

# Abir Belhaji

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## EDUCATION

<b>emlyon Business School</b>	<b>Lyon, France</b>
<i>Master in Management - "Programme Grande École"- Corporate Finance Track</i>	<i>Sept. 2023 - June 2027</i>
• Relevant coursework: Corporate Finance, Accounting, Data Analysis and Start up project Analysis	
• Grades: GPA of 4.0/4.0	

<b>Lycée du Parc</b>	<b>Lyon, France</b>
<i>Preparatory Class, Mathematics Track</i>	<i>Sept. 2021 - June 2023</i>
• Relevant coursework: Mathematics/Python, Economics, Philosophy, History, English and Spanish	
• Grades: Mathematics/Python (16/20), Philosophy (17/20)   GPA Equivalent of 4.0/4.0	

## WORK EXPERIENCE

<b>BNP Paribas – Corporate and Investment Banking</b>	<b>Paris, France</b>
<i>M&amp;A Analyst Intern, Consumer Retail &amp; Healthcare Team</i>	<i>Jan. 2026 - June 2026</i>
• Set to join BNP Paribas' CRH M&A team, one of the core sector groups within the EMEA Advisory platform, advising on high-visibility consumer, retail and healthcare transactions across Europe	
• Expected to contribute to valuation and modeling workstreams (DCF, trading comps, LBO) for large -cap clients	
• Involved in the full transaction execution cycle, including market research, due diligence coordination and data-room preparation	
<b>Société Générale – Corporate and Investment Banking</b>	<b>Lyon, France</b>
<i>M&amp;A Analyst Intern, Generalist Team</i>	<i>July 2025 - Dec. 2025</i>
• Contributed to financial modeling and valuation analyses to support strategic investment decisions for mid -cap clients	
• Assisted in drafting investment memoranda and sector analyses, supporting deal structuring and pre -investment assessments .	
• Participated in due diligence processes and the preparation of marketing documents, including information memorandums and data rooms	
<b>Baker Tilly – Corporate and Investment Banking</b>	<b>Casablanca, Morocco</b>
<i>M&amp;A Analyst Intern, Generalist Team</i>	<i>June 2024 - Dec. 2024</i>
• Undertook extensive market research across various industries, utilizing databases such as Capital IQ and Mergermarket	
• Assessed both buy-side and sell-side deals for clients, participated in the creation of business plans, and oversaw the preparation of weekly meeting decks	
• Developed +30 investment materials (teasers, company profiles, and information memoranda, financial models) for transactions ranging from \$1 million to \$50 million	
<b>Kalys Ventures – Venture Capital &amp; Startups Investment</b>	<b>Casablanca, Morocco</b>
<i>Venture Capital Analyst Intern</i>	<i>Apr. 2024 - June 2024</i>
• Contributed to key deliverables, including detailed investments memos, market analysis reports, and due diligence presentations for startup in PropTech, transportation, and fintech, utilizing databases such as Pitchbook and Crunchbase	
• Participated in deal sourcing and analysis, contributing to venture capital transactions with entry tickets starting at \$50,000 covering funding rounds from early stage to pre-series A	
<b>Freelance</b>	<b>Lyon, France</b>
<i>B2C Retail Business Owner</i>	<i>Sept. 2020 - June 2023</i>
• Launched and managed a b2c retail business specializing in consumer products to independently finance my education	
• Generated annual revenues of \$20,000, reflecting effective sales strategies and customer engagement	

## EXTRACURRICULAR

<b>Club Afrique emlyon Business School</b>	<b>Lyon, France</b>
<i>Editorial Coordinator</i>	<i>Feb. 2024 - Present</i>
• Conducted in-depth research on African business trends and issues to produce insightful articles and reports	
• Engaged with alumni and students to source content and foster a community interested in African business topics	
<b>Local Community Center</b>	<b>Lyon, France</b>
<i>Volunteer tutor</i>	<i>Oct. 2023 – Present</i>
• Provided one-on-one sessions tailored to the individual learning needs of each child in subjects such as mathematics	
• Offering mentorship to help boost children from low-incomes families' confidence, motivation and academic aspirations	

## INTERESTS & RELEVANT SKILLS

<b>Interests :</b>	Macroeconomics, Fintech, Philosophy, Writing, Recreational Kayaking, Muay Thai (Amateur Boxer, 4 years)
<b>Technologies &amp; Languages :</b>	French (native), Arabic (native), English (fluent), Spanish (business proficiency)
<b>Computer Skills :</b>	Microsoft Excel, Word, Powerpoint, Capital IQ, Bloomberg, FactSet, Xerfi, Intralinks, WordPress
<b>Courses taken :</b>	Financing and Investing in infrastructure by Bocconi University, Financial Modeling, M&A
<b>Soft Skills :</b>	Leadership, Entrepreneurship, Autonomy, Adaptability, Detail Oriented