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**Education**

**Brigham Young University - Marriott School of Management** Provo, UT

*Bachelor of Science Accounting/Masters of Accountancy April 2018*

* 3.68 GPA
* Awarded academic scholarships for every semester

**University of Massachusetts Amherst - Isenberg School of Management** Amherst, MA

*Doctor of Philosophy – Accounting Expected May 2025*

**Experience**

**Audit Staff** Sep. 2018-Jul. 2020

*Ernst & Young* San Jose, CA

* Work in a team setting in order to provide assurance over the financial statement audits of both public and private companies.
* Perform walkthroughs over, and completed tests of internal controls in order to assess their effectiveness as they relate to financial reporting
* Work directly with client management in order to solve issues relating to financial statements

**Audit Intern** May 2017-Sep. 2017

*Savage Services* Midvale, UT

* Performed internal audits over the revenue, purchasing, and payroll cycles
* Traveled to various operations throughout the United Stated and Canada to ensure compliance to internal controls
* Compiled and analyzed data from audits for presentation to managers and executives

**Budget Assistant**  Jan. 2015-Apr. 2018

*Brigham Young University Department of Physics and Astronomy* Provo, UT

* Purchased and accounted for approximately 2000 orders annually in order to help the department run efficiently
* Utilized Microsoft Excel to increase the efficiency with which we could store, retrieve, and update purchasing data in the department

**Volunteer Service**

**The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints** Aug. 2012-Aug.2014

*Copenhagen, Denmark*

* Rendered humanitarian aid to the people of Denmark
* Appointed to positions of leadership where responsible for inspiring groups of 25 volunteers to work hard, and teaching them how to work more efficiently
* Responsible for giving monthly presentations, and creating monthly reports on the work completed by my group