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EDUCATION

The Pennsylvania State University — **University Park, PA**
Smeal College of Business — *Class of 2017*
Bachelor of Science in Finance — GPA: 3.87/4.00

RELEVANT EXPERIENCE AND LEADERSHIP

JPMorgan Chase & Co. — **New York, New York**
Investment Bank | Commercial Mortgage Backed Securities Origination — *May 2017 - Aug 2017*

- Interned with Commercial Mortgage Backed Securities (CMBS) Origination (Banking), a team within the Securitized Products Group that issues and structures debt for commercial real estate as part of the Investment Bank's Markets Division
- Assisted senior bankers by performing quantitative and fundamental analysis on asset cash flows, financial statements, and relevant economic markets to analyze risk and understand property value before issuing a term sheet to win a deal
- Presented a past deal to 15 Directors and Desk Heads as part of the final intern project, recommending a $260 MM loan on a Class A Trophy office building in San Francisco's financial district, yielding a 57% LTV, 1.22x DSCR, and 9.8% DY

Nittany Lion Fund, LLC — **University Park, PA**
Lead Fund Manager | Industrials Sector | Head Trader | Director of PSIA Education — *Dec 2015 - Aug 2017*

- Managed $725,000 in investments within Nittany Lion Fund, a $7.4 MM student-run equity fund of alumni investments
- Presented stock pitches explaining investment theses and financial valuations by using discounted cash flow models, comparable analyses, and ratio analyses with goal of outperforming S&P 500 Industrials benchmark
- Prepared weekly, quarterly, and annual reports for 77 investors detailing recent news and company performance
- Authorized buy and sell decisions through communication between broker, Sector Leads, and CEO throughout semester
- Implemented 20 bi-weekly educations for students of varying knowledge on investing, accounting, valuation, and markets

Summer Manager | Industrials and Information Technology Sectors — *May 2016 - Aug 2016*

- Served as summer manager of $725,000 Industrials Sector and $1.5 MM Information Technology Sector, overseeing four summer associate analysts while coordinating 60 page weekly reports detailing news and performance for all Sectors

Leveraged Lion Capital (LLC) — **University Park, PA**
Co-Founder | President — *Jan 2017- Present*

- Developed the country's first student-run virtual syndicated loan portfolio through partnerships with the nation's leading advocate for the U.S. syndicated loan market, the Loan Syndication & Trading Association (LSTA), Loan Commentary & Data (LCD) through S&P Global and Bank of America Merrill Lynch, attracting nearly 100 aspiring applicants
- Established the organization's infrastructure, core mission, and official recognition by Smeal College of Business
- Implemented a rigorous education system covering topics such as advanced accounting, three statement modeling, capital structures, covenant analysis, credit analysis, and general markets and economics

Wall Street Boot Camp II | FIN 297A | Fundamentals of Financial Analysis — **University Park, PA**
Teaching Assistant — *Feb 2017 - Present*

- Selected as one of six teaching assistants that collaborated with professors to create a new course, Wall Street Boot Camp II, a rigorous class designed to technically prepare students for internships and careers on Wall Street
- Instructed 45 students on the fundamentals of financial analysis, including advanced accounting, Excel and PowerPoint, financial statement analysis, valuation, fixed income and equity market analysis, and skills such as Bloomberg, FactSet, and CalcBench

Wall Street Boot Camp — **University Park, PA**
Graduate — *Aug 2015 - Dec 2015*

- Selected as one of 40 student leaders to participate in program from a pool of over 400 Smeal College of Business applicants
- Collaborated in interactive weekly educational sessions presented by Wall Street professionals on various career paths such as Investment Banking, Sales & Trading, Private Wealth Management, and Asset Management

Intern — *May 2016 - Present*

- Monitored each participant's progress by keeping thorough records of assignments, attendance, and participation
- Liaised with program's director and participants to ensure seamless communication about upcoming events

Research Assistant — **University Park, PA**
Dr. J. Randall Woolridge — *May 2016 - May 2017*

- Researched financial topics such as revisions to market risk premium and GDP estimates, implications of America's financial illiteracy, performance and practicality of Bitcoin, and analysis of Jim Cramer's stock recommendations
- Aided professor in updating Corporation Finance class education topics, presentations, and curriculum organization

Ameriprise Financial Services, Inc. — **Center Valley, PA**
Summer Intern — *May 2015 - Aug 2015*

- Amassed expenses and income to calculate savings needed for retirement while analyzing diversification and risk to ensure confidence in client specific programs under supervision of Chartered Retirement Counselor and Private Wealth Advisors
- Briefed clients for meetings by explaining portfolio growth, risk, and advisor's economic outlook for several asset classes

Interests

Interests: Game of Thrones, Green Bay Packers, Lambda Chi Alpha, MEDLife, *Star Wars*, THON, Trout Fishing, Weightlifting