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Nationality: Lebanese

#### **EDUCATION**

PHD in Economic and Organizational Sociology Sept 2020-

ISEG, Lisbon-Portugal

Msc in Business Management - Human Resources Management,

Edinburgh Napier, Scotland-UK Jan 2018 – May 2019

BAS in Biology,

Lebanese American University, Jbeil - Lebanon Sept 2013 – June 2017

#### **EXPERIENCE SUMMARY**

### Business Development Representative at Finastra – Lisbon, Portugal

Apr 2021

Finastra is the third largest Fintech in the world and provides the top software technology to 90 of the world's largest banks.

#### **Achievements**

- Generating more than 1.5 million Euros in sales pipeline for the region I was overseeing (North-west Europe)
- Improving my knowledge on different aspects of banking and business technology.
- Consulting with senior leadership on projects such as Banking as a Service and Platformification.
- Creating a go to market strategy and owning the sale-cycle of an app called Vector Risk that calculates multiple risk measures

#### Talent Performance Management Intern at AZADEA Group - Beirut, Lebanon

Nov 2019 - Jun 2020

Azadea Group is a premier lifestyle retail company that owns and operates more than 50 leading international franchise concepts across the Middle East and Africa.

## **Achievements**

- Composing Exams on LMS (Learning Management System) for different positions within the organization.
- Assisting in the creation of PDPs (Personal Development Plans) for the holders of different positions in the organization.
- Generating courses for the Leadership Program on topics such as people management, and performance improvement.
- Analyzing and summarizing data regarding emotional intelligence, reasoning abilities, and competencies such as (strategic thinking, relationship building, change management), for the HIPO program.
- Creating a course for HR personnel on how to properly investigate grievances.

#### Human Resources Summer Intern at ELARD Group – Beirut, Lebanon

June 2018 - Aug 2018

### **Achievements**

- Restructuring Human Resources Department.
- Altering employee evaluation sheets to include more comprehensive Key performance indicators
- Recommending specialized training for different positions.
- Performing key Human Resources tasks.
- Applying and integrating the Ashridge sense of mission model.

## **VOLUNTEER**

## Oum Al Nour - Kesserwan, Lebanon

June 2014 - Sept 2014

Oum el Nour is committed to serving individuals through helping them overcome their addiction, in order to attain a healthy society characterized by sustainable growth.

## **Achievements**

• Charity for the people in need – patients with addiction on substances.

## **KEY SKILLS**

- Problem Solving skills
- Leadership skills
- Excellent communication skills
- Strategic & Analytical Thinking
- Time Management
- Planning and Organizing

- Research
- Fluent in written and spoken English, French and Arabic
- Excellent use of Microsoft Word, Excel, Power point
- Learning Management System