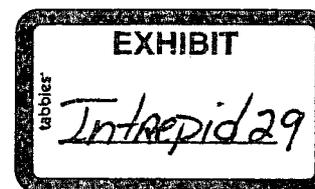


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EDUCATION

STANFORD GRADUATE SCHOOL OF BUSINESS

Masters in Business Research in Organizational Behavior

Stanford, CA
August 2003

- Teaching assistant/instructor for Strategic Decision Making and Organizational Behavior MBA courses
- Research focus on behavioral decision making, behavioral finance, and negotiations

UNIVERSITY OF CHICAGO GRADUATE SCHOOL OF BUSINESS

Master of Business Administration – Strategic Management and Finance

Chicago, IL
June 2002

- Graduated with honors; GMAT 710
- Produced business school comedy show with cast of 150 and fundraising of \$36k

BRIGHAM YOUNG UNIVERSITY

Bachelor of Science - Civil and Environmental Engineering

Provo, UT
December 1996

- Suma Cum Laude for GPA of 3.96 while working 10-20 hours/wk
- Outstanding Graduate (valedictorian) Civil Engineering. Member Phi Kappa Phi and Tau Beta Pi

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

INTREPID POTASH

Manager of Financial Planning

Denver, CO
August 2005-Present

- Prepared and drove S-1 paperwork filing for company IPO; worked closely with Intrepid owners, investment bank and other executive team members.
- Built financial models and prepared presentation materials for four transactions: (1) equity buy-out, (2) debt syndication, (3) equity sale and (4) public offering.
- Generated and maintained detailed mine-level models used to analyze capital projects, create forecasts and run economic scenarios.
- Assumed investor relations role in advance of public offering.
- Analyzed all major capital expenditure projects to measure return and help management determine expansion priorities.
- Prepared company's annual operating plans.
- Created and maintained supply, demand and pricing models for the potash industry
- Presented 2008 Potash Outlook speech at the annual Fertilizer Institute Conference (November 2007)

STANDARD AND POOR'S – CORPORATE VALUE CONSULTING

Senior Associate

Menlo Park, CA
October 2003 – August 2005

- Managed client relationships at the CFO level of publicly-held companies with respect to critical financial reporting needs – excellent track record of repeat clients and profitable engagements.
- Prepared financial models and reports needed to determine the fair value of various assets, businesses, and securities including fairness opinions, impairment tests, common stock valuations, and a variety of other financial products.
- Mentored junior staff in methodologies, including formal training of the Silicon Valley staff in the use of options to value securities and the art of negotiation.

UNIVERSITY OF CHICAGO, EXECUTIVE MBA PROGRAM

Teaching Assistant in Behavioral Decision Making and Negotiations

Chicago, Singapore, and Barcelona
June 2002 – September 2002

- Assisted professors with data reduction and teaching materials for three sections.
- Voted 'Outstanding Teaching Assistant' by graduating class of executive MBAs.

ILLINOIS DEVELOPMENT FINANCE AUTHORITY (Seed Stage Venture Capital)

Venture Capital Analyst

Chicago, IL
July 2001 – September 2001

- Developed firm's model for seed stage investing, including cash flow and comparable methods, and due diligence process; then trained staff in methodology
- Authored report on seed stage investing for the Governor of Illinois. Arranged and performed interviews with venture capitalists, academic leaders, and angel groups throughout Illinois.

RALPH M. PARSONS CORPORATION (Global Engineering Firm)

Associate Engineer II, Hydraulic Design

San Jose, CA & Salt Lake City, UT
January 1996 – April 2000

- Organized and implemented design process on \$1.4 billion design-build highway project.
- Discovered design liability, then created solutions and prepared cost analysis that saved client \$10 million.

PERSONAL

- Community service: Appointed leader of 25 men in church congregation and serve in alumni association
- Passionate adventurer including diving, team sports, and a growing love of golf
- Married six years and father to three children aged one, two, and three