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EDUCATION

THE UNIVERSITY OF CHICAGO

Chicago, IL

Master of Science in Financial Mathematics

September 2020 – December 2021

• GPA: 3.8 / 4.0

- Courses: Corporate and Credit Securities, Regression Analysis and Quantitative Trading Strategies, Fixed Income Derivatives, Stochastic Calculus, Foreign Exchange, Portfolio Theory & Risk Management, Option Pricing
- Honors: UChicago Student Spotlight

FORDHAM UNIVERSITY

New York, NY

September 2017 – December 2019

Bachelor of Science in Mathematics

• GPA: 3.6 / 4.0

Honors: Dean's List Recognition; Member of Pi Mu Epsilon

EXPERIENCE

BANK OF AMERICA MERRILL LYNCH

New York, NY

Research Associate – Structured Finance

March 2022 - Present

- Spearhead weekly research publications in the real estate sector encompassing market trends, rates environment, valuation and leverage analysis; read by 4100+ clients
- Utilize excel to develop complex financial models using inputs derived from Bloomberg and 1010data
- Regularly provide key insights such as relative value trades, collateral performances, and prepayment analysis for internal partners and external clients upon short notice
- Organize and drive meetings with institutional clients & attend industry conferences to develop client relationship
- Ranked #1 U.S. sell-side research team by Institutional Investor survey in MBS in 2022

JEFFERIES

New York, NY

Market Risk Summer Associate

June 2021 – August 2021

- Researched and analyzed asset allocation and quantitative risk factors including VaR, gross delta, liquidity risk to
 offer insights and recommendations regarding fund strategy to the Risk Management team on a weekly basis
- Developed risk automation tools that provided visualization of robust fund performance evaluation against benchmarks to help drive strategic asset management investment decisions

CHINA SECURITIES INTERNATIONAL

Investment Banking Summer Analyst

Hong Kong, China June 2019 – August 2019

- Day-to-day involves client presentation preparation, client interaction, financial modeling, and company & industry research
- Prepared roadshow materials including investor presentations and investor profiles for live transactions
- Provided macro-economic updates, primary market updates, and rate environment analysis to issuers. Collaborated with sales and trading team, legal department, and private placement desk to fully engage in execution process

CHINA CITIC BANK INTERNATIONAL

New York, NY

Leveraged Finance Summer Analyst

July 2018 – August 2018

- Facilitated annual credit reviews and underwriting on new credit proposals
- Analyzed credit appetite of the target project by using historical financial variance and pro-forma sensitivity test
- Assisted in developing financial models and valuation analysis for potential transactions, including refinancing of revolving credit facilities and acquisition financing

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Languages: English (fluent), Mandarin (fluent), Japanese (basic)

Certifications: SIE, Series 7, and Series 63

Skills: Excel, PowerPoint, Bloomberg Terminal, C++, Python, VBA, SQL, MATLAB, Toad Data Modeler, INTEXcalc **Interests:** Jazz, Metal Music, Boxing, Muay Thai, Poker, Food Vlog (photos and reviews, over 200 posts), Culinary Arts