Joseph Gherardi

OBJECTIVE

To combine knowledge and experience with information systems and accounting to solve problems plaguing businesses of all sizes.

EXPERIENCE

Consulting Intern

Small Business Development Center, Houghton, MI — September 2023 - Present

- Assisted clients with buying, selling, starting, and growing their small business
- Created financial forecasts and referenced historical tax returns for valuation advisory purposes

IT Consulting Intern – Business Technology Advisory

Plante Moran, Southfield, MI — June 2023 – August 2023

- Assisted clients with selections, implementations, and assessments of ERP systems
- Conducted needs assessment interviews
- Created professional presentations for executive-level clients

Audit Intern

Plante Moran, Kalamazoo, MI — June 2022 – August 2022

- Assisted with external financial audits, including: cycle testing, planning, and risk assessment
- Prepared cycle testing workbooks in Microsoft Excel

Assistant Manager

Auto Image Inc., Plainwell, MI — April 2017 – June 2022

- Began as Shop Technician – later promoted to Assistant Manager
- Assisted retail customers both in person and over the phone
- Coordinated pick-ups, deliveries and on-site logistics
- Managed inbound and store inventory
- Developed systems to streamline operations

Technician

Sound and Lighting Services at Michigan Technological University, Houghton, MI — September 2019 - Present

- Began as Junior Technician – later promoted to Technician
- Served on management board as Assistant Operations Coordinator, General Manager, and Webmaster
- Prepared sound and lighting equipment for live events on campus

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EDUCATION

Michigan Technological University, Houghton, MI

BS Management Information Systems
BS Accounting with Data Analytics Concentration
Expected: May 2024
GPA: 3.84
Dean's List: All Semesters

OTHER

Beta Gamma Sigma
Microsoft Excel
JavaScript
Python
MS SQL Server