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EDUCATION

Columbia University , Graduate School of Arts and Sciences New York NY, USA <i>Candidate for Master of Arts (M.A.) in Economics, expected December 2018</i>	Sept 2017 – Present
University of St. Gallen (HSG) St. Gallen, Switzerland <i>Bachelor of Arts (B.A. HSG) in Economics, GPA 5.50/6</i> Bachelor's Thesis: <i>The Macroeconomic Effects of the Swiss Franc Shock: An Application of a New Open Economy Model</i> (Advisor: Professor Guido Cozzi)	Sept 2013 – Dec 2016
University of Hong Kong (HKU) Hong Kong SAR, China <i>Exchange program, spring semester 2016, GPA 3.80/4.3</i>	Jan 2016 – May 2016
University of California Los Angeles (UCLA) Los Angeles CA, USA <i>Exchange program, fall quarter 2015, GPA 3.69/4</i>	Sept 2015 – Dec 2015
Seeland Gymnasium Biel (High School) Biel, Switzerland <i>University entrance diploma, specializing in law and economics</i>	Aug 2009 – Jun 2012

WORK EXPERIENCE

BAK Economics , Economic Research & Consultancy Basel, Switzerland <i>Research Intern</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none">Co-authored a model-based study on the fiscal effects of the Swiss corporate tax reformPerformed model simulations and analysis in Excel and updated the input database of the modelImproved the modeling approach by researching and taking into account the latest findings from relevant scientific literatureLed and coordinated a team of interns who collected economic data on the Alpine tourism industry. Initiated changes which not only significantly sped up processes but also improved data accuracy	Apr 2017 – Aug 2017
Youknow.ch , Online Platform for Tutors St. Gallen, Switzerland <i>Private Tutor</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none">Tutored Introductory & Intermediate Micro- and Macroeconomics for first- and second-year studentsClearly communicated complex ideas to studentsAdvised students on effective ways to prepare for exams	Oct 2016 – Mar 2017
Wyss + Partner Treuhand , Trustee's Office Biel, Switzerland <i>Accounting & Auditing Intern</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none">Prepared yearly financial statements and performed audit activitiesAssisted with the accounting and bookkeeping of small and medium-sized businesses	Apr 2013 – Jun 2013

EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES

Coaching Program at the University of St. Gallen (HSG) St. Gallen, Switzerland <ul style="list-style-type: none">Attended seminars on personality development (topics such as leadership and social skills)Received professional coaching during the first year of studies	Sept 2013 – Sept 2014
Seeclub Biel, Rowing Biel, Switzerland <ul style="list-style-type: none">Competed at the national and international level, bronze medalist at the Swiss Championships 2011Contributed to the implementation of club events	Jun 2009 – Present
Swiss Armed Forces, Military Service Thun, Switzerland <i>Reconnaissance Soldier</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none">Completed basic training (21 weeks) and several repetition courses (3-4 weeks each)Worked under pressure in teams consisting of all kinds of people, which required a high degree of discipline and perseverance	Oct 2012 – Mar 2013

LANGUAGE SKILLS

German: Native | **English:** Fluent (TOEFL iBT 112/120) | **French:** Proficient (CEFR C1, grew up bilingual) | **Mandarin:** Basic Knowledge (CEFR A1)

COMPUTER SKILLS

MS Office, esp. **Excel**: Proficient skills | **STATA**: Good skills | **R**: Basic Skills

INTERESTS

Mountainbike tours in the Alps | Literature about history and philosophical topics | Traveling in Southeast Asia and North America