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## **Languages**

Arabic  $\star\star\star\star\star$  English  $\star\star\star\star$  French  $\star\star\star\star$ 

# **6** Computer Skills

Microsoft Office Expert
Excel VBA Intermediate
C++ & MATLAB Beginner
SPSS Beginner

## Certificates

Links available through <u>Credly</u> & <u>Accredible</u>



## Hobbies & Interests







Chess Basketball

Reading

# **Fouad CHALHOUB**

Junior Consultant | Industrial Analyst | Web Content Writer

# **≅**Work Experience & Internships

Content Writer

Movaway.fr & Tuckingo.fr | Online - Freelance, France

- Blog writer & Task Coordinator
- Content area serving the websites' goals: Food & Beverages Cities Relocation

**Junior Consultant** 

Aug 2022 - Now

Apr 2023 – Now

Inkline | Online - Freelance, Gulf Cooperation Council & Middle East

- Areas of work: Market Research Business Plans Feasibility Studies Financial Modelling & Projections • Performance Improvement • Policies & Procedures
- Industries: Healthcare Education Food Fintech Entertainment Trading Manufacturing Real Estate

**Research Intern** 

Mar 2022 – Jul 2022

 ${\it University of Technology of Complegne} \mid {\it Complegne}, {\it France}$ 

- Title: Valorization of insects in a biorefinery concept
- Tasks: Optimization of the extraction of proteins & chitin from Tenebrio Molitor larvae using various killing techniques through the alkaline/acid route •
   Microbiological study of the effect of different killing techniques on bacterial growth in a larvae sample
- Tools & Analyzers: Pulsed Electric Field High Voltage Electric Discharge •
   Ultrasound Assisted Extraction SDS-Polyacrylamide Gel Electrophoresis UV-Vis Spectroscopy X-Ray Diffraction

Teacher Oct 2021 – Now

Private & Superprof.fr | Live & Online - Freelance, Lebanon

- For University Students: Thermodynamics Analytical Chemistry General Chemistry • Solid State
- For High School Students: Chemistry Biology Physics Math

## **Quality Control Inspector Intern**

Feb 2021 - Feb 2021

Najjar | Roumieh, Lebanon

Physical Tests for Robusta & Arabica green, roasted & ground beans: Moisture content & Humidity • Broken beans • Tap Density • Roast Score (Agtron E-20) • Sealing & defects visual checks • O<sub>2</sub>/N<sub>2</sub> analysis

#### **Laboratory Intern**

Aug 2019 – Sep 2019

L.A.R.I – Antibiotics & Pesticides Residues + Water Microbiology | Fanar, Lebanon

- Sample Preparation prior to their introduction in HPLC/MS-MS or GC/MS
- Bacterial culture of various water samples (bottled, pool, filtered...) from different sources • Culture media preparation

#### **Education**

## Master's in Industrial Analysis

Sep 2020 – Nov 2022

Lebanese University | Fanar, Lebanon

Class Delegate

### **Bachelor's in Chemistry**

Sep 2017 – Aug 2020

Lebanese University | Fanar, Lebanon

Member of "Pastorale Universitaire" Club

### **Extracurricular Affiliations**

#### **Founder & Coordinator: Orientation Committee**

Jun 2021 - Now

Lady of Deliverance Church | Byblos, Lebanon

- A committee that's purpose is to provide youth with the resources needed to make autonomous, knowledgeable & all-encompassing career decisions
- Tasks: Coordinating with committee members Arranging meetings & the
  execution strategy Outsourcing support Monitoring the committee's expansion
  while ensuring it consistently reflects the pre-set vision, mission, & goals.

#### **Member of Movement Youth Orthodox**

Sep 2017 – Aug 2020

Lady of Deliverance Church | Byblos, Lebanon

# **Projects**

- I. A **Business Plan** and Strategy with **Policies and Procedures** developed for an investment company and bank seeking to build an <u>E-Payment platform</u> in a country of the GCC region.
  - o I participated in **market research** that revolved around:
    - The demographic and economic overview of the country, in addition to a close look at the banking sector in GCC and the country.
    - The online banking sector zooming in, from worldwide banks to the Gulf region and the country.
    - The E-payment providers and **future competitors**, and already available credit and debit cards from the most prominent banks in the country with their services, features, and fees.
  - With the information about the E-payment, the team was able to build a **financial model with projections** of the possible outcomes of this project.
  - o I was also involved in drafting the **report**, where I presented the data gathered in a professional and eyecatching way using PowerPoint.
  - o I put a **SWOT analysis** with the **mission**, **vision**, **objectives**, and **values** of the company.
- II. A **proposal** was developed for a business seeking an Investment Portfolio Manager License from the Capital Market Authority.
  - o This project brought in-depth research within the **CMA bylaws**, especially since the company was under incorporation.
    - I was able to map out the necessary documents needed to establish the company with the suggested organizational structure—from the shareholders to the Board of Directors and the registered positions.
    - The obtention of the license demanded the development of a Financial Feasibility study for the upcoming half decade. A Business Plan with the needed Market Analysis that evolved around the vision and possible opportunities for the company under establishment was required.
    - I was one of the focal points in making the policies and procedures for the company too.
- III. A **Feasibility study** for a sports venue in Lebanon. An ongoing study, in which I contributed to developing the Financial Model and making the **projections for the upcoming five years**.
  - o I will assist in market research in Lebanon, a delicate task due to the unavailability of accurate data.
  - I did my primary research through direct contact with other gyms and arenas in the specific governorate to benchmark and estimate the prices.
- IV. A Market Research and **Feasibility report** identified the opportunities for a <u>private and independently located</u> IVF center in UAE.
  - My task included everything from market research and assumptions of revenue streams to operating
    expenses and staff costs of the financial model.
  - o I was able to handle the questionnaires that the team gathered in UAE. I **summarized** the findings and drew my **conclusions**.
  - The report also included an overview of the region's key players, a demographic and economic analysis, a look at the targeted emirate's healthcare system and a list of insurance plans that provide coverage for ART services.
  - A demand analysis with projections was founded based on the findings.
- V. A **Valuation study** was conducted for a <u>nursery</u> in Oman.
  - o This task required a diligent distribution of the **capacity** of the building based on the license acquired to host toddlers.
  - o An estimation of the revenue was deducted by making the **best** possible **use of the available space**.
  - o I made a cost analysis of the nursery and came up with an **Income Statement**.

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- VI. A Market study with a **Supply and Demand analysis** was made for an <u>under establishment industrial zone</u> in GCC. The report developed an in-depth study of the economic zones worldwide with a demographic and economic overview of the country and the region concerned.
  - o I assessed the status of the industrial, retail, hotels, housing, investment housing and warehouse sectors. My research brought a clear vision of the rentals for each field, their surfaces, their revenues and **contribution** to the GDP per capital.
  - o I was able to calculate the projected supply and demand gap.
  - o I also assisted in a data analysis strategy to determine the best industries for investment.
  - o The study evaluated different manufacturing industries available or potentially needed in the country. Based on the risk and opportunities factors suggested, we assigned **scores** to each of the industries studied and advanced a **recommendation** at the end based on the ones having the highest scores.
- VII. Research Project (Master 1 project) on the "Rapid Detection of Coffee Adulteration Using FT-MIR Spectroscopic Technique Coupled with Chemometrics".
  - o It was a literature project in which we reviewed the potential articles that were of benefit for showing the importance of chemometric analysis in assisting simple spectroscopic techniques for a fast, simple accurate and robust detection of common adulterants (barley, corn, soy, oat, rice, and coffee husks) at different concentrations.
  - The FT-MIR spectra obtained was incomprehensible
  - o **SIMCA** models were used for discrimination in a qualitative analysis
  - The Combination of **PCR & PLS** was for quantitative purposes.

