

# Michael C. Coleman, MBA

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Possesses demonstrated ability to analyze complex analytical problems in order to effectively create and implement technical solutions. A team-player with a track-record of working with multifaceted groups to complete business objectives and projects. Proven communicator who enjoys conveying complex ideas in easy-to understand language.

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## Professional Experience

### Retirable

March 2020 - Present

#### Software Engineer II

- Founding member of Retirable's engineering team. Responsible for the development of Retirable's financial planning offerings, incorporating experience as a software engineer and MBA graduate.
- Collaborates with stakeholders to propose, roadmap and build financial planning products to meet organizational goals and objectives.
- Notable accomplishments:
  - Coordinated with members of the marketing team to identify customer acquisition bottlenecks. Proposed, designed and implemented split tests in order to identify friction points and implemented solutions based upon findings.

### EquityMultiple

April 2019 - March 2020

#### Software Engineer

- Leveraged previous finance experience to build and maintain EquityMultiple's online real estate investment platform.
- Notable accomplishments:
  - Collaborated with members of the operations team to reengineer the investment return distribution process. Redesigned tools enabled one operations associate to manage all monthly distributions.

### Betterment

March 2016 – August 2018

#### Financial Planner

- Founding member of Betterment's human advice team. Defined new offering's operational processes and created guidelines to ensure consistent advice was provided to each customer.
- Served as embedded subject matter expert in the product and engineering team to craft Betterment's financial planning offerings.
- Interviewed with members of the media regarding specific financial planning topics ([Example](#)).

### Merrill Lynch

February 2014 – March 2016

#### Analyst

- Met with high net worth clients to define their various financial goals and objectives. Proposed and implemented solutions to help them achieve their goals.
- Organized and coordinated adoption of a new investment platform and portfolios to streamline the team's investment management process. New portfolios improved client outcomes and enabled one individual to manage all investment portfolios.

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## Education

### Rice University, Remote

July 2019 - December 2021

- Masters of Business Administration
- Corporate Finance & Investment Management Concentrations

### Bates College, Lewiston, ME

August 2009 – May 2013

- Bachelor of Arts, History Major, Religious Studies Minor
- Dean's List – Fall 2012 & Winter 2013

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## Skills & Interests

**Certifications:** Certified Financial Planner

**Tools:** Microsoft Excel, Microsoft Word, Microsoft PowerPoint, Google Analytics, Amplitude, Segment

**Volunteering:** Portland Adult Education English Tutor

**Personal Interests:** Running, Cross Country Skiing, Hiking, Camping, Fly Fishing, Canoeing

**Accomplishments:** 2023 [Birkie](#), Eagle Scout