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EDUCATION

University of Florida Warrington College of Business — **Gainesville, FL**
Bachelor of Science in Business Administration – Finance — **May 2030**
Honors Program, Davis UWC Full-Ride Scholar

- **SAT**: 1490/1600 M: 780/800

Relevant Coursework: Problem Solving Using Computer Software, Analytic Geometry and Calculus II

EXPERIENCE

YMCA — **Calgary, AB**
Counselor, 40 hours per week — **June 2025 – August 2025**

- Supervised ~15 youth ages 4–13 by proactively designing and leading activities, sustaining an engaging environment
- Applied 42 hours of safeguard training to maintain protocols and de-escalate conflicts, strengthening accountability
- Built trust with 90+ families by giving daily updates and addressing concerns promptly, reinforcing parent confidence

LEADERSHIP AND PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

Women on Wall Street — **Gainesville, FL**
Closed Cohort Member — **August 2026 – Present**

- Engaged in a rigorous weekly curriculum covering high finance careers, evaluating various paths to determine personal fit
- Networked with professionals from speaker series through outreach, expanding industry network for target career tracks
- Learned financial statement analysis, valuation methodologies and DCF, key accounting concepts, recruitment strategy, and technical concepts, preparing for upcoming academic and recruitment cycles significantly in advance

Finance and Investment Club — **Vestland, Norway**
Co-President — **January 2025 – April 2026**

- Expanded membership from 10 to 30+ members with targeted campaigns and engaging presentations, tripling participation
- Selected and led stock pitch team; wrote company research and thesis; Top 5 finish across international UWC campuses
- Partnered with UWC Endowment by outreach, securing 30 Bloomberg certification course fee waivers valued at $6,250
- Prepared and delivered lectures for bi-weekly meetings, improving 30+ members financial literacy and market participation

Indigenous Rights Club — **Vestland, Norway**
Co-President — **April 2025 – March 2026**

- Organized Orange Shirt Day, panels, and listening circles by coordinating logistics and outreach, engaging 125+ attendees
- Advanced Indigenous inclusion by speaking with Swedish National Committee, supporting new Indigenous Scholarship
- Hosted Sámi guests by facilitating dinners and guiding campus tours, strengthening Indigenous integration within campus

YMCA — **Calgary, AB**
Badminton Head Coach — **April 2022 – August 2024**

- Coached 100+ hours for youth ages 8-14 by running progressive drills, preparing beginners for club-level advancement
- Mentored one assistant coach per session by delegating leadership responsibilities, building independent coaching capacity
- Strengthened parent engagement by providing weekly updates on athletes' progress, supporting ~30% repeat enrollment

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

- **Languages**: Mandarin (Limited Professional Proficiency)
- **Interests**: International travel, alpine skiing, outdoor cold plunging, mountain hiking, cultural experiences
- **Memberships:** Finance Professional Development Program, Women on Wallstreet Closed Cohort, Delta Sigma Pi
- **High School**: UWC Red Cross Nordic (Full-Ride Merit Scholar), Varsity Badminton (Div. 1 City & Regional Champion), World Economics Cup (National Top 10 scorer), AMC 12 (School 2nd Place), Abelkonkurransen Math (Top 8% scorer)