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EDUCATION

DePaul University - Driehaus College of Business

Chicago, IL

Bachelor of Science in Business; Finance Major

September 2022 – December 2024

- GPA: 4.0 / 4.0
- Dean's List all semesters
- Relevant Coursework: Corporate Finance, International Finance, Macro/Microeconomics, Financial Data Analytics, Financial Statement Analysis, Investment Seminar, Alternative Investments, Business Analytics, Investment Theory and Practice, Financial Reporting. Accounting I/II

North Park University Chicago, IL

Biomedical Sciences; Pre-medical Track

August 2020 - June 2022

- GPA: 3.95 / 4.0
- Initiated organic chemistry research studying the effects of hydrogen bonding on aerosols in the atmosphere and the consequent effects on the human population
- Relevant Coursework: Physics I/II, Chemistry I/II, Organic Chemistry, Human Cell Biology, Psychology, Human Anatomy, Pathophysiology of Disease

WORK EXPERIENCE

Morningstar Chicago, IL

Equity Research Summer Intern

June 2024 – Aug 2024

- Participated in the Equity Research Practicum Program (applied training on competitive moat and valuation)
- Built a (soon to be Morningstar published) stock pitch alongside another healthcare analyst
- Conducted in-depth qualitative and quantitative analysis on Signet Jewelers and the QSR Specialty Coffee Industry and presented findings to senior analysts
- Led a team of four other interns to win the summer case study competition for the second year in a row

Morningstar Chicago, IL

Global Fund Data Summer Intern

June 2023 – Aug 2023

- Analyzed Clorox Co, and Proctor & Gamble Co for their competitive moat rating review
- Consolidated processes on the equity data team to improve efficiency
- Led a team of four other interns to win the summer case study competition

LEADERSHIP

Dollar Market Plus Chicago, IL

Store Manager

January 2019 – June 2023

- Successfully navigated the business through the Covid-19 pandemic and increased revenues by ~30% as margins shrank by ruthlessly marketing essential products at extremely competitive prices
- Refreshed vendor agreements to obtain better pricing and subsequently better gross margins post-Covid
- Managed the books of the company (cash flows)

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Skills: Fluent in English and Arabic, moderate skills in Spanish, adept-learner, self-starter

Modeling: Completed numerous self-study courses covering intrinsic and relative valuations (DCF, Comps)

Computer: Proficient in Microsoft Excel/PowerPoint, and Bloomberg

Certifications: FINRA SIE, CAIA Fundamentals of Alternative Investments, Bloomberg Market Concepts

Interests: Medium-Term Value and Growth Investing, Short Term Quantitative Trading, Bodybuilding,

Basketball, Stand-Up Comedy, Reading, Blogging