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EXPERIENCE

09.2018 – Present LTD “Fulcrum” – Project Manager

Fintech company operating in Blockchain industry such as Mining, Exchange, Loan projects. Appointed as project manager and leading the crypto exchange project implementing IT software, communicating with banks, obtaining licenses and making IT infrastructure, together with Financial projections and modeling.

11.2015 – Present JSC “Crowdfund” – Co-founder

First Equity Based Crowdfunding Platform in Georgia (www.Crowdfund.ge). Currently our team is working together with National Bank of Georgia and GITA on changing the existing regulations according to JOBS ACT.

06.2017-09.2018 – JSC “Bank of Georgia” – Corporate Banker

The BOG Bank is a leading corporate lender in the country with deep sector knowledge and local expertise. Took part as Corporate Banker in development sector financing and analyzing one of the top projects in Tbilisi (Axis Towers, Kind David, City Mall and many more).

12.2013-06.2017 – Georgian Co-Investment Fund and related projects

GCF is the largest private equity fund in Georgia holding 6 bn USD dedicated for agriculture, development, manufacturing and other industries. Holding Investment analyst position in agriculture sector, have been analyzing, forming financial models for different companies and projects. Have been invited in US as the investment analyst by one of the beneficiary company. Later on, have been appointed as CFO of the subsidiary company of GCF in agriculture industry.

projects: **Georgian Greenhouse Corporation** – appointed as CFO (2015-2016)

Bitfury Group – Invited in US head office as Investment Analyst (2014-2015)

11.2011-11.2013 – PriceWaterhouseCoopers – Consultant

Participated in Internal and external (financial) audits of the government held and private companies. Starting as the assistant – promoted to consultant-A2 level.

Education

2007-2011 **Caucasus University, Caucasus School of Business**

Bachelor of Business Administration

Obtained 100% government grant

2011-2013 **Association of Chartered Certified Accountants -ACCA**

F1 Accountant in Business

F2 Management Accounting

F3 Financial Accounting

F4 Corporate and Business Law

F7 Financial Reporting (International)

Languages:

- Georgian (Native proficiency)
- English (Full professional proficiency)
- Russian (Professional working proficiency)

Additional:

- Have been part of Self-government organization in Caucasus University. Selected of Head of Education and Science Department. Conducted several events, intellectual and competitive games and presentations.
- Have basic (Beginner) knowledge of Visual Basic 6.0 programming language and VBA.
- Have good understanding of Blockchain and crypto currencies.