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Education

2009-2014 YALE UNIVERSITY

New Haven, USA

PhD in Molecular Biophysics and Biochemistry, GPA 3.86 / 4.00. Howard Hughes Medical Institute (HHMI) International Student Research Fellow: <50 awardees/year, full tuition & stipend until graduation. Chair of Yale Graduate Student Consulting Club and Editor-in-Chief of Yale Journal of Biology and Medicine. Published 2 first-author papers in peer reviewed journals. Tutored +40 students on Mathematics in Biophysics for 2 semesters.

2005-2009 FUDAN UNIVERSITY

Shanghai, China

B.S in Biological Sciences, GPA 3.78 / 4.00, ranked 1st of 174. Chun-Tsung Distinguished Scholar, Won No.1 in National Biology Olympiad of Shanghai Division. Awarded multiple Corporate Scholarships and Collegiate Honors. Inducted into the Chinese Crystallographic Society.

Experience

06-08/2013 BAIN & COMPANY

Singapore

Associate Consultant Intern

Increased trade spend returns for a beer company with \$1B annual revenue in Southeast Asia by analyzing ROI
of trade spend on key accounts and prioritizing channels with high profitability to attract next-generation
consumers

2009-2013 YALE LEADERSHIP POSITIONS

New Haven, USA

Chair of Yale Graduate Student Consulting Club

- 7x increase in offers extended to club members at top 3 consulting firms by launching 2 annual club case competitions, inaugural club casebook, workshops and one-on-one interview coaching
- Led 4-member executive board in structuring the club into as a non-profit legal entity with positive free cash flow, >\$2,000 net asset, >500 members, and established relationships with major firms and clubs

Finance Co-Chair of 2012 Yale Healthcare Conference

• Raised ~\$50,000 funding for the conference by contacting Yale Alumni and healthcare related companies, of which 90% converted to long term sponsors supporting 2013 conference

Editor-in-Chief of Yale Journal of Biology and Medicine

• Shortened review time by 50% while increasing the number of first-year-citations by 60% via implementing prereview protocol with 10-member editorial board and facilitating reviewers-authors communication

Publicity & Promotion Officer of Yale Journal of Biology and Medicine

• Tripled submissions via personalized direct marketing to 100+ research institutes by writing a script to automate a mailing system to create a mass marketing email campaign

10-12/2011 NOVATRACT SURGICAL

New Haven, USA

Yale Tech Venture Consultant

• Recommended market entry strategy of a less invasive laparoscopic device for acute care with ~\$230 price point unit by benchmarking competitors, interviewing with decision makers of top 50 US hospitals

04-06/2011 BRANDWIDTH GLOBAL

New Haven, USA

Part-time analyst

Developed an "enhance inner balance" branding strategy of a cold-treatment drug to match Chinese patients' emotional needs via analyses of 1000+ posts from top 10 Chinese online forums and major social media

Publications

- **Zhou, A. Q.**, C. S. O'Hern, L. Regan. 2012. The power of hard-sphere models: Explaining side-chain dihedral angle distributions of Thr and Val. *Biophys. J.* **102**:2345-2352.
- **Zhou, A. Q.,** C. S. O'Hern, L. Regan. 2011. Revisiting the Ramachandran plot from a new angle. *Prot. Sci.* **20**:1166-1171.

Personal

1st place team member of 2013 Alcoa Case Competition on entry strategy into Chinese Aluminum auto sheet market. 2nd place team member of 2011 Johnson & Johnson Case Competition on managing cancer drug shortage and midterm oncology drug supply portfolio. Yale School of Management enrollment in "Private Equity", "Competitive Strategy", "Influence and Persuasion", etc. Proficient in C++, MATLAB, LaTeX and HTML. Native Shanghaiese and Mandarin Chinese. Interested in psychology, Chinese medicine, astrology and classical music