

# Kaerod Amare

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## EDUCATION

### Syracuse University, Martin J. Whitman School of Management

*Candidate for Bachelor of Science*

**Syracuse, NY**

May 2022

**Major:** Finance | **Minor:** Data Analytics | **GPA:** 3.57/4.00

**Relevant Coursework:** Corporation Finance, Business Analytics, Probability and Statistics, Managing in a Global Setting, Financial and Managerial Accounting, Introduction to Strategic Management, Financial Management, Investments, Fixed Income Securities

## PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

### Deutsche Bank

*Sales, Trading and Structuring Intern*

**New York, NY**

June 2021 – August 2021

- Rotated through, Foreign Exchange Risk Management Solutions, Equity Sales, and Investment Grade Credit Trading

### BLK Capital Management

*Equity Research Analyst*

**Boston, MA**

September 2020 – Present

- 100% black owned and student run long/short equity hedge fund that strives to promote the financial education of talented black students around the nation through active money management
- Work with fellow analysts from around the nation to manage a portfolio, perform equity research, and prepare for a career in the financial services industry
- Pitch a stock in front of investment professionals at the end of a rigorous, six-month introductory investing education program covering qualitative analysis, accounting, comparable company analysis, revenue projection models, and DCF valuation

### Syracuse University Office of Student Living

*Resident Advisor*

**Syracuse, NY**

August 2019 – May 2021

- Oversee 700+ students within the residential building to ensure a safe living environment conducive to student success
- Plan and implement community engagement programs to create a residential learning experience to ensure safety, inclusion, community and engaged citizenship

### Ernst and Young

*Launch Intern*

**Baltimore, MD**

July 2020 – August 2020

- Organized projects with a variety of teams to gain insight into the operations of Ernst and Young's global organization
- Generated analytical Excel spreadsheets and PowerPoints for EY professionals across different service lines to present to their clients

## LEADERSHIP & ACTIVITIES

### SEO Career

*SEO Success Fellow*

**New York, NY**

January 2020 – Present

- Receive 50+ hours of individualized coaching and online instruction to achieve targeted interview, technical, and professional developmental goals
- Explore the Investment Banking track via webinars, events, exposure to industry professionals, and professional/peer networking
- Complete industry-specific training and assessments focused on developing interview skills, technical skills, and business fundamentals

### Alpha Kappa Psi, Professional Business Fraternity

*Vice President of Finance*

**Syracuse, NY**

February 2019 – Present

- Handle membership fees and administer payments on behalf of the organization
- Planned and executed an annual Education Gala for 100+ members of the community that supports scholarship initiatives for university
- Increased scholarship donation by 30% for high school students in the Syracuse area
- Administered a committee to create a budget, gather student organizations to perform, secure catering, and reserve a venue

### Syracuse University Investment Club

*Macro Portfolio Research Analyst*

**Syracuse, NY**

September 2018 – Present

- Participate in weekly meetings to discuss our current portfolio of \$140,000, market news, and deliberate on pitches of equities and bonds for potential investment
- Compete in a MarketWatch Trading Challenge where members managed their own \$100,000 portfolios and gained an understanding of how to allocate assets across diversified groups

### Syracuse Club Tennis Team

*A Team #1 Doubles*

**Syracuse, NY**

September 2018 – Present

- Runner-up in the 2018-2019 USTA Tennis on Campus Eastern Championships
- Dedicate 10+ hours a week at practice to improve technique and agility

## COMMUNITY SERVICE

### Saint Michaels Ethiopian Orthodox Tewahedo Church

*Co-Organizer*

**Washington, DC**

June 2016 – Present

- Direct the facilitation of food and clothes to underprivileged individuals at a local homeless shelter
- Oversee and execute the gift wrapping and sorting of gifts to hundreds of homeless DC natives

## SKILLS & INTERESTS

**Microsoft Office:** Certified in MS Excel, Proficient in MS Office, Bloomberg Certified (Equity, Fixed-Income, Commodities and FX)

**Languages:** Spanish, Amharic

**Interests:** International travel, tennis, football, Shark Tank TV series, and cross training