# **Rawan Sahily**

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#### **EDUCATION**

#### Sep 2018 – Sep 2019 Queen Mary, University of London, UK

#### Master of Science - Investment Banking (with distinction)

- Completed a strategic analysis of UBS AG giving rise to an overall recommendation
- Concluded an investment recommendation of Adidas after conducting a valuation study using DCF and multiples analysis taking into consideration essential factors such as industry, growth drivers, competitors, geopolitical and economic situations.
- Developed a merger model and a pitch book for target and acquirer pharmaceutical companies in light of available information and expected synergies.
- Applied risk management techniques such as credit ratings, spreads, VaR, ETL, stress testing, scenario analysis, and many others.
- Studied real-world cases of practical investment and hedging strategies where the first step lies in understanding the client's needs focusing on: risk profile, investment horizon, and tax status.

#### **Optional Modules**

Applied Portfolio Management Mar/2019
 Introduction to R Jan-Feb 2019
 VBA for Finance Nov 2018

#### Sep 2015 – Jun 2018

#### American University of Beirut Beirut, Lebanon

### Bachelor in Business Administration - emphasis Accounting

- Developed theoretical and practical understanding of different business fields
- Cultivated necessary soft skills for success in business such as efficient business communication, organizational leadership, and ethical reasoning
- Completed Capsim simulation gaining a well understanding of all different departments and functions of a business

#### Certification

# Fullbridge U Program – Certificate of Professional Achievement

**Oct-Dec 2016** 

(A 2-month career preparedness course focused on effective communication, teamwork, design thinking and critical work management skills)

#### WORK EXPERIENCE

# Sep 2019 Soft Flow Beirut, Lebanon

Position held: IT Sales Intern

• Assisted the technical support team in presenting the Enterprise Resources Planning system for 5 potential clients focusing on the following modules:

supply chain, customer relationship management, accounting, and human resources

• Coordinated all client queries and reported them to technical support

#### Deloitte Beirut, Lebanon

Position held: Audit Intern

- Analyzed reports and financial statements for clients that belong to both private and public banking sectors
- Identified discrepancies in client financial statements
- Reported audit findings to manager
- Gained a good insight into Deloitte's audit department philosophy, strategy and process

#### Jun- Jul 2017

Aug 2017

#### Middle East Airlines Beirut, Lebanon

Position held: Intern

- Calculated using excel major aircraft maintenance expenses
- Aided with passengers' revenue analysis
- Shadowed divisions such as sales & marketing, operations and information technology
- Wrote a 10-page report about MEA's restructuring plan, received good feedback

#### Aug 2016

## **Banque Du Liban** Beirut, Lebanon

Position Held: Intern

- Researched information on domestic and international public financial procedures
- Wrote a 12-page report about BDL's different entities and policies, received excellent feedback.

#### VOLUNTEER WORK

Jul 2016	Assisted at Dar Al Aytam Orphanage with daily activities and schedules
Jun 2016	<ul> <li>Organized iftars for the less fortunate people with a local organization during Ramadan</li> </ul>
Mar 2013	Red Cross first aid training certification
2012-2015	<ul> <li>Completed 350 hours of social work</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Visiting the elderly and entertaining them</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Inspecting homes of less fortunate people and filling out reports for renovation purposes</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Accompanying disabled people in field trips</li> </ul>
Nov-2012	<ul> <li>Completed the 10 kilometer Beirut marathon as an assistant for disabled people</li> </ul>

#### SUMMARY SKILLS

COMPUTER SKILLS LANGUAGES TECHNICAL SKILLS MS Excel (advanced), R, VBA for Finance

Arabic (native), English (fluent)

Financial Modelling in Excel, DCF Valuation, Multiples Analysis, M&A Analysis, Bloomberg Terminal, Thomson Reuters Terminal