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EDUCATION

The George Washington University, Elliot School of International Affairs **Washington, DC**
Bachelor of Arts in International Affairs, Expected May 2022

Relevant Coursework: Business and Economic Statistics, Macroeconomics, Microeconomics, Introduction to International Affairs, Intermediate French, International Business and Modern Slavery, Comparative Political Economy, Business and Economic Statistics II.

GPA: 3.2

Westlake High School **Atlanta, GA**
IB Diploma, awarded May 2018

HONORS

Posse Foundation Full-Tuition Leadership Scholarship (2018-2022)
Inaugural GW Black Law Students Association Scholarship (2019)

EXPERIENCE

Morgan Stanley **San Francisco, CA**
Incoming Public Finance Investment Banking Summer Analyst *June 2021- August 2021*

BLK Capital Management **Boston, MA**
Equity Research Analyst *February 2021- Present*

- 100% black owned and student run long/short equity hedge fund that strives to promote the financial education of talented black students around the nation through active money management
- Work with fellow analysts from around the nation to manage a portfolio, perform equity research, and prepare for a career in the financial services industry.
- Pitch a stock in front of investment professionals at the end of a rigorous, six-month introductory investing education program covering qualitative analysis, accounting, comparable company analysis, revenue projection models and DCF valuation

Project Destined Fall 2020 Virtual Internship Program **Washington, DC**
Intern, Team Aria *September 2020-December 2020*

- Participated in the evaluation of a live real estate deal involving the development of a mixed-use asset in Northwest Washington, D.C.
- Prepared and presented an investment memo to real estate professionals from Brookfield, Tishman Speyer, CBRE, and other real estate firms
- Received 60+ hours of training on real estate fundamentals, property valuation, deal financing, financial modeling, and market research
- Worked with professionals at Aria Development Group to build 10-year cash flow projections and sensitivity analysis based various growth rates, hold periods, and exit cap rates

Breakthrough Atlanta **Atlanta, GA**
Teaching Fellow *June 2020- August 2020*

- Taught Eighth Grade Math to students with learning challenges in unique circumstances during the COVID-19 pandemic
- Recognized as Breakthrough Atlanta Teacher Spotlight (2020)
- Created meaningful relationships with students, parents, fellow teachers, and school administrators
- Developed lesson plans for middle school students in accordance with state curriculum and school-wide curriculum standards

Congressional Office of Majority Whip James E. Clyburn **Washington, DC**
Legislative Intern *January 2020-May 2020*

- Courteously represented the Majority Whip's office to constituents by guiding tours of the Capitol, answering phone calls, and organizing/distributing mail
- Contributed research to legislative staff in the following areas: Foreign affairs, National Security, Education
- Attended seminars, committee meetings, legislative sessions, and authorized briefs summarizing these

meetings

LEADERSHIP ACTIVITIES

Activities: Black Student Union, Black Men's Initiative, Dean's Council, Student Association, Diversity and Inclusion Assembly, Black Pre-Law Undergraduate Chapter, Resident Advisor on First Generation Floor, Black Heritage Committee, Posse Foundation, Project Destined.

SKILLS & CERTIFICATIONS

- Experienced Microsoft Office: Word, Excel, PowerPoint
- Bloomberg Market Concepts Certificate
- Limited proficiency in French
- Teamwork
- Time Management
- Critical Thinking
- Attention to detail
- Communication
- Organization