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EDUCATION

New York University Abu Dhabi

Full Undergraduate Scholarship

Majors: Computer Science and Economics (Specialization in Finance); Concentrations: Applied Math and Interactive Media and Technology

May 2017

Abu Dhabi, UAE

Xavier School

International Baccalaureate Diploma; Philippine Department of Education (DepEd) Diploma

Consistent Magis Awardee (Institutional Exemplary Student Award); General Academic Excellence Award; Consistent Honor Student; Gawad

Uliran Excellence Awards for Chinese and Cultural Events; Exceptional Xavierian Award

May 2013

San Juan, Philippines

HONORS, AWARDS AND ACHIEVEMENTS

Dunia Most Outstanding Young Business Leader 2014 (Dubai, UAE)

July 2014

Voted by Dunia Young Business Leaders 2014 and Awarded by Dunia Finance LLC, including an award for Leadership through Engagement

Bickel and Brewer Global Debate Championship Finalist (New York, USA)

May 2014

Flown to New York, USA to participate in the finalist rounds of the competition and finished as one of the top 16 debaters

Ten Most Outstanding Chinese-Filipino Students of the Philippines (Manila, Philippines)

February 2013

(Delivered Acceptance Address in behalf of all the Awardees) Awarded to the top 10 best students in the Philippines, exemplifying collective excellence in academics, sports, music, arts, reading, writing, extra-curricular activities and in the service of the community and others.

45th Ateneo de Manila University Ateneo Junior Summer Seminar (AJSS) Valedictorian (Quezon City, Philippines)

May 2012

Awarded to the most outstanding student in the AJSS program, an all-expenses-paid summer seminar whose participants are the best incoming high school seniors in the Philippines. The valedictorian receives a 4-year full college scholarship in the university. Only the top 5 students of the Philippines' best high schools, after undergoing a rigorous admissions process, are invited to participate.

WORK EXPERIENCE

Intern for Global Communications, IBM; Manila, Philippines

August 2014-September 2014

Dubai Carbon Ambassador, Dubai Carbon Centre of Excellence (DCCE); Dubai, UAE

June 2014-Present

- Designing green infrastructure such as environmentally-friendly community spaces for the UAE Residents in partnership with DP World

Management Intern, Net Pacific; Makati, Philippines

July 2014-August 2014

- Mastered management techniques through various roles in engineering (electrical and cabling), finance, human resources and operations

Strategy Intern, Hill+Knowlton Strategies; Abu Dhabi, UAE

February 2014-May 2014

- Handled public relations and business strategy accounts in various industries such as transportation, environment and hospitality

Operations and Logistics Intern, WRG Creative Communication; Abu Dhabi, UAE

January 2014-March 2014

- Assisted the IVCA Clarion Gold Medal (one of the most prestigious awards for communication of CSR and Humanitarian Issues) Awarded Operations team in the day to day technical planning of the Qasr al Hosn Festival, such as Security, Zoning, and Safety matters.
- Streamlined and facilitated the Accreditation process of human resources in line with the government of Abu Dhabi's requirements.

Research Assistant, NYU Professor of Political Science and Economics Christopher Paik; Abu Dhabi, UAE

January 2014-May 2014

- Analyzed geographical coordinates of cathedrals in Europe to probe correlation between cathedral locations and crusader enlistment

Government and Corporate Relations Intern, Office of Community Relations, NYUAD; Abu Dhabi, UAE

October 2013-May 2014

- Built relationships with business leaders (e.g. GE, Mubadala, Raytheon) and embassies in the UAE for NYUAD relations.
- Designed a Customer Relationship Management (CRM) solution from scratch targeted for implementation in 2014

Social Media Associate, Richard Gordon Philippine Senatorial Campaign; Mandaluyong, Philippines

April 2013-May 2013

Hospitality Manager, Gloria Maris Seafood Restaurant; San Juan, Philippines

December 2012-June 2013

Sales Associate, Fujitsu; Mandaluyong, Philippines

June 2010-June 2013

LEADERSHIP ACTIVITIES

Organizing Team, National Olympiad for Informatics—Philippines (NOI.PH); Manila, Philippines

May 2014-July 2014

- Coordinated with organizing team to provide support such as through design, participant training, project management, etc.

Executive Team, College Admission Mentors for Peers (CAMP) Philippines; San Juan, Philippines

December 2013-August 2014

- Engaged over 600 students, teachers and parents in the Philippines about studying abroad through a Study Abroad Conference

Founder & Operations and Marketing Director, The Wave Initiative; Arizona State University, USA

January 2014-Present

- (part of the Clinton Global Initiative of US President Bill Clinton) The Wave Initiative, targeting high school students worldwide, is an innovative platform for global discourse resulting from critical thinking and leading to sustainable action plans for local communities.
- Oversaw the initial startup of the program, including roles in program implementation, investor relations, and web development.

Managing Director, The Entrepreneurship Society; Abu Dhabi, UAE

September 2013-Present

- Co-organized a year-long Startup Development Program for youth in the UAE with mentors tackling Lean Startups, Pitching, Raising capital, Tech Startup Culture and Scalability, all culminating in a pitching event with angel investors from around the region.

Founder, Project JEEP: Jeepneys Enhanced for Environmental Protection; Quezon City, Philippines

August 2010-December 2013

- Project JEEP is a social enterprise startup reducing flood-causing trash in the Philippines through providing jeepneys(mode of public transportation) with trash bins. The project was awarded funding in the TiltShift Global Conference held in Raffles Institution, Singapore.

Assistant Principal, Para Kay Kiko Teaching Program; San Juan, Philippines

April 2010-March 2013

Other Leadership Initiatives at New York University Abu Dhabi

August 2014-Present

Representative for the Interfaith Committee, Research and Development and Outreach Committees of the Student Government; Election Board Commissioner; Floor Representative, Sama Hall Council; Student Coordinator; The Happiness Project; Vice President, Pre-Law Society

SKILLS AND PERSONAL TRAITS

Fluent in English, Mandarin, Filipino (Tagalog) and Hokkien, Beginner in Spanish

Proficient in Microsoft Word and Powerpoint, Apple Pages, Keynote and Numbers; Familiar with Microsoft Excel

Familiar with Adobe InDesign, Photoshop, Illustrator, AfterEffects and Premiere; Familiar with HTML, CSS, Javascript, JQuery, NodeJS, AutoCAD

Hobbies: Photography, Open Water Scuba Diving (PADI Certified), Kayaking, Running, Bowling & Golf, AHA First Aid CPR/AED Certified