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#### **Education**

#### 2000-Current MIT SLOAN SCHOOL OF MANAGEMENT

Cambridge, MA

- Candidate for MBA, June 2002
- Program Focus: Finance and Strategy
- Member, Management Consulting Club and MIT Flying Club

## 1993-1998 SWISS FEDERAL INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY (ETH)

**Zurich**, Switzerland

- Diploma, Materials Science and Engineering, GPA 5.5/6
- Visiting Graduate Student at Massachusetts Institute of Technology, Spring term '96 and Fall term '97/'98, GPA 5.0/5.0
- Student Representative on the Teaching Commission, Department of Materials Science: Initiated, as part of a team of five, a revision of the curriculum which will be implemented by the Department in the Fall term '01/'02

# **Experience** 1998-2000

#### **BOSTON CONSULTING GROUP**

Zurich, Switzerland

Associate Consultant

# **Selected project work:**

- Acquisition study for Swiss industrial conglomerate: Analyzed the worldwide compressor market, performed initial company valuations and assessed strategic fit of potential targets
- *M&A project for Swiss insurance company:* Selected acquisition targets, evaluated strategic fit and performed strategic due diligence
- Strategy review for Finnish logistics provider: Conducted interviews to determine market demand for client's service and established demand profile
- *Market entry study for international utility joint venture:* Analyzed distribution channel costs, developed business plan for new venture and modeled profitability

#### **Corporate Development and Recruiting:**

- *Member of E-commerce interest group:* Monitored development of online retailing in Switzerland for internal E-commerce study
- *Member of recruiting team:* Participated in corporate presentations, interviewed prospective consultants and contributed to hiring decisions

### 1997-1998 SWISS FEDERAL INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY (ETH)

Zurich, Switzerland

Research Assistant

• Developed a new manufacturing process for fiber-reinforced composites

#### Extracurricular

# 1987-2000 **SKI INSTRUCTOR**, SKI CLUB BULACH

Bulach, Switzerland

• Initiated, instructed and coached Junior Racing Team, which ranked first in regional competition

1991-2000 **CLIMBING WALL SUPERVISOR**, SWISS ALPINE CLUB

**Bulach**, Switzerland

• Taught introductory and advanced climbing classes

#### 1996-2000 AVIATION SAFETY COUNSELOR, AEROCLUB SION

Sion, Switzerland

• Conducted safety briefings on mountain flying and decision making

#### **Languages** German: Native language; English, French: Fluent; Spanish: Proficient

**Hobbies**/ **Aviation:** FAA Private pilot with Instrument Rating

**Interests** Sports: Skiing (Level 3 ski instructor), kayaking (whitewater Level IV instructor), diving,

mountaineering, ice hockey (MIT Sloan "A" team) **Other interests:** Poetry, travelling and cooking