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EDUCATION AND AWARDS

University College London, School of Management – MSc Management Sep 2021 – Sep 2022

Expected grade: Distinction; Business focused with frequent case-based learning.

Jun 2022 **HEC Paris**, Summer School – Corporate Finance

Grade: (3.5/4); Investment Banking focused case studies.

Porto Accounting and Business School, Portugal

Jan 2020 – May 2020

Erasmus + traineeship grant completed internship as international relations trainee.

International Business College Mitrovica, Kosovo - BA International Sales and Marketing Vilniaus University of Applied Sciences, Lithuania – BA International Business

Full-ride merit scholar for a BA Double degree diploma with grade: (9.61) first-class equivalent.

University College Lillebaelt, Denmark

• Erasmus+ student mobility grant, completed 4th semester at partner institution.

Aug 2018 – Feb 2019

Oct 2016 – Jun 2020

CAREER HISTORY

Sigma Roc plc, UK - Marketing and Branding Consultant

Mar 2022 – Jun 2022

- Created and advised marketing strategy for building materials in the UK mining and quarrying industry.
- Interviewed CEOs and employees of 5 international companies based in the USA, UK, and Belgium to discover industry issues.
- Identified market potential through statistical market analysis of building material prices and the effect of inflation.

SIT- Center for Counseling, Social Services and Research, Kosovo - Project Assistant

Jul 2021 – Feb 2022

- Led 50+ activities and workshops for youth from different ethnic backgrounds promoting and enhancing social cohesion.
- Negotiated 40,000€ funding grant for 4 community-based initiatives implementation from 4 executive stakeholders.

Youth Educational Club Synergy, Serbia — Project Officer

Sep 2020 – Mar 2021

- Organised Youth Fair marking International Youth Day, mobilised youth groups age 16-30, participated in 40+ workshops.
- Coordinated tendering process for delivery of humanitarian aid in vulnerable areas to 100+ families.

Porto Accounting and Business School, Portugal - International Relations Trainee

Aug 2019 – May 2020

- Developed the marketing strategy for promoting the summer school in 10+ European countries.
- Managed social media pages, ran ads, created 30+ content materials, and designed the official logo.
- Increased audience engagement by 130% by planning the budget proposal for SMM strategy and allocating resources.

HeySuccess.com, UK -HeySuccess.com Internship Challenge

Jan 2020 – May 2020

- Established content marketing and boosted copywriting: 30+ posts in 10 Facebook groups, raised brand awareness by 80%.
- Increased website traffic by 60% by designing the marketing campaign for liveitgreece.com, targeting the French market.
- Awarded No. 1 ranked out of 45 other interns from 25 different countries.

USAID (United States Agency for International Development), Kosovo – Senior Adviser Assistant

Feb 2018 – Aug 2019

- Produced a research paper and conducted the analysis "Development of private sector in North Kosovo with USAID support."
- Enhanced 10+ SME operations from deprived areas by providing grants for capital investment.
- Mastered and implemented best practices in anti-fraud, procurement and low-cost production ability.

EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES

Dubai EXPO 2020 – UCL's student ambassador and representative

Mar 2022

- Presented project proposal at Italian pavilion EXPO School Marathon workshop.
- Advocated in global media interview about the importance of youth representation and empowerment for future expos.

University College London – *Unibuddy Student Ambassador*

Sep 2019 – Jan 2021

- Communicated with 60+ prospective students, resulted in 50% increase in applications.
- Wrote 15+ blogs for UCL's website, increase in web traffic by 130%.

International Business College Mitrovica - Student Ambassador, PR, and Marketing Intern

Mar 2019 – Nov 2019

- Communicated with 15 prospective students, resulted in the enrollment of 5 students for the upcoming year.
- Interviewed by national TV stations 3 times, raised brand awareness by 120%.

Youth Educational Club Synergy – Volunteer and Leader of Women's Team

Sep 2014 – Nov 2019

- Increased female empowerment efforts by educating a cohort of 30+ girls from different backgrounds.
- Awarded "Best Female Volunteer 2019" for the significant 5 years long contribution to the organisation.

Attended courses and workshops with supranational organisations: OSCE, UN, EU, UNICEF, Youth Department Council of Europe.

- Educated in inclusion, dialogue, gender issues, and peacebuilding, certified educator by Western Balkan Institute (WEBIN).
- Developed a vast international network across 5 continents.

LANGUAGES AND SKILLS

- Languages: English (Fluent), Serbian (Croatian, Bosnian, Montenegrin) native; French (fluent); Danish, Chinese beginner.
- Technical Skills: HTML, CSS, JavaScript programming in Sublime, GitHub (https://github.com/AlexandraLazarevic).
- MS Office, Adobe (Photoshop, Illustrator), Google Ads, Social Media Management, Copywriting.