

# Asher Neil

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## EDUCATION

**B.S. Finance - University of Wyoming** – Laramie, Wyoming

**Graduated May 2024**

- Coursework in Accounting, Financial Modeling, Advanced Corporate Finance, IT/Supply Chain Management, Financial Statement Analysis
- GPA: 3.45/4.0

## PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

**Investment Analyst, Northern Trust** – Chicago, IL

**January 2025 – Present**

*Collaborated with Northern Trust's global client base, including ultra-high-net-worth individuals, institutional investors, and family offices, to deliver custody and valuation reporting for complex alternative investment portfolios.*

- **Asset performance analysis:** Directed the reconciliation for performance of private equity, hedge fund, and real estate assets via due diligence compliant with Northern Trust's accounting principles.
- **Total account audit:** Managed the whole lifecycle of alternative asset performance audit reporting, delivering monthly performance audits for key institutional clients, often under significant time pressures.
- **Relationship management:** Served as touch point and primary liaison for relationship managers on all matters related to wire direction, external transactions, and special procedures.
- **Cash flow audit:** Worked with internal teams to reconcile discrepancies in asset contributions and distributions, aligning internal balances with real cash amounts.
- **Internal communications:** Facilitated multiple internal standard procedures involving liaising between domestic and international teams, escalating as needed to meet regular deadlines.

**Investment Analyst Intern, University of Wyoming Foundation** – Laramie, WY

**May 2024 – August 2024**

*Selected for a highly competitive internship for the team that manages the university's \$800M+ endowment fund, joined a 6-person investment team, gaining valuable hands-on experience in a variety of public equity and equity research activities.*

- **Proposed new investment opportunities:** Conducted research for, prepared presentations, and presented a \$5,000,000 specialty finance investment, achieving unanimous support from board.
- **Financial modeling:** Built and maintained large financial models with automated features using Visual Basic macros as well as Bloomberg Terminal Add-In features.
- **Investment analysis:** Researched and analyzed much of the firm's portfolio and investment opportunities, gathering and analyzing financial data from various sources, including Bloomberg, company filings, and internal sources.
- **Risk Underwriting:** Created models that underwrite companies for money market instrument transaction viability, resulting in integration into larger models and use in daily commercial paper transactions.
- **Artificial Intelligence Integration:** Utilized ChatGPT and other AI tools to automate and improve efficiencies in data manipulation, code writing, and model consistency.

**Warehouse Generalist, Diagnostic Support Services** – Lombard, IL

**May 2021 – August 2023**

*First member of the warehouse team at start-up laboratory supply services company and played a key role in developing and laying the foundation for future warehouse operations.*

- **Logistic oversight:** Monitored inbound and outbound shipments of medical diagnostic kits through FedEx, UPS, and USPS portals, adhering to the compliance standards of individual customers.
- **SOP development:** Reviewed and executed warehouse SOPs and helped develop new SOPs as additional customers were onboarded to guarantee efficiency within the warehouse.
- **Employee training:** As business operations grew, coached and trained multiple new warehouse associates.

## KEY SKILLS

Financial Modeling; Accounting; Account Management; Cross-Team Collaboration; Microsoft Office; Artificial Intelligence.

## SYSTEMS EXPERIENCE

Microsoft Excel; Visual Basic; Microsoft Word; Microsoft PowerPoint; Microsoft Copilot; Zoom; Salesforce; OpenAI Software; Bloomberg Terminal; SS&C.