



ANTOINE PIRAS

EHL Student
Bachelor in Hospitality Management - 2nd year

PROFILE

At crossroads of French, American and Chinese worlds, not shy of hard work; **seeking an internship in the Finance world (summer 2026)**

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STUDIES

Ecole Hôtelière de Lausanne
Bachelor in Hospitality Management
(currently in second year)

VENTURES

Co-Founder of **Unikey**
<https://uni-key.ch>

EHL Investment Fund Club
Analyst for the Technology Desk

DIPLOMAS

- PADI Diving Instructor
- TDI Trimix
- AP French, European History, Seminar & Microeconomics
- Cambridge PET (with Distinction)
- HKSF Sailing Assistant
- RYA Powerboat level 1 & 2
- Cigraal Academy certificate 'Discovery of the Cigar World'
- Driving licence

LANGUAGES

- French - mother tongue
- English - also mother tongue
- Spanish - conversational B2
- Mandarin - beginner
- German - beginner

HOBBIES

Wine, Diving, Cigars, Driving, Dirtbiking, Jiu Jitsu,

SOFTWARES

Proficiency in Word, Excel, Powerpoint
Notions of coding

Sommelier-in-Training *Plaza Athénée Paris* March-Sep 2025

Team of 5 persons - Reporting to Chef Sommelier Laurent Roucayrol

- Assisting the Head Sommelier, opening and serving wine bottles
- Suggesting wine pairing to guests, and serving aperitif on gueridon

Learnings: Smiling & delivering the Michelin-star experience in all circumstances

PADI Diving Instructor *Atmosphere Resort Philippines* Apr-Jun 2024

Team of 25+ employees - Reporting to Dive Manager Berlinda Koolen

- Preparing & checking diving equipment
- Organising dives for resort clients
- Teaching PADI Open Water & Rescue courses

Learnings: The importance of focus and a healthy lifestyle when clients' lives are in your hands

F&B Intern *Gran Hotel Manzana Kempinski Cuba* Jan-Apr 2024

Team of 100+ employees - Reporting to General Manager Xavier Destribats

- Restaurant & bar service
- Acting Assistant F&B
- Looking after VIPs during Habanos Festival

Learnings: The everyday challenges of 5-star service in a mythical country

Hotel Trainee *Atmosphere Resort Philippines* Sep-Dec 2023

Team of 50+ employees - Reporting to General Manager Rae Collins

- Restaurant & bar service
- Front office and reservations assistant

Learnings: Working in paradise is actually hard work

Training as a PADI Divemaster & Instructor *TDI Technical Diver* Sep-Dec 2023

Assistant Sailing Instructor *ABC Hong Kong* 2021 & 2023 (weekends & summers)

Team of 15 instructors - Reporting to Chief Sailing Howie Suen

- Supervision of weekly groups of children (7-15 years) and adults
- Teaching all things related to dinghy sailing
- Dinghy maintenance, repair & cleaning

Learnings: Managing much younger and much older people & the importance of following procedures

Other work experiences:

Commis de Salle *Badrutt's Palace* Year-end 2025
Runway Model *Charity fashion shows* 2023
Assistant to French Teacher *HKIS* 2021-2022 (schoolyear)
Kitchen Assistant *Bacchus Hong Kong* Year-end 2021
Office Multitasker *Cigraal* 2020-2021 (7 weeks)

Learnings: The challenge of working in your parents' companies, discovering the cigar world, working when the others party