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# **EDUCATION**

## Singapore Management University (SMU)

Singapore

Bachelor of Science (Information Systems)

Aug 2022 - Present

• Expected graduation in December 2025

**Temasek Polytechnic** 

Singapore

Diploma in Financial Business Informatics

Apr 2017 - Mar 2020

• GPA: 3.74/4.00

## **EXPERIENCE**

NCS Pte Ltd

Jun 2023 - Oct 2023

Singapore

Business Analyst Intern

- · Utilized Figma to construct a comprehensive dashboard prototype, facilitating client presentations and enhancing user experience
- · Collaborated closely with functional consultants throughout project delivery lifecycle to achieve successful outcomes
- · Orchestrated 5 monthly newsletters by working closely with department leads to curate nominations and craft compelling content
- · Developed and designed visually appealing PowerPoint slides for supervisors to present to clients

Refinitiv Asia Pte Ltd Singapore

Research Assistant Intern

Jul 2019 - Jun 2020

- Developed multiple automated systems using Excel VBA for operation process automation
- Created well-designed dashboards using data analytics tools such as Excel and Refinitiv Eikon to assist analysts in the Commodities Research Division
- · Provided support to analysts in the team by handling large amount of data used in Business-as-usual (BAU) tasks

#### **PROJECTS**

#### Flexify | Interaction Design Prototype

SMU

**Group Project** 

Aug 2023 - Dec 2023

- · Utilized Figma to design low-fidelity and high-fidelity prototypes
- Conducted Web Experiment to understand potential user preferences between two different User Interface (UI)

# SustainableEats | Interactive Web Application

SMU

Group Project

Utilized Vue.js framework to build web application's front-end User Interface (UI)

- Integrated Firebase Realtime Database for web application's back-end
- Designed web application using Bootstrap and CSS for styling
- Utilized Github to collaborate with 3 other team members

### **CO-CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES**

# Financial Business Informatics Student Interest Group

Temasek Polytechnic

Aug 2023 - Dec 2023

Media & Publicity Assistant Head

Apr 2018 - Apr 2019

- Managed social media platform (e.g. Instagram) of interest group to raise awareness of diploma
- Planned and facilitated publicity strategies and interest group campaigns to generated publicity of diploma
- Conducted surveys to better understand and cater to students

### **ACHIEVEMENTS**

- Passed Introduction to Securities & Investment (International) English examination by The Chartered Institute for Securities & Investment (The CISI)
- Awarded Edusave Certificate of Academic Achievement for top 25% in the cohort (AY 2018, 2019)
- Awarded Edusave Merit Bursary for achieving good academic performance and good conduct (AY 2018, 2019, 2020)
- Achieved 1st runner up in Junior Achievement Singapore Company of the Year Competition 2018
- Awarded Certificate in Security by Singapore Workforce Skills Qualifications

# **SKILLS & INTERESTS**

- Programming Languages: Python | HTML5 | CSS | PHP | Bootstrap | Vue | MySQL | Excel VBA
- Soft Skills: Leadership | Teamwork | Communication | Adaptability | Creativity | Problem-solving
- Software Knowledge: Figma | Adobe Photoshop | Adobe Premiere Pro CC | Adobe XD