

Richard Legler

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To Whom It May Concern:

I am a current graduate student at Babson College, F.W. Olin Graduate School of Business studying Business Analytics. I have previously worked as a Strategy Consultant with Advancy and have a B.S. in Industrial Engineering & Management Science from Northwestern University. My academic and professional experience, combined with my deep familiarity with baseball and macro trends within the sports industry have prepared me to excel as an Entry Level member of the Baseball Operations Department with the Toronto Blue Jays. I possess all the skills, experience, and passion to excel in this role.

I have particular interest in a role in the Research and Development department with the Toronto Blue Jays. I am eager to further develop my quantitative and qualitative analysis abilities which have benefited from the rigorous processes I have learned while managing multiple research projects as a consultant utilizing Microsoft Excel and PowerPoint. As a native French speaker who is fluent in English, I have been able to work across international teams in a fast-paced business environment with firm deadlines. I enjoy learning new programming languages, and I will seek to build upon my abilities with statistical programming in R/Python and relational databases in SQL which I have leveraged to draw insightful conclusions. I am also experienced in Tableau which helps me communicate technical ideas to non-technical audiences using data visualization. These skills would support my work across a variety of project assignments that the Toronto Blue Jays can offer. To demonstrate a sample of my self-directed work, I have submitted a [link to an R Shiny application](https://richardlegler.shinyapps.io/ccbl_advanced_scouting/) (https://richardlegler.shinyapps.io/ccbl_advanced_scouting/) that utilizes NCAA and CCBL data that is used for advanced scouting and game planning by coaches and other members of the front office.

My education and work experience have provided numerous demonstrable and specific examples of how my skills and passion can be put to work for the Toronto Blue Jays. I look forward to sharing those with you during the interview process.

Thank you for your time and thoughtful consideration.

Sincerely,

Richard Legler