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EDUCATION

University of Rochester

Rochester, NY Dec 2023

Master of Science in Finance (STEM)

• **GPA:** 3.58/4.0

- **GMAT:** 760/800 (Verbal 93% / Quantitative 97% / Total 99%)
- Main Courses: Theory of Finance (PhD Course), Quantitative Finance with Python, Corporate Finance,
 Financial Statement Analysis and Valuation, Fixed Income Securities, Options and Futures with Python

Hunan University of Finance and Economics

Changsha, China

Bachelor of Management in Auditing

May 2020

• **GPA:** 3.26/4.0

 Main Courses: Advanced Financial Accounting, Auditing, Management Accounting, Probability Theory, Linear Algebra, Statistics, Calculus, Econometrics, Principles of Economics (Macro- and Microeconomics)

ACADEMIC EXPERIENCE

Accounting Journals Project Research Assistant

Rochester, NY

Oct 2023 - Present

Supervised by Professor Charles E. Wasley

- Collected textual data from 20 accounting journals using web scraping techniques into spreadsheets.
- Addressed ad-hoc challenges, improved code performance, proofread data, and wrote "Brief Guide for Web Scraping from Accounting Journals" for internal use and training.

Applied Finance Project: Two Behavioral Factors and Their Performance under Transaction Costs Constraints

Rochester, NY

Guided by Professor Robert Novy-Marx

Jan 2023 - May 2023

- Identified anomalies in psychological biases, such as overconfidence and limited attention, through a literature review, and revealed their impact on securities mispricing.
- Designed, created, and tested long-short portfolios to capture FIN and PEAD factor performances, and expand the analysis to include transaction costs for a comprehensive evaluation.

WORK EXPERIENCE

Simon Business School

Rochester, NY

Academic Tutor

Mar 2023 - Present

- Provided one-on-one tutoring to 10 MBA and fellow students who needed additional assistance in Investment, Financial Statement Analysis and Valuation, Options and Futures with Python courses.
- Collaborated with the professors to align tutoring sessions with the course curriculum.

Huisheng Management Consulting

Beijing, China

Forensic Due Diligence Analyst

Sep 2020 - Jun 2021

- Conducted 2 short-selling (one company delisted from Nasdaq) investigations and 11 due diligence projects.
- Performed interviews and cross-validated financial versus non-financial data to proactively prevent fraud and restore fair enterprise value.

General Electric

Shanghai, China

Financial Controllership Intern

Jan 2019 - Apr 2019

 Assisted in weekly trading updates and monthly accounting close reports with clear visualization of results, using SQL and Tableau to process data, decreasing time from 1 days to 2 hours.

Bosch

Changsha, China

Purchasing Quality Assurance Intern

Jan 2018 - Apr 2018

• Communicated with clients and recorded automotive product quality issues, and ensure related departments receive detailed and immediate information, 97% inner and outer just-in-time response satisfaction rate.

LEADERSHIP EXPERIENCE

Simon Spectrum (LGBTQIA+ DEI Club)

Rochester, NY

Master Representative

Oct 2022 – Nov 2023

- Enhanced Spectrum's role in student life by leading initiatives, including organizing a World AIDS Day Info
 Table and LGBTQ+ Ally questionnaires.
- Collaborated with other school LGBTQ+ clubs to organize the first on-campus Drag Show, raising \$1375 for Center for Youth.

SEMINARS & CONFERENCES	AFA The North East Universities Development Consortium in Harvard University Capital Market Seminar and Accounting Workshop in UConn Business School 2023 Frontiers in Quantitative Finance Conference	Jan 2024 Nov 2023 Oct 2023 Sep 2023
AWARDS	2023 Spring Dean's List 2023 Dean's Leadership Award Simon Merit Scholarship Recipient 2019 Outstanding Leadership Awards 2017 First-Class Scholarship	Jun 2023 May 2023 Jul 2022 Jul 2019 Aug 2017
SKILLS & INTERESTS	Technical: Python, Bloomberg, Tableau, LaTeX, Excel Languages: Mandarin (native), English (fluent), French(beginner) Interests: Volleyball, Swimming, Writing, Cooking, Art, Fashion, Literature, Podcast	