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EDUCATION

COLUMBIA UNIVERSITY, New York, New York

Sep 2022 – Feb 2024

Master of Science: Sports Management (4.02 Cumulative GPA)

- Leadership: President of the Sports Management Association at Columbia

UNITED STATES MILITARY ACADEMY, West Point, New York

Jul 2013 – May 2017

Bachelor of Science: Organizational Psychology & Leadership; Systems Engineering Track

- Athletic achievement: Men's Varsity Lacrosse (NCAA D1 Student-Athlete)

SPORTS MANAGEMENT EXPERIENCE

IVY LEAGUE CONFERENCE ATHLETICS OFFICE, Princeton, New Jersey

Mar 2024 / May 2024

Ivy League Women's Rowing Championship Contributor

- Provided on-site event logistics management and execution for the Ivy League Conference Office Staff, dedicating two days to all phases of preparation, execution, and close-out operations for the 2024 Ivy League Women's Rowing Championship, held May 18 – 19 at Cooper River Park, NJ

Ivy League Men's and Women's Basketball Championship Tournaments Contributor

- Provided direct support to the Ivy League Conference Commissioner and staffers, dedicating 36 hours over four days to all phases of preparation, execution, and close-out operations for the 2024 Ivy League Men's and Women's Basketball Championship Tournaments, held March 14 – 17 at Columbia University; Acquired invaluable insights and practical expertise in orchestrating high-profile Division 1 conference championship events

COLUMBIA UNIVERSITY PROJECT IN SPORTS MANAGEMENT: NFL, New York, New York

Jan 2023 – May 2023

NFL Supervised Research Project Intern

- Served in a consulting capacity for the National Football League (NFL), conducting extensive research, performing detailed analysis, and presenting findings and recommendations in briefings to the Chief of Staff of Football Operations and other senior-level NFL executives; assessed business opportunities for the world's premier sports league and provided pertinent business recommendations to key stakeholders

US ARMY EXPERIENCE

FIRES CENTER OF EXCELLENCE, Fort Sill, Oklahoma

Aug 2021 – Aug 2022

Headquarters Detachment Operations Officer (Captain)

- Served as the primary operations officer for a Two-star General's principal advisor, overseeing all aspects of military personnel and logistics management for a population of 15,000 military, 7,000 civilian employees, and all associated installation agencies across Fort Sill; directly aided the senior-level advisor in all day-to-day operations and administrative functions, including acting as a liaison between command staff and subordinate organizations
- Planned, coordinated, and executed significant projects and events for Fort Sill's highest headquarters; core responsibilities included developing and managing timelines, ensuring consistent and comprehensive communication across multiple departments to achieve results, demonstrating a high level of critical thinking with a focus on proactiveness and attention to detail, and interacting with senior-level military officers
- Rated as the #1 Captain out of six peers on the Fort Sill headquarters staff by the Two-star General; commended for exemplary leadership, performance, and teamwork within the highest level of command

428th FIELD ARTILLERY BRIGADE, Fort Sill, Oklahoma

Jan 2021 – Jul 2021

Field Artillery Captain's Career Course (Captain)

- Completed a demanding course of advanced military Field Artillery instruction that required critical thinking, problem solving, synchronizing multiple assets in operations planning, and adaptable and flexible peer leadership

3rd BRIGADE COMBAT TEAM, 1st ARMORED DIVISION, Fort Bliss, Texas / Camp Casey, South Korea

Assistant Operations Officer (First Lieutenant)

Mar 2020 – Jan 2021

- Spearheaded, coordinated, and executed a six-day operation plan to properly equip 1,300 military vehicles with laser engagement systems needed to simulate a realistic combat environment at the Fort Irwin National Training Center; responsibilities included regularly briefing all levels of leadership in a 4,000-soldier organization up to the Brigade Commander (Colonel) and ensuring the organization was certified to begin the large-scale event under a tight timeline

- Maintained the Microsoft Excel master operational calendar, tracking all action initiatives for a 650-soldier organization, and proficiently created and delivered PowerPoint presentations to communicate vital information to key stakeholders

Firing Battery Platoon Leader (First Lieutenant)

Aug 2019 – Mar 2020

- Selected over seven peers to lead a 40-soldier organization through a grueling month-long training exercise at the Fort Polk Joint Readiness Training Center, conducting joint operations with an elite UK Infantry Company and US Special Forces; enacted planning and combat arms functional skills under heightened mental and physical stress, showcasing the ability to rapidly synthesize information in a dynamic, high-pressure environment
- Managed \$12M worth of unit property, documents, and funds in full compliance with the Department of the Army (DA) supply policy and procedures

Company Fire Support Officer (First Lieutenant)

Feb 2019 – Aug 2019

- Responsible for the training, welfare, and employment of a four-soldier Field Artillery fire support team; achieved the #1 score out of all fire support teams in the Battalion during annual gunnery qualification, which evaluated team expertise on identifying, acquiring, and precisely engaging targets with an armored-vehicle weapons system

Fire Direction Officer (Second Lieutenant)

Jan 2018 – Feb 2019

- Led, managed, and trained a Fire Direction Cell (FDC) of seven soldiers and established Standard Operating Procedures essential to the accurate and expeditious processing of fire missions; resulted in earning the distinction of #1 FDC in the Battalion and improved operating efficiency of the unit

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

DEERFIELD ACADEMY, Deerfield, MA (A Top Independent Boarding High School)

Sep 2010 – May 2013

- Captain, Varsity Football Team
- Two-time New England Under Armour All-American (Lacrosse)
- Tri-sport Varsity Athlete Sophomore Year – Football, Basketball, and Lacrosse (NEPSAC Division 1)
- One of eight students chosen, out of a population of 160 peers, for the student-leader role of Peer Counselor; took decisive action in promoting the psychological health and wellbeing of the Deerfield Academy community

AFFILIATIONS

- Columbia Alumni Association (CAA)
- West Point Association of Graduates (WPAOG)
- Deerfield Academy Alumni Association