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EDUCATION

2012-2014 **NEW YORK UNIVERSITY**

New York, NY

Master of Accounting, May 2014

- GPA 3.8/4.0, Ranking 5/100
- Relevant courses: Forensic Accounting & Auditing, Auditing, Managerial Accounting, Business Statistics and Intermediate Financial Accounting

2008-2012 **ZHEJIANG UNIVERSITY**

Hangzhou, China

Bachelor of Chinese Language and Literature

- GPA 3.6/4.0, Ranking 10/80
- Relevant courses: Intermediate Auditing, Practice and Training in Accounting and Financial Management

EXPERIENCE

2013.5-8 BANK OF SHANGHAI

Shanghai, China

Financial Analyst Intern, Retail Banking Department

- Prepared reports and PowerPoint slides for partner's presentation; assisted translation between Chinese and English of reports; researched relevant information about target company
- Conducted risk evaluation for 11 customers during personal loan process
- Designed customized financial solutions to clients' individual needs and financial objectives

2012.3-5 **ZHEJIANG ACCOUNTING FIRM**

Hangzhou, China

Accountant Intern, Accounting Department

- Committed 40hrs/week to perform valuation service for a \$80 MM steel company
- Developed operational/capital budget and financial forecasts to support strategic plans
- Validated the key drivers and assumptions used in formulating budget and forecasts

HONORS & AWARDS

2013-2014 New York University

New York, NY

- Outstanding Philosophy Thesis awarded by New York University (Top 2%)
- First-class prize in 9th Contest of Model United Nations

2008-2012 **Zhej**

Zhejiang University

Hangzhou, China

- First-class scholarships in 2009 and 2010 based on academic achievement (Top 2%)
- Scholarship of Outstanding Exchange Student in 2011 in summer program in University of Washington (Top 5%)
- Outstanding Graduate Student of Zhejiang Province (Top 2%)

LEADERSHIP

2013-2014 **NEW YORK UNIVERSITY**

New York, NY

New Media Editor

- Promoted school images and videos to attract talented candidates
- Posted 8 articles, with 38,000+ total view, in social media platform, held 3 webinars to answer questions on academic achievement and student life on campus

2010.10-12 **Zhejiang University**

Hangzhou, China

Vice President, Administration and Financial Management Department

- Set up core committee, recruited team members, and designed activities to improve teamwork and realize members' full potentials
- Responsible for leading the budget and other financial activities within the association

PERSONAL

- Languages: Full proficiency of English, IELTS 7, TOFEL 110; native speaker of Chinese mandarin
- Computer: MS Office applications, Matlab, Python, R, Adobe Photoshop
- **Sporting**: Outdoor sports enthusiast with extensive travel in Asia: backpacked in Cambodia, Vietnam