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University of Chicago Business Economics and Fundamentals
candidate building The Nash Lab / Hivemind, an AI-augmented
strategic analysis software startup. Experience spans U.S. Senate
policy research, fintech market analysis, film development, and
student entrepreneurship programs.

education

Bachelor of Arts in Business Economics and Fundamentals · University of Chicago

Expected June 2029

Chicago, IL · GPA 3.9/4.0

- Relevant coursework: Arabic foundations, multivariable calculus, political theory foundations, philosophy foundations.

High School Diploma · The American School in London

June 2025

London, UK · GPA 3.9/4.0 · SAT 1540

- AP Scholar with Distinction; earned top scores of 5 on 11 Advanced Placement exams.

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experience

Intern • Office of Senator Ted Cruz, U.S. Senate

June 2025 – August 2025

Washington, D.C.

- Authored three 10+ page reports on military, energy, and space policy strategy used to inform senior staff decision-making.
- Compiled a 50-page NDA-compliant notebook synthesizing government data and senior insight.
- Managed constituent communications and attended senior-level briefings across military and policy strategy.

Intern • Octaura

July 2023; July 2024 – August 2024

Fintech startup, New York City

- Interviewed 20+ team members to produce a 30-page market and product primer now used in new-hire onboarding.
- Researched CLO and syndicated loan markets with senior traders from Citi and Bank of America.

Development Intern • DNA Films

June 2023; June 2024 – July 2024

Film production company, London

- Analyzed 10 scripts, books, and pilots for commercial viability.
- Developed 10+ original horror feature concepts with the Head of Development.
- Continued advisory relationship with the former Head of Development after her transition to a new production firm.

Leadership & activities

Founder & CEO • The Nash Lab / Hivemind

October 2025 – Present

Strategic analytical software startup, Chicago

- Building AI-augmented analytical software to democratize elite corporate and academic strategic analysis.
- Public project site: www.thenashlab.com.

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Trott Emerging Business Leaders Program

September 2025 - Present

Selective three-year business education program, Chicago

- Developing business acumen through weekly workshops, Training the Street coursework, and future coursework at Chicago Booth.
- Selected for entrepreneurship and technology immersion trips to Houston and San Francisco.

Accepted Member • ILC Entrepreneurship September 2025 - Present

Selective startup incubator and entrepreneurship program, Chicago

- Collaborate directly with founders whose companies have combined enterprise value above \$1B.

Member → Grade Representative → Vice President → President • ASL Investment Club

August 2020 - June 2024

Investment-focused lunch club, London

- Scaled membership to 50+ and led coursework on CLOs and syndicated loans.
- Identified, approached, and secured speakers including the CEO of Shell and the founder of MyTaxi.

skills

Languages fluent Spanish • conversational Arabic • conversational Hungarian

Technical Excel financial modeling • PowerPoint • Python • Java • Final Cut Pro • Final Draft 12 • Scrivener • Sibelius

Research business research • market research • policy strategy • game theory • philosophy

Interests satirical comedy writing • piano • acting • golf • varsity rowing

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