**Financial Engineering Required Upload**

A one minute video is required as part of your application to the MSFE program. We require this so that we can better assess your language and presentation skills. You must be present, alone, and be seen speaking in the video.

Post the video to Youtube or Vimeo and share the link for viewing. Please do not password protect the video.  
  
Choose **one** question below to address in your video. Keep in mind that your video should be no longer than one minute.

* Share with us a time that you failed at something that was important to you. How did you handle this? How did it impact you?
* What are your career goals? Share your 5-year plan with us.
* Tell us about something you have done that you are most proud of. Why was it so important to you, and how did you go about accomplishing this?

Hello everyone, my name is Sherry. Today I’m gonna share a time that I failed at secure a internship at Munich Re, which has been my dream company since I was a freshman. To be a qualified actuarial analyst, I have been making great effort to pass the actuarial exams called SOA Exam P and FM by self-learning. I also developed strong coding skills such as Python, R and VBA by doing projects in my undergraduate. All of these are highlighted in my resume. The next step is to attend a couple resume workshops at the university and try to take advantage of every chance to present my resume in person to company representatives by attending some info sessions hosted by insurance companies and networked with them in career fairs such as ASNA. This was done to show my keen interest in the positions and to deepen their impressions of me. I also actively attended some mock interviews with our career consultants, which improved my communication skills.

In this spring and summer term, I got intern opportunities at Wawanesa and Intact, which are Canada's top 5 P&C insurance companies. From there, my SAS and VBA coding skills were greatly enhanced. Finally, this fall term, I got the Munich Re’s offer. The financial engineering industry requires candidates to be equipped with professional knowledge, meticulous planning skills and a spirit of research. I believe these internship will be helpful for my career in the future too.