

# Josh Ackerman

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## SUMMARY

Motivated, honest, and hardworking senior at Michigan Technological University. Excited to provide value to a business and people's lives. Seeking full-time employment or a rotational program in business, project management, and/or finance beginning of 2025. My goal is to be in business administration after gaining the necessary experience.

## EDUCATION

Michigan Technological University | Houghton, MI  
**BS Engineering Management | BS Finance**

GPA: 3.65      May 2025

Study abroad program in Hamburg Germany: Three-week Operations and Supply Chain Management program that involved classwork, cultural experiences, and multiple Fortune 500 company plant tours & engagements.

## PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

### **Applied Portfolio Management Program (Ongoing)**

- Helps to manage over 2 million dollars for part of Michigan Tech's endowment fund.
- Created investment policy with a team of 5 other students. Given near full authority to execute trades based on the investment policy statement we designed.
- Gathered professional experience by presenting portfolio and buy reports to the board of trustees.
- Team accountant responsible for providing accurate monthly financial statements.

### **Product Development Sourcing Specialist Intern – Plexus (Summer 2023):**

- Helped Source entire bill of materials for over 7 six-figure plus engineering projects.
- Attended and ran weekly meetings between engineers, suppliers, and customers.
- Responsible for and successfully procured new suppliers to source a custom gas sensor.
- Created standardized quoting and information forms. Created a supplier ranking spreadsheet.

### **Product Development Sourcing Specialist Intern - Plexus (Summer 2024):**

- Resumed responsibilities from the prior summer. Given full responsibility for specific sourcing efforts.
- Sought and obtained exposure to supplier quality engineering.
- Worked closely with the customer and suppliers to find custom solutions on a class III medical project.
- Created a standardized project folder structure for the product development sourcing team.

### **Peplinski Group, Inc. (Winter 2021)**

- Worked closely with the VP of HR to carefully complete data audits ensuring a timely and smooth transition to a new HRIS/Payroll system for over 1,200 employees over 11 companies.

## LEADERSHIP EXPERIENCE

**Finance Club VP & Treasurer:** For nearly three years I helped plan, organize, and lead club meetings, manage the club's budget, and organize annual trips.

**Men's fitness group co-founder:** Started a men's group focusing on well-rounded fitness, discipline, and physical skills. Lead group workouts and plan group activities/events.

## COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT

### **College:**

His House Christian Fellowship  
Pistol Club & Practical Pistol Club

2022-Present

2021-Present

## INTERESTS

Theology | Business | Clay Shooting | Traveling | Fitness | Defense Technology | Learning | Volunteering