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Professional Experience

1. Project Manager - [TransPerfect](#) (June 2021 - October 2021)

Main Role: Ensure translation projects obtain the right resources to complete in time and under budget

- **Asynchronous communication** with international vendors from different timezones
- Oversee the project lifecycle given client specifications, budgets and delivery dates
- **Performed QA** and cut production errors by 20%, lead times by 15% and costs by 38%
- Be a liaison between the production team and the client during the project's life cycle and manage changes in the scope of work

2. IT Project Management Intern - [Illinois State University](#) (Aug 2020 - May 2021)

Main Role: Manage and coordinate the development of the IT infrastructure for Illinois State University

- Developed strategies for handling multiple parallel IT projects that met user requirements
- Improved project turnover rate by 20% using **Gantt charts** to track and guide progression
- Assist in the maintenance of the project by providing details of the **project scope**, frequent progress reports and regular issue resolution

3. Business Technology Solutions Development Intern - [Abbvie](#) (May 2018 - Aug 2018)

Main Role: Research and gather client requirements for the product team to use when creating tech solutions

- Identified technical business opportunities to help Abbvie with client acquisition
- Met with local clients to gather business requirements to deliver a technical solution
- Transcribed meetings into notes and distributed them for future meeting agendas
- Analyzed existing databases to reduce data redundancy that caused business challenges

Educational Background

1. Bachelor of Science (Information Systems) - Illinois State University (Aug 2017 - May 2021)

- Coursework includes project management, **UML diagrams**, understanding technical architecture and managing technical business requirements
- Managed and developed Indian Student Association (ISA) - President
- Dean's List Honoree in the Fall 2020 semester
- Minor in Business Administration

Additional Skills and Accomplishments

- 3rd place in a Mobile App Development contest held by State Farm at Illinois State
- Experience with building out the frontend of a webpage with **HTML** and **CSS**
- Getting, filtering and analyzing data from databases such as **MySQL** with **SQL** queries
- Using tools such as **Zapier** or **Siri Shortcuts** to connect web services together and create useful automated flows
- Experience working with data stored in a **JSON** or **XML** file
- Proficient with **Microsoft Office Suite** tools