

CHRISTOPHER CLEMENT

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EDUCATION

THE UNIVERSITY OF TEXAS AT AUSTIN, McCombs School of Business – Austin, Texas **May 2010**

Master of Business Administration, Full-Time Program

- Concentration in Energy Finance
- Member - Energy Finance Group & Graduate Finance Association

SAINT LOUIS UNIVERSITY, John Cook School of Business – St. Louis, Missouri **May 2003**

Bachelor of Science in Business Administration

- Concentration in Management Information Systems

EXPERIENCE

LAFITTE CAPITAL MANAGEMENT – Austin/Houston, Texas **Summer 2009**

Analyst Intern – Oil & Gas Industry

- Developed revenue forecasting models based on disclosed hedge positions for small and mid-cap publicly traded E&P companies in order to better assess earnings visibility for current and potential fund investments
- Researched historical margin trends for refineries during various crack spread and finished product pricing environments and presented findings to the fund portfolio managers, leading to an increased investment in one particular fund position

MBA INVESTMENT FUND, LLC – Austin, Texas **2008 - Present**

Portfolio Manager/Analyst

- One of twenty-one students selected through a formal application and interview process to actively manage value, growth, and fixed-income portfolios with total assets of \$11.5 MM

JNK SECURITIES CORP. – Kansas City, Missouri **2007 - 2008**

Associate – Institutional Equity Sales

- Co-founded the Kansas City sales office to expand JNK's presence throughout the Midwest
- Sourced new potential business opportunities for JNK's industry consultant research model by leveraging existing client relationships and fostering new client relationships
- Collaborated with JNK's industry consultant network to translate extensive industry knowledge into value-added independent equity research

PRUDENTIAL EQUITY GROUP, LLC - New York, New York **2005 - 2007**

Senior Equity Sales Associate (2006 - 2007)

- Member of the \$15 MM+ equity sales team covering the major institutional money managers and mutual fund companies in Minneapolis, Kansas City, St. Louis, and Texas
- Managed client relationships with buy-side analysts and portfolio managers, some responsible for funds with assets under management exceeding \$30 B
- Coordinated and hosted client meetings with Prudential's research analysts and company management teams

Equity Research Assistant (2005 - 2006)

- Member of the #2 ranked Small-Cap Strategy team according to Institutional Investor magazine
- Provided analysis, data, and insight to clients for index rebalancing, specifically the Russell family of indices
- Built custom-made screens using Factset to gather stocks based upon a wide-range of technical, economic, and fundamental characteristics
- Provided mutual fund managers with relative performance data and reports using the Lipper Analytical System
- Interacted with clients on strategy, index performance, and portfolio management issues and provided solutions to client requests
- Drafted and published research notes detailing the results of the financial models and studies

ADDITIONAL

- NCAA Division 1 Swimmer – Saint Louis University, 1999-2003
- Mentor and Fundraiser for Boys and Girls Club of Kansas City
- Volunteer Assistant Swim Coach, Rockhurst High School (Kansas City, MO)
- **Citizenship:** United States