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EDUCATION:

University of Colorado at Boulder, Leeds School of Business

December 2026

Boulder, CO

B.S. in Business Administration with an Emphasis in Business Analytics

Minor in Creative Technology and Design

• GPA: 3.87, Dean's List (All Eligible Semesters)

WORK EXPERIENCE:

United Airlines May 2025 to August 2025

Pilot Workforce Planning & Strategy Intern

Chicago, IL

- Developed Flight Augmentation Dashboard using SQL and Power BI to flag pilot pairings exceeding legal flight time limits and weather-related risks, reducing monthly report generation time by 92%.
- Led the initial integration of planned pilot pairings and Preferential Bidding System awards to uncover actionable insights into bidding preferences by various demographic factors.
- Streamlined KPI, monthly vacation, and military leave tracking by consolidating and automating processes using Excel and Power Query, reducing manual input time by 80%.
- Collaborated with cross-functional teams to advance data-driven initiatives focused on long-term pilot staffing and resource planning to support enterprise-wide workforce optimization.

Leeds School of Business

December 2024 to Present

Leeds Welcome Desk Associate

Boulder, CO

• Manage daily operations, including responding to inquiries, providing support to visitors, and overseeing the Executive Experience for high-profile guests visiting CU Boulder's award-winning business school.

Outlier

July 2024 to January 2025

Remote AI Trainer

Colorado Springs, CO

- Assisted in training and fine-tuning machine learning models by curating and preparing high-quality datasets, optimizing algorithms, and refining model parameters to enhance performance and accuracy.
- Interacted with computer vision models by inputting image data and validating model-generated explanations to assess performance, improve interpretability, and support iterative model refinement.

Colorado DECA

February 2022 to February 2023

State Social Media Director, Chapter Co-President

Denver, CO

• Used marketing tactics and graphic design skills to share relevant content, engaging with 3,000+ followers daily, and covering the organization's events across Colorado DECA's official Instagram, Facebook, TikTok, and LinkedIn.

LEADERSHIP & ACTIVITIES:

CU Cultural Events Board (CEB):

September 2024 to Present

Marketing Coordinator (Fall 2025)/Secretary (Spring 2025)/Voting Member

Boulder, CO

- Develop and execute marketing strategies across digital and print platforms using Canva and Adobe Photoshop for semesterly speaker events and recruitment.
- Support and promote events of student organizations and university departments to amplify diverse voices and cultural experiences, contributing to a more inclusive and informed campus community.

Delta Sigma Pi – Professional Business Fraternity *Brother*

September 2024 to Present

Boulder, CO

 Actively engage in events promoting leadership development, networking, community service, and career preparation.

Leeds Peer2Peer Mentorship Program

April 2024 to Present

Mentor

Boulder, CO

• Provide one-on-one mentorship to first-year business students, offering guidance, academic support, and professional development resources for a smooth transition into Leeds School of Business.

CU Abhinaya:

January 2023 to Present

Treasurer/Member Boulder, CO

- Manage financial operations by coordinating with funding boards, developing budgets, and organizing fundraising initiatives to support organizational goals.
- Perform at local charity and cultural events to promote awareness and appreciation of classical Indian dance traditions within the Boulder Valley and Denver Metro areas.

SKILLS

• Skills: Excel, Power Query, Power BI, SQL, Adobe Photoshop, Canva, Strong Written & Verbal Communication