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EDUCATION

The Pennsylvania State University

College of Earth and Mineral Sciences

Bachelor of Energy, Business, and Finance

Minor in Economics

State College, PA

Graduation Date: May 2025

GPA: 3.30

IES Abroad Madrid

Business, Economics & Social Studies

Madrid, Spain

August 2024 – December 2024

- Completed coursework in International Finance and Circular Economy
- Gained practical knowledge of the EU's role in global markets and economic development, with a focus on Spain's economy and cultural influences on business

WORK EXPERIENCE

First Citizens Bank

Banker Intern

Los Angeles, CA

May 2024 – August 2024

- Educated customers on financial products, including certificates of deposit (CDs), to build trust and deepen customer relationships
- Accepted deposits and processed account withdrawals while providing attentive customer support
- Observed and assisted the loan department during multiple deals throughout the Los Angeles area

California Science Center - Accounting Department

Accounting Intern

Los Angeles, CA

April 2023 – June 2023

- Reviewed, filed, and verified the accuracy of information in financial documents such as corporate expenses and revenue for the education department
- Prepared invoices and updated files for the general ledger
- Practiced general accounting knowledge in a professional setting

Huntington Beach Fire Department

Ocean Lifeguard I

Huntington Beach, CA

March 2021 - August 2023

- Oversaw the safety of 11 million annual beachgoers through a combination of preventative actions
- Provided ocean rescues and medical aid in high stress situations on 4.25 miles of city operated beach
- Utilized advanced knowledge of weather, geography, and environmental conditions

Dive n' Surf Shop

Sales Associate

Redondo Beach, CA

January 2020 – March 2021

- Drove sales through engagement of customers, suggestive selling, and sharing product knowledge

CAMPUS INVOLVEMENT & VOLUNTEER EXPERIENCE

Ocean Fever

Mentor

Los Angeles, CA

April 2018 – March 2021

- Provided training and mentorship to youth as part of a nonprofit organization dedicated to exposing kids to ocean safety and environmental awareness