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## Education

September 2011-	<b>Master in Quantitative Finance, Université de la SORBONNE</b> , « Master 2 Finance de marché » (ex DEA Poncet). Paris. Stochastic calculus, Econometry, Vanilla and exotic options pricing and risk management.
2006-2011	<b>ESSEC Business School</b> , Paris. Graduated from a Master's Degree in Business Management and majoring in Market Finance.
2004-2006	<b>Lycee Pierre de Fermat</b> , Toulouse. A preparatory class for the competitive entrance exams to the French Business Schools
2004	<b>Lycee Pierre de Fermat</b> , Toulouse. Baccalauréat 'S' (Sciences, <i>mention bien</i> )

## Business experience

2011 (March to June)	<b>Commerzbank AG, Frankfurt</b> <b>Equity and commodities derivatives, flow trading intern</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Monitored the new issues</li><li>• Updated spreads and margins on Turbos, Warrants, Discount certificates</li><li>• Updated volatility smiles with traders</li><li>• Managed the delta of expiring products</li><li>• Trading tools with VBA</li></ul>
2010-2011 (March to February)	<b>Societe Generale Corporate and Investment Banking, Paris and London</b> <b>Secondary Loan Market, Dealing trainee</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Checked risk limits and all kind of approvals needed for the loan trading</li><li>• Updated and improve database</li><li>• Collected and feed trader of any relevant market information from press releases or external databases</li></ul>
2008 (5 months)	<b>VEOLIA Environnement, Paris</b> <b>Front-Office Intern:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Assisted Treasury traders in daily tasks: managing foreign exchange risk and interest rates risk using the following hedging instruments : fx spot, fx swap, options, ...</li><li>• Answered to pricing requests sent by subsidiaries</li><li>• Strategic focus on emerging markets currencies</li><li>• Prepared daily and weekly market analysis (Forex and Interest Rates key figures) for the top management</li></ul>
2007 (6 months)	<b>AXA Banque, Paris</b> <b>Treasury management services for small companies</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Prepared AXA money funds marketing documents, including performance calculation, for the Sales force</li></ul>

## Languages

French:	native language
English:	fluent
German:	Intermediate

## Computer Skills

- Microsoft Office (Excel, Power Point, Word)
- Visual Basic (Intermediate), Bloomberg, Reuters

## Interests & achievements

Music: Guitar player

Sports: Soccer, Tennis, Swimming, Diving ( "Open water" PADI certified)

Travels in North America (San Diego), Asia (Malaysia and Thailand) and Europe (Germany and England)