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EDUCATION

THE WHARTON SCHOOL, UNIVERSITY OF PENNSYLVANIA

Master of Business Administration Candidate; Finance Major

Philadelphia, PA

2025-2027

- Clubs: PE/VC Club, Investment Management Club (Chief of Staff: Operations), Ski & Snowboard, Adam Smith Society, Golf

UNIVERSITY OF BRITISH COLUMBIA

Bachelor of Commerce, Finance Specialization

Vancouver, BC

2015-2019

- GPA: 3.7/4.0 | Top 10% of Graduating Class; Dean's Honor Roll (2017-2018)
- Murray Pezim Scholarship for leadership, initiative, and innovativeness (2019)
- Leadership: Debate Society President (2017-2018), Sauder School of Business Case Competitions, (2015-2019)

EXPERIENCE

NOVO HOLDINGS

Associate, Principal Investments (Direct PE Buyouts Group)

Boston, MA

2022-2025

- Evaluated control buyout investment opportunities across healthcare and pharmaceutical services for direct private equity division of Novo Holdings, an investment firm with \$160 billion in total AUM
- Spearheaded diligence and investment processes; presented analyses and recommendations to firmwide investment committee
- Managed portfolio company (Medical Knowledge Group) as sole associate and drove multiple strategic, financial, and operational initiatives, including key acquisitions; regularly presented analyses and recommendations to CEO, CFO, and board of directors

Select Transaction Experience:

Potential \$1.95 billion TEV acquisition of Worldwide Clinical Trials (Terminated; Acquired by Kolberg & Co.)

- Drove evaluation and diligence of a global CRO through full deal process to investment committee approval; ultimately outbid by a competing sponsor
- Analyzed company data room, developed financial model, and drafted investment committee memo to support formulation of \$1.95 billion valuation and final bid submission in competitive process
- Coordinated with 6+ 3rd party diligence advisors covering WCT's market position, financial and tax position, insurance, ESG initiatives, legal, and go-to-market strategy

\$45+ million TEV bolt-on of Sound Healthcare Communications and \$8m+ bolt-on of Flince Research (closed)

- Drove full deal process as sole associate including the building of management equity plans, modelling deal structure, and analyzing returns to MKG (a Novo Holdings portfolio company) to secure board approval for both acquisitions
- Led commercial diligence sessions with Sound and Flince management teams to understand key risks in client contracts in addition to running 3rd party financial, tax, and legal diligence and building final funds flow statements

L.E.K. CONSULTING

New York, NY

2021-2022

Associate, Strategy Consulting / Commercial Due Diligence

- Completed 8+ diligence projects for strategic and financial buyers covering technology, industrials, and life sciences

Select Transaction Experience:

Commercial due diligence for Apollo's \$1.7 billion bid for buy-out of Tate & Lyle's sweetener business

- Constructed bottoms-up market model to determine the size and growth potential of T&L's addressable market
- Conducted primary research campaign completing 40+ expert interviews to evaluate target's competitive positioning, customer segments, and growth opportunities in corn wet-milling market

Sell-side due diligence for H.I.G. Capital's \$400 million sale of Taconic Biosciences

- Led two case team assistants in primary research campaign; completed 25+ industry expert interviews
- Built bottom-up market sizing model for laboratory mouse market to support Taconic's growth ambitions

PRICEWATERHOUSECOOPERS

Toronto, ON

2019-2021

Associate - Management Consulting

- Developed post-merger cost reduction and outsourcing strategy for Nutrien, a leading Canadian fertilizer company
- Deployed enterprise-wide survey, produced interactive dashboard with offshore consulting team and prepared role-analysis of internal headcount to support \$13.5 million annual cost saving recommendation

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Case Competitions: Cornell Real Estate Investment Competition Team Leader, JDC West Debate Competition (3rd place out of 12)

Hobbies/Interests: avid outdoorsman (Alta Via 4 - Italian Dolomites, GR20 - Corsica, Squamish B.C.), skiing (Whistler, Big White, Breckenridge, Val D'Isere), film (favorite directors: Quentin Tarantino and Wes Anderson), philosophy