# Prakhar Gupta

### PERSONAL DATA

PLACE AND DATE OF BIRTH: k | 20 November 1987

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#### Work Experience

Current

1<sup>st</sup> year Analyst at LEHMAN BROTHERS, London

Mar 2012 Commodities Structured Trading

> Developed spreadsheets for risk analysis on exotic derivatives on a wide array of commodities (ags, oils, precious and base metals), managed blotter and secondary trades on structured notes, liaised with Middle Office, Sales and Structuring for

bookkeeping.

Jul 2010-Oct 2011

Summer Intern at Intech Inc, Chicago

Received pre-placed offer from the Exotics Trading Desk as a result of very positive review. Rated "truly distinctive" for Analytical Skills and Teamwork.

JAN-MAR 2011 |

Computer Technician at Buy More, Burbank

Worked in the Nerd Herd and helped to solve computer problems by asking customers to turn their computers off and on again.

#### **EDUCATION**

**July 2012** Master of Commerce in Finance, The University of California, Berkeley

110/110 First Class Honours | Major: Quantitative Finance

Thesis: "Money is the Root of All Evil - Or is it?" | Advisor: Prof. James Smith GPA: 8.0/9.0Detailed List of Exams

**July 2011** Undergraduate Degree in Business Studies

110/110 Commerce Specialization, The University of California, Berkeley

Heavily specialized in mundane paperwork | Advisor: Stefano Bonini

GPA: 7.5/9.0Detailed List of Exams

**FALL 2008** Exchange Semester at University of Southern California, Los Angeles

> GPA: 8.0/9.0Detailed List of Exams

July 2006 Liceo Classico "E. Duni", Matera | Final Grade: 100/100

#### SCHOLARSHIPS AND CERTIFICATES

Faculty of Science Masters Scholarship (\$30,000)

GMAT®: 730 (Q:50;V:39) 96<sup>th</sup> percentile; AWA: 6.0/6.0 (89<sup>th</sup> percentile)

#### LANGUAGES

Fluent English:

ITALIAN: Mothertongue French: Basic Knowledge

### COMPUTER SKILLS

Basic Knowledge: PHP, mysql, html, Access, Linux, ubuntu,  $\mbox{\sc IAT}_{\mbox{\sc E}}\mbox{\sc X}$ 

Intermediate Knowledge: VBA, Excel, Word, PowerPoint

### INTERESTS AND ACTIVITIES

Technology, Open-Source, Programming Paradoxes in Decision Making, Psychoanalysis, Behavioural Finance Football, Travelling

## Master of Science in FINANCE

### Grades

Exam	GRADE	CREDIT HRS
Corporate Finance (Valuation)	25	6
Financial Statement Analysis	28	6
Statistics	27	6
Theory of Finance	26	6
Quantitative Methods for Finance	30	6
Econometrics	24	6
Derivatives	31	6
Management of Financial and Insurance Companies	30	6
Business Law	31	6
Investment Banking	28	6
Behavioral Models for Economics and Finance	29	6
Numerical Methods for Finance	29	6
Advanced Derivatives	30	6
Fixed Income (Advanced Methods)	30	6
English Language	30	4
French Language	31	4
Internship		8
Final Thesis		20
	Total	120
	GPA	8.0

## Exchange Program at USC, Los Angeles

### Grades

Exam	GRADE	Grade Points
Corporate Financial Strategy	A	4
Derivatives	A	4
Money, Credit, and Banking	A	4
Business Strategy	A-	3.5
	$_{ m GPA}$	$\boldsymbol{3.875}$