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Lemons to Lemonade



Student Success Stories of Summer 2020

Yasmeen Zoheir at Johnson, Kendall & Johnson, Inc.

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Every year, Risk Management and Actuarial Science students from Temple University's Fox School of Business use the summer months to take the tools and skills learned in the classroom and apply them in the industry. 2020 has been a year of many unique challenges, but this past summer has been no exception for our students' grit. We are proud to recognize members who continued their pursuit to interact and engage with the industry by seeking out opportunities from organizations such as the Casualty Actuarial Society (CAS), Insurance Society of Philadelphia (ISOP), the Wholesale & Specialty Insurance Association (WSIA), the Gamma Iota Sigma Grand Chapter, and various firms for non-traditional externships.

Yasmeen Zoheir, a Risk Management and Insurance major, had arranged to participate in The Graham Company's summer internship program. She realized she had to readjust her summer plans by the end of April, giving her time to search for alternatives. Yasmeen maintained a positive mindset and began exploring companies that were still hiring students for internships. She came across an opportunity to virtually interview with Johnson, Kendall & Johnson, Inc. Shortly after, Yasmeen received an offer for a virtual summer internship.

Johnson, Kendall & Johnson, Inc. (JKJ) is an insurance broker located in Newtown, Pennsylvania. While interning at JKJ, Yasmeen was able to apply concepts learned in the classroom to the workplace. She had utilized the vast networking opportunities offered and became familiar with the workplace duties of JKJ employees. Yasmeen reflected very positively on the internship, stating several key takeaways. While the current circumstances reflected feelings of nervousness and uncertainty, staying optimistic had gone a long way for her. Yasmeen emphasized how important it is to remain confident, motivated, and adaptable, as these qualities ultimately helped her partake in an internship she will never forget. To hear Yasmeen speak more about her experiences, click here!



Yasmeen Zoheir Risk Management and Insurance, May 2021

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