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PROFESSIONAL SUMMARY

Highly motivated and detail-oriented rising third-year Accounting major at Augustana College with strong aspirations in accounting, finance, and data analytics. Demonstrates a consistent growth mindset through multiple competitive internships at Ernst & Young and PenFed Credit Union. Offers a well-rounded background in audit support, financial analysis, data tools (Excel, Power BI, Alteryx), and leadership through on-campus roles and varsity athletics. Committed to excellence, integrity, and continuous improvement in both academic and professional settings.

EDUCATION

Bachelor of Arts in Accounting

Augustana College | Rock Island, Illinois

Expected May 2023

GPA: 3.9/4.00

CPA Eligible: May, 2023

- **Dean's Scholarship**
- **Arthur Andersen Scholarship**
- **Thomas C. Montgomery Memorial Scholarship**
- **Professor S. James Galley \$1000 Scholarship Grant for 2022-2023**
- **Harold and Lousie Lage Swanson Scholarship**
- **Mortar Board Member**

EXPERIENCE

FSO Audit Internship

Ernst & Young | Tyson, Virginia

June 2021- August 2022

- Complete daily audit tasks utilizing excel and canvas.
- Participate in a two-week digital ambassador data program; learned Power BI and Alteryx, competed in a weeklong competition in Orlando, FL providing solutions to real EY audit issues.
- Worked on EY Capital One and Sandy Bank audit teams, participated and took notes in meetings.

Finance Strategy Internship

PenFed Credit Union | Tyson, Virginia

June 2021- August 2021

- Complete daily finance tasks utilizing excel, S&P market intelligence, and Callahan to analyze and interpret data.
- Collect data insights and research on branching to present a 45–50-minute presentation to CFO and VP of Finance.
- Work with other interns on a finance, marketing, and IT capstone project to present to PenFed CEO.

Admissions Ambassador

Office of Admissions | Augustana College

Fall 2020 – March 2022

- Calculate incoming students GPAs to aid the staff during the admissions process.
- Utilize communication skills to highlight Augustana to touring students and parents.
- Write follow up thank you letters to different families expressing gratitude for visiting Augustana.
- Gain insight to organizational structure & the importance of the student experience and how they work together to make Augustana run efficiently.

Accounting Tutor

Business Administration Office | Augustana College

January 2022- May 2022

- Aid Augustana students needing extra help in their accounting classes.
- Utilize communication skills to teach students in a way that suites their learning style best.
- Complete various tasks in the business administration office.

Illinois CPA Society Ambassador

Illinois CPA Society | Augustana College

September 2022- May 2022

- Selected to represent Illinois CPA Society on Augustana's campus.
- Promote benefits of becoming a member and taking the CPA exam.
- Organize ways to inform and educate students through various resources about Illinois CPA Society.

CAMPUS INVOLVEMENT & LEADERSHIP

Chicago Trip Planner, Business Club

May 2020 – May 2021

- Coordinate with several accounting firms to arrange office visits.

- Secure finances and organized logistics for students to travel to Chicago to interact with companies.
- Identify alternative solutions due to Covid-19 travel restrictions to allow students a similar and impactful Chicago trip experience.

Honor Council

May 2020 – May 2021

- Uphold and enforce the Honor Code to achieve Augustana's goals of integrity, accountability, fairness, and honesty.
- Read, refer to, and interpret the Augustana College Honor Code during hearings.
- Remain impartial and ethical when recommending fair outcomes, considering the student's responsibility and future, as well as severity of infractions.

Varsity Tennis Team

August 2019 - Present

- Balance a full-time course load with 20 hours of training and competitions per week.
- Demonstrate perseverance to meet goals, a strong work ethic, and commitment to being a team leader.
- CCIW 2nd Team All-Conference – 2019, 2021.
- 2x Varsity Letter Winner.
- CCIW "Respect" award Fall 2022
- Team captain Fall 2022 & Spring 2023

Student Athlete Advisory Committee

Fall 2019 - Present

- Serve as a student leader role
- Analyze how to enhance the environment for student-athletes on campus.
- Source opportunities for student athletes to volunteer in the Quad Cities community.
- Promote the well-being and mental health of student-athletes at Augustana through putting on different events.