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EDUCATION

Bachelor of Commerce, Smith School of Business, Queen's University, Kingston, ON **Class of 2019**

- D.I. McLeod Dean's List Scholarship for maintaining a cumulative GPA greater than 3.5/4.3
- Scheduled to complete a semester abroad at the University of Exeter in January 2018

Avon Old Farms Preparatory School, Avon, Connecticut

Class of 2015

- Actively recruited to play Varsity hockey and golf; Captained the Varsity golf team that finished 4th in New England

EMPLOYMENT EXPERIENCE

Summer Analyst, Bank of Montreal, Toronto, Ontario **Summer 2017**

- Responsible for generating and checking the end of day reports for Nesbitt Burns Prime Brokerage to ensure reporting met regulatory standards
- Took initiative to learn how to use multiple back office settlement systems including: ADP, ICI Impact and Calypso in order to assist with institutional account set-up, settlement instructions, account changes and account closures
- Enhanced the groups training documents through re-documenting, formatting and amending the standard operating procedure which now allows it to better serve as a robust training document for current and future employees as well as the firms internal and external audit teams

Private Equity Analyst, Chinook Capital Group, Toronto, ON

Summer 2016

- Collaborated with advisors, industry experts and legal counsel while working on the acquisition of a \$22MM software company, developing strong interpersonal, presentation and time management skills
- Took initiative to learn and subsequently execute on the construction of DCF and LBO models to understand sensitivities in purchase price through content acquisition, operational improvements and financing structure
- Performed market analysis to identify and present investment opportunities based on competitive landscape, industry regulations and customer demand, enhancing research, critical thinking and communication skills

EXTRACURRICULAR & LEADERSHIP EXPERIENCE

Analyst – Industrials, Limestone Capital, Kingston Ontario

March 2017 - Present

- Worked amongst a team of 26 undergraduate students to manage a portfolio of value focused North American equities
- Actively source and analyze various industrial companies; initial stock pitched has since produced absolute returns >18%
- Engaged in over 50 hours of structured training in accounting, financial valuation and investing; subsequent stock pitch was named top pitch by a panel of Investment Bankers from Credit Suisse

Sponsorship Coordinator, Queen's Finance Association Conference (QFAC), Kingston, Ontario

January 2017 - Present

- Committed to organizing and running Canada's premier undergraduate finance conference, which connects 100 top finance students from across North America with professionals from ~30 leading Financial Institutions
- Leveraged communication and interpersonal skills to personally secure a sponsorship portfolio of over \$11,000

Investor, Oakville, Ontario

October 2017 - Present

- Invest \$4,000 of savings in long-term value focused equities; achieved absolute returns of ~16.5% since starting in October 2016
- Identified undervalued securities with a durable competitive advantage; Example company: Stella-Jones (TSX:SJ)

VOLUNTEER EXPERIENCE

Volunteer Cabin Counsellor, Muskoka, Ontario

July 2017

- Oochigeas is an overnight camp catered exclusively to children with cancer and is Ontario's only camp to offer Chemotherapy IV treatment and blood transfusions onsite
- Took initiative to co-lead a cabin of 10 campers ages 6 and 7 through various activities for one week, committing over 215 hours

ADDITIONAL INVOLVEMENT & INTERESTS

- **Skills:** Proficient with Microsoft Office, Bloomberg and Capital IQ
- **Certifications:** Marquee Financial Modelling Course (2017) and Breaking into Wall Street Financial Modelling (2017)
- **Athletics:** Avon Old Farms School Varsity Golf Captain (2015), Appleby College Varsity Hockey Captain (2014)
- **Conferences:** Berkshire Hathaway Annual Shareholders Meeting (2016, 2017)
- **Travel:** Last August I backpacked with a friend throughout Italy, France and Spain for one month, visiting 17 cities along the way
- **Interests:** L.U.G. Hockey Athlete at Queen's, Avid Golfer, Backpacking, travelling