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EDUCATION

Michigan Technological University

August 2020 - December 2024

Bachelor of Science in Management Information Systems

Minors in *Public Health & Pre-Health Professions (Pre-Medicine Pathway)*

GPA: 3.78/4.00 | Magna Cum Laude | Dean's List: 8 of 9 Semesters | Pavlis Honors College | Beta Gamma Sigma Member Core Courses: IS Projects, Systems Analysis & Design, Project Management, Anatomy & Physiology I/II, Cardiopulmonary Physiology

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Kaiser Permanente

Pasadena, CA

June 2022 – August 2022

Revenue Management Intern

• I developed a SharePoint-based intranet website for the Revenue Management team. Integrated data from Epic and other systems into the website, gaining hands-on experience applying IS and IT expertise within a healthcare setting. The internship allowed me to learn about data security, revenue management processes, and system fusion at the intersection of healthcare, IS/IT, and business operations.

PortagePointe UP Health System

Hancock, MI

August 2021 – December 2022 Elder Associate (CNA) Assisted elders by engaging in daily care, providing patient care, and assisting team members while utilizing Healthcare IT Software

North Dakota State University Undergraduate Researcher

Fargo, ND June 2021 - August 2021

Research Project: The Efficacy of Metarrestin on Bone Metastasized Prostate Cancer

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

Upper Peninsula Health Conference

Houghton, MI

Project: Solving Obesity in Rural America

August 2022

Michigan Technological University Laboratory of Cancer Metabolism

Houghton, MI

Project: Functional Roles of LKB1-SLN Axis

January 2021- April 2022

H-STEM Enterprise

Houghton, MI

*User Interface Designer & User Experience Engineer (*Currently consulting for Enterprise)

January 2023 – December 2024

Project: Tennis Groundstroke Training Device | Developed User Interface using Figma

CLINICAL SHADOWING EXPERIENCE

Rural Physician (45 hours) | Pulmonary Nurse Practitioner (40 hours) | Internal Medicine (8 hours)

LEADERSHIP

Student Government

January 2021 - April 2024

• College of Business Representative, Public Relations Committee (UX Engineer), Athletic Council Representative

January 2024 – April 2024

• As a Scrum Master in my Systems Analysis & Design and Management Information Systems Capstone classes, I developed substantial project management skills. Leading a diverse cross-functional team, I leveraged Agile principles and techniques to improve my ability to facilitate productive discussions and ensure all voices were heard. We exceeded expectations, outperforming masters-level classes. I learned to ask thoughtful questions, summarize key points, and guide my teams toward shared goals by hosting regular retrospectives and sprint planning meetings. I also became more adept at utilizing specialized expertise within cross-functional teams. In developing our "hormone-based" health app, I leveraged my health science background with the skills of team members majoring in Computer Science.

Michigan Tech DUPR National Team Coach & Captain

August 2022 – December 2024

- Arranged practices, led practice sessions, created strategic lineups, coached teammates, and secured sponsorship and funds for the team.
- Led team to a Regional Title & Nationals Appearance from being an Unranked Team

SKILLS & CERTIFICATIONS

- Certifications: Certified Nursing Aide, Certified Adult Mental Health First Aid USA, Johns Hopkins Contact Tracing
- Microsoft Programs: Power BI, Power Automate, Power Apps, Project Management, Excel, SharePoint, Visual Studio
- Software: ProjectLibre, Tableau, Python, MySQL, Java, CSS, HTML, JS, AWS Services (EC2, RDS), Figma, Epic
- Skills: Agile, Scrum, Project Management, Team Leadership, Data Analytics & Visualization, Healthcare, Physiology

- Michigan Technological University NCAA-DII Varsity Tennis Team | '21, '22, '23, '24 Seasons
- Michigan Technological University DUPR Collegiate Team | August 2022 December 2024
- Professional Pickleball Association (PPA) & Association of Pickleball Players (APP) Touring Professional | June 2024 Present
- International Natural Bodybuilding Association Classic Physique Bodybuilding Competitor | May 2022 August 2022

AWARDS & HONORS

Beta Gamma Sigma Inductee: Nomination into the Top 10% of students at AACSB Accredited Universities. Soyring Scholarship Recipient: Granted to students researching solutions to prevent and cure cancer.

February 2023 April 2021

ITA Scholar-Athlete

All 4 Seasons '22, '23 Seasons

Great Lakes Intercollegiate Athletic Conference (GLIAC) Academic Excellence