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Education

University of Missouri

Columbia, Missouri

International Business Dual Degree Program

Bachelor of Science, Business Administration

Emphasis: Finance and Banking

Bachelor of Arts, International Studies

Emphasis: Mandarin and Chinese Studies

Expected Graduation: May 2028

Professional Experience

Austin A McNichols Ins. Agency Inc.

Westchester, Illinois

Intern

June 2025-August 2025

- Strengthened skills in data analysis, attention to detail, and professional communication
- Helped maintain and update client files, ensuring compliance with industry regulations.
- Supported client onboarding by gathering documentation and ensuring accurate policy applications.

Shakespeare's Pizza

Columbia, Missouri

Employee

August 2025-Present

- Trained in fast-paced, high-volume service, balancing multiple tasks while maintaining accuracy and quality.
- Adapted quickly to changing priorities and customer demands in a dynamic work environment.
- Demonstrated reliability through consistent attendance, punctuality, and teamwork.

Community Involvement

Tiger Pantry

Columbia, Missouri

Food Pantry Volunteer

August 2024-May 2025

Assistant Logistics Director

August 2025-Present

- Aids the local underprivileged community promoting community health
- Educates patrons on how to sign up for government programs like the Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP) helping low-income families afford groceries.
- Coordinates food orders and deliveries weekly to supply the pantry with fresh produce, bread, and other goods.

Sigma Alpha Epsilon

Columbia, Missouri

House Manager Committee

August 2024-Present

- Organizes work teams to efficiently maintain a clean and organized house for all member's health and safety
- Upkeeps the former Welch Hall, a 19th-century military academy and Civil War hospital, preserving it for future generations
- Administrates a budget of over a thousand dollars, ensuring that the house is always well stocked while simultaneously maintaining the budget's integrity