

ARAN LAKHANPAUL

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EDUCATION

Imperial College Business School

London, UK | Sep 2024 – Aug 2025

MSc in Investment and Wealth Management – Distinction (Predicted)

Relevant Modules: Macro Finance (84%), Corporate Finance for Practitioners (undertaken in Singapore)

Applied Project: Analysed Bitcoin's inflation sensitivity post-ETF, benchmarked against gold using regression analysis

Coursework Corporate Finance, Macro Finance, Private Equity, Asset Allocation, Financial Derivatives

University College London

London, UK | Sep 2020 – Jul 2024

Bachelor of Science Economics – First Class Honours

Relevant Modules: Advanced Linear Algebra (85%), Corporate Financial Strategy (83%)

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

L'Oréal

London, UK | Jul 2022 – Jul 2023

Commercial Executive Placement

Client Relationship & Strategy Focus

- Managed high-value client relationships across 15 e-commerce retailers (ASOS, Next, etc.), driving tailored sales strategies with weekly revenue >£700k, conducting market research, pricing strategy and performance tracking
- Communicated market insights and portfolio-style recommendations in weekly meetings to senior stakeholders
- Collaborated cross-functionally on >500 product launches, aligning with internal stakeholders
- Automated internal reporting using VBA, improving efficiency across team workflows
- Received Return Offer

Leicestershire Golf Club

Leicester, UK | May 2021 – Sep 2021

Hospitality Staff

- Managed hospitality sector solo during a COVID-19 outbreak, demonstrating multi-tasking and problem-solving skills; also improved teamwork abilities through organising marquee events for over 100 guests.
- Proven track record with tight deadlines and demanding clients exceeding expectations whilst focusing on client satisfaction

Reditum Capital

London, UK | Jul 2019

Work Experience Asset Management

- Performed market analysis on Glasgow's commercial accommodation sector, presenting data-driven insights to senior Investment Directors supporting investment committee-style decisions

ACHIEVEMENTS

"Ride to Paris" Initiative – Next Gen Committee Member

London, UK | Apr 2023

- Participating in Ride to Paris project as part of L'Oréal's Next-Gen Committee, coordinating logistics and fundraising efforts. Developed strong teamwork, organisational and event management skills whilst promoting employee engagement.

Movember Ambassador

London, UK | Nov 2022

- Organised and led a fundraising campaign, including a charity sale and football tournament, raising funds for men's health initiatives and supported community involvement within L'Oréal

ADDITIONAL SKILLS

Certifications

Excel Financial Modelling Bootcamp

London, UK | Nov 2024

Technical Skills

Experience in MS Office Suite, VBA Programming, R Programming, Advanced Excel and AI tools

EXTRA-CURRICULAR & INTERESTS

- Manage a self-directed five-figure investment portfolio, making strategic asset allocation across asset classes to optimise returns
- Built a vocabulary learning app to streamline language practice among other projects
- Developed an AI-powered news analysis app to automate market research and critical thinking prompts, combining coding with financial sector insights
- Keen Golfer and member at Leicestershire Golf Club regularly partaking in competitions with WHS handicap
- Attended the Global Fintech and Blockchain Conference 2024
- Active in UCL societies (Finance, Dodgeball, Sikh Society)
- Co-organised a baking fundraiser during the COVID-19 pandemic, raising £1500 for local hospitals