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EDUCATION

University of California, Berkeley (Management, Entrepreneurship, and Technology Program)

Berkeley, CA

Bachelor of Science, Electrical Engineering and Computer Science, Bachelor of Science, Business Administration

Sept. 2019 - May 2023

- **GPA:** 3.92/4.00
- Relevant Coursework: Data Structures and Algorithms, Structure and Interpretation of Computer Programs, Internet of Things, Discrete Mathematics and Probability, Intro to Product Management, Fundamentals of Blockchain Technologies

EXPERIENCE

Research Intern

Polychain Capital

San Francisco, CA

September 2020 - Present

- Sourcing, conducting technical research and diligence, and investing across pre-seed to Series A into new crypto protocols with a focus on decentralized finance, information markets, developer tooling, scalability and privacy infrastructure, and consumer
- Conducting on-chain data analysis project using Python to correlate macroeconomic factors to cryptocurrency movements to inform Polychain's liquid fund's trading operations

Lineage Logistics (Applied Sciences Division)

San Francisco, CA

Data Science Intern, Warehouse Algorithms

May 2020- August 2020

- Developed an API to be deployed to 100+ manual warehouses nationwide that efficiently slots items on the warehouse pick line based on item velocity and density by analyzing 100K+ points of data and using Numpy, Pandas, SQLAlchemy, and Docker
- Conducting technical analysis and due diligence on software startups operating within the logistics and data/ML spaces for Lineage Ventures, Lineage Logistics' corporate venture capital arm

Blockchain @ Berkeley Berkeley, CA

Software Developer, Researcher & Blockchain Xcelerator Fellow

February 2020 - Present

- Built internal member engagement software for by developing an ERC20 token deployed on the Ethereum Ropsten network, using Solidity (smart contract), React is (frontend), and Node is and MongoDB (backend and off-chain data)
- Advisor to startups in the Blockchain Xcelerator (Nugbase, OPGames, Sheeld) assisting with product strategy and ideation, technical development (frontend, game design, smart contract audits), growth strategy, and user research

Contrary San Francisco, CA

Venture Partner

September 2019 - Present

- Sourcing pre-seed to seed-staged startups (industry agnostic), leading due diligence on them by researching and evaluating respective industry trends, product market fit, and team capability, and making pre-seed investments of \$50K to \$500K
- Held office hours to provide help to student founders on product, go-to-market strategy, and sales, and helping build out Contrary's network of talented entrepreneurs across multiple college campuses

Moralis Capital New York City, NY

Investment Analyst

April 2020 – Present

- Sourcing, due diligence, and investing up to \$50K for pre-seed, seed, and Series A startups across verticals
- Providing operational support for startups and developing a "CXO" executives for Moralis' Operations-as-a-Service initiative

New York City, NY **Stripes Group**

June 2020 – Present

Special Projects

Researching the implications of greater SG&A spending across the technology ecosystem and identifying startups building solutions aimed at providing financial technology and tooling to address increased SG&A spend

Free Ventures Berkeley, CA

Associate

April 2020 – Present

- Advising pre-seed stage startups from the Berkeley ecosystem on product development, strategy, fundraising, and sales
- Helping develop a sponsorship and angel network by negotiating partnerships with firms like 8VC, SVB, and more

ACTIVITIES, SKILLS, & INTERESTS

Activities: Kairos Society (Fellow), Human Capital (Campus Ambassador), Student Instructor (UGBA 198: Intro to Product Management) Skills: JavaScript (React.js, Node.js, Web3.js), Solidity (Open Zeppelin Token Standards), Python (NumPy, Pandas, Jupyter, Matplotlib), Java, MongoDB, LabVIEW, SQL, Git, Computer Aided Design (Solidworks, Autodesk 360)

Other Interests: Poker, Formula 1, Spikeball, Tennis, Governance Futurism, Gaming and E-Sports, Philosophy