

# GEORGIO ABOU JAOUDE

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## Education

### The University of Chicago Booth School of Business

Chicago, IL, USA

#### Master in Finance

Aug 2024 – Dec 2025

- Specialization in Asset Management | Student Ambassador | Class Gift Cabinet | Booth Reunion Cabinet | Honor List
- Graduate Assistant: Data Visualization for Decision Making & Financial Accounting (Graduate level course for MBA)

### American University of Beirut

Beirut, Lebanon

#### Bachelor of Engineering, Electrical and Computer Engineering

Sep 2020 – Jun 2024

- GPA: 4.0/4.0 | High Distinction | Dean's Honor List (top 5% of cohort)
- Focus Projects: Designed Solar Power Installation for building at AUB, Audited biggest Data Center in Lebanon and proposed solutions to enhance reliability, and Assessed Lebanon's electricity crisis, recommending four viable solutions

## Work Experience

### PwC

Chicago, IL, USA

#### Summer Associate, Sustainability – Capital Projects & Infrastructure

Jun 2025 – Aug 2025

- Built client-ready Visio process maps by translating complex infrastructure project schedules into clear visual workflows.
- Contributed to internal and client meetings by offering insights, supporting real-time discussions, and coordinating materials for senior consultants (Managers and Managing Directors).
- Delivered key workstream outputs ahead of schedule by proactively managing tasks and anticipating client needs in fast-paced project environments.

### Dar Al-Handasah

Beirut, Lebanon

#### Engineering Consultancy Intern

Jun 2023 – Jul 2023

- Designed renewable (solar) energy installations by assessing power requirements, developing detailed electrical layouts, and reporting the necessary Capital Expenditure along with projected ROI and efficiency metrics.
- Increased operational and lighting cost efficiency of two facilities by 25% through optimization of electrical designs.
- Presented project insights to a team of senior engineers, incorporating feedback to improve designs and profitability.

### American University of Beirut

Beirut, Lebanon

#### Undergraduate Researcher

Jan 2023 – May 2023

- Led a team of three students in a research project on advanced control systems, managing progress, fostering collaboration, and ensuring research objectives were successfully met.
- Conducted structured analysis to evaluate system performance, applying control theory to improve project accuracy.
- Developed MATLAB application for interactive analysis of three core control functions, enhancing student learning.

## Leadership Positions

### Plintus Capital Management, Booth Student-Led Investment Fund

Chicago, IL, USA

#### Director of Quantitative Strategies

Mar 2025 – Dec 2025

- Led development and implementation of quantitative models that integrated factor analysis to enhance alpha generation.
- Collaborated with fundamental analysts to align quantitative signals with investment ideas for data-driven portfolio.

### Final Year Project, Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers ([Published Paper](#))

Florence, Italy

#### 2<sup>nd</sup> Place Winner

Sep 2023 – Aug 2024

- Developed glove that translates American Sign Language to English, breaking the communication barrier in society.
- Built neural network machine learning model, trained it in-house, and developed the mobile app for real-time transcription.
- Represented AUB as part of a top six team globally, selected from 200 groups to present at the largest Radio Frequency Engineering conference, attended by 2,000+ industry professionals and jurors.

## Additional

- **Skills:** Python and C++ (Advanced), Microsoft Office (Advanced), Financial Modeling (Advanced), Matlab (Advanced)
- **Languages:** English (Fluent), French (Native), Arabic (Native), Spanish (Limited Working Proficiency)
- **Interests:** Fitness (Weightlifting and Swimming) – Traveling (Traveled 15 countries) – Music (Techno and Oldies)