/2010

- Positioned the company as the leading job destination for top schools and most desirable positions within lucrative \$1. market for junior Wall Street talent
- Raised \$5.5M investment from leading Silicon Valley angels and venture capital investors
- Responsible for innovative product marketing techniques that led to viral growth
- Grew the site to millions of pages views per month that facilitated thousands of job placements within investment bank capital and media industries

# **EDUCATION**

# **BOSTON UNIVERSITY**

BS Political Science // 2003 - 2007

# SKILLS 2

Languages: Fluent in English, Spanish, Danish, Mandarin.

Hobbies: US Citizen. Enjoy sports, music, theater, running, surfing, skydiving.