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EDUCATION

Springfield College **Springfield, MA**
Dual Bachelor of Science in Business Management & Computer and Information Sciences May 2025
GPA: 3.9/4.0

- **Honors:** Sigma Beta Delta Honor Society
- **Key Courses:** Business Analytics, Financial Management, Data Structures and Algorithms, Python Programming

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Sullivan, Poulin & Payne, C.P.A. **West Springfield, MA**
Income Tax Intern February – April 2025

Springfield College **Springfield, MA**
Web Content Creator Intern September – December 2024

- Create and manage web content using Drupal CMS; optimize campaigns via Google Ads and [Google Analytics](#)
- Enhanced websites rebuild through SEMrush keyword research, boosted page speed by 30%, and improved average ranking by 47% with SEO strategies

International Admissions Student Assistant September 2023 – May 2024

- Enhanced client management through individual counseling and pitch presentations to promote programs and services of a private liberal arts college
- Drove a 13% increase in student enrollment through targeted marketing plans across African and Asian regions
- Utilized Slate Database for applicant tracking and Tableau for data visualization, improving campaign targeting

Big Y Foods, Inc **Springfield, MA**
Operations Intern June 2024 – July 2024

- Conducted daily operational tasks, including safety walks, merchandising checklists, mock food safety audits, and spot checks for out-of-code items to ensure compliance and efficiency
- Analyzed and optimized Profit & Loss statements, implementing cost-saving across multiple departments
- Enhanced inventory management through Computer Assisted Ordering, improving inventory accuracy by 15%

Massachusetts State Lottery Commission **West Springfield, MA**
Customer Service Representative May 2023 – August 2023

- Utilized Microsoft Excel for financial reporting processes, reducing errors in daily sales records by 10%
- Handled sensitive information, including Social Security Numbers, via Experian; processed W-2 forms and managed checks up to \$100,000
- Provided top-level customer support, addressed inquiries, and resolved issues with a solution-oriented approach

LEADERSHIP EXPERIENCE

Springfield College **Springfield, MA**
Student Trustee April 2023 – Present

- Advocated for 2,500 students, leading a 25% budget reduction in student activities through detailed financial analysis and strategic planning
- Championed DEI initiatives, resulting in increased student engagement and more inclusive campus policies

President, Springfield Business Club February 2023 – Present

- Spearheaded case competitions; fundraised \$3,500; conducted educational webinars on the stock market
- Led workshops on portfolio management and stock market analysis for club members

Resident Assistant January 2023 – Present

- Exhibited a strong work ethic in advocating safety and community engagement of 150+ residents

SKILLS

- **Programming Languages:** Python, C++, Java, MySQL
- **Data Analysis Tools:** Power BI, Microsoft Excel (VLOOKUP, PivotTables), Tableau, Machine Learning
- **Certifications:** [AHA! Product Management Professional Certificate](#) February 2024