

# Christine McCormick

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## **EDUCATION**

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Daniels College of Business, University of Denver, Denver, CO

- M.S. Finance Candidate 2013; Daniels Scholar 09.2011 – Present

Colorado School of Mines, Golden, CO

- B.S. Math and Computer Science 12.2007
- B.S. Metallurgy & Materials Engineering, High Honors 05.2007

## **PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE**

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*Decision Science Analyst* ~ SquareTwo Financial 06.2012 – Present

- Implemented competitive underwriting models to adapt to changing strategies
- Developed tracking and reporting methods for underwriting and operational performance
- Promoted from intern to part-time analyst at a higher hourly rate

*Graduate Research Assistant* ~ Daniels College of Business 09.2011 – Present

- Analyzed the impact of constraints on investment returns using statistical methods
- Resolved inconsistencies and errors that enabled a financial research project to continue
- Improved the data collection process and expanded the data set by 25% in six months

*Software Engineer I/II* ~ Raytheon 01.2008 – 02.2011

- Investigated the root cause of defects in a software project with billions of lines of code
- Contributed to the scheduling software team as the only new hire within several years and exceeded the expectations of an entry-level employee
- Earned an early promotion and a raise three times higher than the average
- Created more efficient methods to fix defects by applying existing tools in creative ways
- Trusted by systems/test engineering teams and management to develop accurate solutions
- Built a prototype used to win a new multi-million-dollar contract in a strategic area and earned bonuses worth over 6% of my salary

## **PROJECT EXPERIENCE**

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*Marsico Investment Fund* 09.2012 – Present

- Managed the current investments in the Industrials and Information Technology sectors.

*Case Competitions* 01.2012 – 02.2012

- 2012 ACG Cup, Second Place in DU Competition; 2012 Race and Case, Team Captain

*Catalyst Project* ~ Net Impact / Saunders Construction 10.2011 – 02.2012

- Standardized carbon emissions tracking and created a supply chain sustainability survey

## **LEADERSHIP ACTIVITIES**

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*M.S. Student Representative* ~ Graduate Business Student Association 09.2011 – 12.2012

- Connected students with networking events and opportunities to improve the community

*Club President/Former Area Governor/CTM/CL* ~ Toastmasters International 08.2004 – 01.2012

- Mentored people in public speaking enabling them to excel personally and professionally
- Assisted leadership team in planning events, recruiting members and meeting club goals

## **TECHNICAL EXPERTISE**

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- Programming experience (1-9 years): C++, Java/J2EE, Python, Perl, SQL, VBA
- Numerical Modeling with SAS, R, Excel, and MATLAB
- Statistical Process Control, XP/agile development, design patterns, software life cycle