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# EDUCATION

**Auburn University |** Auburn, AL Expected May 2027 Bachelor of Science in Business Administration **GPA: 3.91/4.00** Major: Finance

*Honors:* Dean’s List (Fall 2023 – Spring 2025)

*Relevant Coursework:* Financial & Managerial Accounting, Information Analysis, Business Analytics

# EXPERIENCE

**Alvest** | Paris, France **June 2025 – August 2025**

*Finance Intern*

* Assisted in ESG reporting and EU Taxonomy compliance, analyzing sustainability data to ensure alignment with evolving European financial regulations
* Reviewed and organized company financials to support management in strategic planning, improving accessibility and clarity of key financial metrics
* Collaborated with finance leadership, including the CFO, on presentations and reporting materials, gaining exposure to corporate financial decision-making in a private-equity owned firm

**Target Team Member |** Milton, GA **June 2024 – August 2024**

*Service Advocate*

* Delivered exceptional customer service by assisting guests with inquiries, processing returns, and resolving any issues in a friendly and efficient manner
* Managed guest interactions at the front of the store, including providing checkout support and ensuring a smooth, seamless experience for all shoppers
* Provided assistance to over 200 guests by improving the efficiency of guest services through clear and effective communication, significantly reducing wait times and ensuring quicker resolution of issues

**Yard Worx |** Milton, GA **May 2021 – August 2023**

*Partner*

* Maintained residential and commercial properties by performing tasks such as mowing, trimming, planting, and weeding, ensuring a well-manicured and visually appearing landscape
* Managed landscaping budgets by providing accurate cost estimates for labor, materials, and equipment, consistently completing projects withing the allocated budget, maximizing profitability for the business
* Collaborated with a team to design and implement custom landscaping solutions, including installing irrigation systems, laying sod, and planting trees and shrubs, resulting in enhanced curb appeal for clients

# LEADERSHIP & ACTIVITIES

**Alpha Kappa Psi** | Auburn, AL **September 2024 – Present**

*Member*

* Refined leadership and communication skills by actively participating in a business fraternity, collaborating with peers on professional development projects, and organizing networking events
* Gained valuable career insights and enhanced professional acumen through mentorship opportunities, workshops, and real-world business scenarios facilitated by the business fraternity

# Cambridge High School Camp Counselor | Milton, GA May 2022 – August 2022

*Summer Camp Mentor*

* Mentored and coached over 100 young athletes on football fundamentals, teamwork, and sportsmanship, contributing to skill development and increased confidence among participants Serve as a student leader for income students in the Harbert College of Business
* Organized daily camp activities, collaborated with fellow counselors and coaches to create engaging practice sessions, and provided one-on-one guidance to players to improve performance

# TECHNICAL & INTERESTS

**Technical:** Microsoft Associate and Expert Excel Certified

**Interests:** College football, Fitness and Wellness, Music, Power BI