Ashley Polera

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EDUCATION

Muhlenberg CollegeAllentown, PABachelor of ArtsMay 2020 (expected)

Majors: Finance and Accounting | Finance GPA: 3.75, Accounting GPA: 3.62, Overall GPA: 3.62

CPA eligible (150 credit hours) expected at graduation

Muhlenberg College Dean's List Recipient 3 Semesters

INTERNSHIP/RELEVANT EXPERIENCE

PKF O'Connor Davies Accounting Firm Leaders of Tomorrow Program

Harrison, NY June 2017

Participant

- Selected as one of 20 participants in a one-day program to learn about public accounting in a leading mid-sized firm
- Chosen for opportunity based on resume submission and phone call interview
- Networked with firm professionals at various levels, gaining exposure to different departments within the firm

First County Bank Stamford, CT

Trust Intern May-June 2016

- Recorded and analyzed information about distributions to beneficiaries, investment activities, and probate court reports during business meetings
- Generated and updated stock portfolios using Excel

ADDITIONAL EXPERIENCE

Tutor, Muhlenberg CollegeAllentown, PA
Statistical Analysis and Financial Accounting
January 2017-Present

Conduct group and 1-on-1 tutoring sessions to assist with homework and test preparation

Note taker, Muhlenberg Office of Disability Services

Allentown, PA

• Record cohesive notes for students enrolled in certain classes to be used for reference

January 2017-Present

Basketball Instructor, Town of Armonk REC League

Armonk, NY

Conducted individual basketball instruction for girls ages 8-10

2014-2016

• Demonstrated effective communication skills when interacting with parents and guardians

VARSITY ATHLETIC ACHIEVEMENTS AND CAMPUS ACTIVITIES

Member, Muhlenberg Women's Basketball Team

Allentown, PA

Balance 20 hours of practice/games per week while maintaining academic excellence

August 2016-Present

- Develop team building skills, strong work ethic and perseverance to meet personal and team goals
- Assist in community service events, such as Dream to Read, Jefferson Field Day, and Mercy Field Day, in coordination with the Lehigh Valley

Member, Cardinal Key Society

Allentown, PA

Develop traditions and instill school spirit among Muhlenberg students

January 2017-Present

Assist and work alongside Alumni relations, collaborate and organize Alumni events

Student Representative, College Committee of Fitness and Athletics

Allentown, PA

Serve as a student athlete representative to resolve issues within athletic department

March 2017-Present

• Act as an advisor on behalf of the College regarding the policies and conduct of its athletic affairs

Student Representative, Muhlenberg College Alumni Board

Allentown, PA

Work in active, respectful partnership to achieve long-range institutional goals and objectives

May 2017-Present

 Maintain awareness and knowledge of important College activities, projects and innovations, strategic institutional goals and fund development priorities

Vice President, Muhlenberg College Accounting Society

Allentown, PA

Coordinate educational accounting programs and events on campus

September 2017-Present

SKILLS

Software: Microsoft Office (Excel, Word, PowerPoint), RStudio