

JUSTIN SOFIA

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EDUCATION

The University of Texas at Austin Bachelor of Business Administration, Finance May 2015
Overall GPA: 3.52

EXPERIENCE

DimeSocial – *Software Developer*; Austin, TX July 2015 – Present

- Architected and implemented initial web application backend with MySQL and PHP
- Rebuilt web application backend with RESTful Web Service using Django REST Framework and PostgreSQL
- Built and administered all aspects of application infrastructure using AWS, IBM Bluemix/Softlayer, and Digital Ocean
- Designed internal tools for database management, continuous integration, and deployment automation

KVRX 91.7 FM – *Radio DJ and Host*; Austin, TX Summer 2015 – Present

- Hosted weekly radio show focused on presenting a diverse range of international musical styles
- Researched artists, genres, and musical history across regions to enhance listener experience

Capital Factory – *Venture Capital and Accelerator Associate Intern*; Austin, TX Fall 2014 – Summer 2015

- Assisted accelerator team through deal sourcing and identification of strategic investments
- Evaluated applications to startup accelerator program and interviewed companies with strong potential
- Paired accelerator companies with strategic mentors and angel investors
- Attended events all over Austin to bring entrepreneurs, mentors, and investors into Capital Factory's network

G2X Energy, Inc. – *Financial Analyst and Project Development Intern*; Houston, TX Summer 2014

- Assisted in building complex natural gas-to-gasoline, natural gas-to-methanol, and corporate-level financial models
- Pitched \$2M NPV investment project to G2X board of directors
- Revamped 200+ page information memo pitching \$2.2B G2X gas-to-gasoline project to investors
- Analyzed 3-year basis differentials across 4 natural gas hubs to aid G2X board in hedging strategies

LEADERSHIP EXPERIENCE AND ACTIVITIES

Texas Enactus – *President, VP Finance, Project Manager* Fall 2013 – Spring 2015

- Led team of student professionals in solving social needs through application of entrepreneurial principles
- Doubled organization size, doubled number of philanthropic projects, and achieved record-level member engagement
- Founded Enactus' Business Advisory Board with strategic mentors and funding partners
- Coordinated workshops empowering single mothers in Austin to secure employment

McCombs Diversity Council – *Corporate Relations Committee* Fall 2012

- Assisted in organizing the Interactive Diversity Forum (IDF), MDC's largest event with over 20 Fortune 500 corporate attendees
- Designed marketing materials for IDF

Business Constituency Council – *President* Spring 2012

- Doubled active membership and increased member attendance from 60% to 85%
- Rebuilt the council in face of significant budget cuts, declining membership, and top-level College of Business staffing change

HONORS

- BP Fellows Scholar Fall 2013 – Spring 2014
- University Honors – The University of Texas at Austin Fall 2012 – Fall 2014
- Honor Roll – UT Arlington College of Business Administration Fall 2011 – Spring 2012

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Computer Skills: Python, PHP, JS, C, Java, Django, WordPress, Git, Bash, Unix, Linux, Web Servers, DNS

Interests: Technology, Machine Learning, Artificial Intelligence, Operating Systems, Music, History

Work Eligibility: Eligible to work in the U.S. with no restrictions