# Claudia Lam

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#### **CAREER PROFILE**

Passionate about investigating financial and operational discrepancies in companies, and develop control point solutions to mitigate financial risk. Over 4 years of auditing and compliance experience serving multinational clientele in medical, fashion, and food/safety sectors to assess risk and analyze financial records.

## **CAREER HIGHLIGHTS**

- Successfully audited 3 years of financials by performing ratio and variance analysis in less than 2 months for a toy company filing for IPO, as well as auditing the earnings forecast for the prospectus.
- Led a team of 4 associates to identify internal control deficiencies for a multinational fashion company and communicated the findings to audit teams in 7 different Asian countries.
- Efficiently managed an average of 3 audit engagements at once by working closely with managers from planning, staffing, scheduling, and reporting.

### PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

## Stanford University Residential & Dining Enterprise Stanford, CA

Menu Labeling and Compliance Assistant

03/2018-01/2020

- Analyzed all contents of newly purchased food items to check for allergens, and ingredients that are not compliant with the Menus of Change University Research and Dietary Requirements.
- Conducted interviews with dining hall head chefs to develop an internal app for chefs to view and edit menus, and communicated ideas and requests to the engineering team.
- Oversaw distribution of menu labels to 7 dining halls across campus and performed quarterly audits for all dining halls to make sure all allergen cooking and preparation processes were up to standard.

## KPMG LLP Santa Clara, CA

Advisory Associate

01/2018-03/2018

- Identified significant inconsistencies between clients' prior and current year financial statement balances by analyzing general ledgers, contracts, and journal entries to determine if disclosures are required.
- Compiled raw data into organized schedules for efficient analysis by heavily using Excel functions such as VLOOKUP, Pivot Tables and conditional formatting.
- Communicated with clients in finance, HR, and sales fields to identify weaknesses in internal control and propose control point solutions to mitigate financial reporting risk.

## PRICEWATERHOUSE COOPERS (PwC) Hong Kong

Senior Audit Associate Audit Associate 09/2016-11/2016 10/2014-08/2016

- Assisted in the audit of quarterly and annual 10Q/10K reviews by performing fluctuation analysis on financial statement items.
- Examined the details of clients' balance sheets and income statements for financial errors and cross-referenced footnotes to ensure compliance with Hong Kong Financial Reporting Standards.

## **EDUCATION**

#### **Certificate of Advanced Accounting Proficiency Program**

Santa Clara University, Leavey School of Business

2014

#### University of California, Davis

Bachelor of Science, Managerial Economics

2014