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Education

University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, College of Business and Engineering

Major: Accountancy Cumulative GPA: 3.49/4.00, Deans List 2007

May 2010

Awards: Technology and Management Scholar 2008, James Scholar 2007, Mu Alpha Theta, Math Honors Society 2005

Employment

KPMG LLP, I.T. Advisory Intern, New York, NY

June-August, 2009

- Identified and helped resolve policy and procedure risks within 50,000 servers for clients' I.T. systems
- Conducted research to mitigate technical writing issues for I.T. software merger
- Produced documents to help increase software compliance on customer's computer networks
- Revised documentation to increase clarity to employees for company-wide I.T. system updates

KPMG LLP, Marketing/Audit Intern, New York, NY

June-August, 2008

- Researched business development opportunities for 5 companies in pipeline
- Assisted upper level management in board member relationship tracking
- Led a team of 12 interns in philanthropy project that provided books and mentorship to 30 grade school students
- Member of audit engagement team that prepared final 10Q for investment capital client

Robert W. Baird, Private Equity, Financial Analyst Intern, Chicago, IL

June-August, 2007

- Facilitated market sector research, identified potential competitors, evaluated market size, and contributed to Baird's contact management system
- Created condensed reports for 12 prospective companies in search of private equity funding

Entrepreneurial Ventures

Dynamik Duo, Founder and Co-Owner, Flossmoor, IL

July 2008-Present

- Managed current and prospective partner companies for business development with 90% success rate
- Consolidated business endeavors under Umbrella Company

247Mixtapes.com, Co-Founder and Co-Owner, Flossmoor, IL

August 2006-Present

- Maintain an increasing membership base with 35% growth per quarter
- Created a streaming music website that consists of various genres of music and artists

Leadership

Vice Chancellor's Lunch Bunch, African American Advisory Board, Urbana-Champaign, IL

January 2007-Present

- Voice for 2,100 students to ensure that various initiatives within the universities strategic plan are brought to fruition

National Black MBA Association, Executive President, Undergrad Chapter

January 2006-Present

- Established an annual law and business conference with over 60 Students in attendance
- Increased membership by 70% with implementation of new programs, activities, and structural changes

MLB and Harlem RBI Initiative, Harlem, NY

June-August, 2008

- Advised 15 middle school students in economical analysis
- Painted Harlem Dream Team School and created brand a new play ground for students

Educational Alliance, Brooklyn, NY

July 2008

- Group leader for 12 interns, provided an opportunity for mentorship of inner city youth
- Coordinated a community service event for 30 Children on the lower east side

Professional Development and Activities

Management Leadership for Tomorrow (MLT), Career Prep Fellow, New York, NY

June 2008-Present

- Selected as 1 of 220 to participate in prestigious career preparation program for high achieving college students

The Church of the Living God and Christ, Champaign, IL

August 2008-Present

- Assistant pianist/keyboardist for church services

Institute for Responsible Citizenship, Washington D.C.

June 2008-Present

- Selected as 1 of 3 young men selected to participate in a NY financial services internship with KPMG

MLT & Lehman Brothers Wall Street 101, Participant, New York, NY

November 2007

Volunteer Youth Soccer Coach, Savoy, IL

November 2007

- Led, demonstrate, and instruct fundamental soccer skills to 40 kindergarten students

Lead Business Institute, University of Illinois, Champaign, IL

July 2005

- Led competitive ADM case competition and placed third

- Selected to participate in a business enrichment program with the nation's leading corporations and business schools