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Education: Miami University, B.S. in Finance with a Minor in Entrepreneurship
(Cum Laude GPA 3.74, 2005)

Work Experience: Analyst, Deloitte Consulting (August, 2005 - March, 2007)
Corporate strategy & operational Improvement consulting projects for clients throughout the United States.

Work Experience: Director, Autumnwood Group (March, 2007 - May, 2018)
Real estate company specializing in suburban single family rental homes.

Work Experience: Co-Founder & Partner, New City Homes (2015- Present)
Home building and real estate investment with a focus on urban in-fill construction, existing property redevelopment, and community revitalization.

Work Experience: Co-Founder & Partner, CBUS OZ FUNDS (2019- Present)
Qualified Opportunity Zone Fund that invests in the renovation of dilapidated properties within the neighborhoods surrounding downtown Columbus.

Community Involvement

- Board Member (Franklinton Special Improvement District, Aug 2020 – Present)
- Donor & Volunteer (Homeless Families Foundation, Nov 2019 – Present)
- Commissioner, Treasurer & Executive Board (Franklinton Area Commission, Oct 2019 – Present)
- Volunteer (Columbus Litter League, May 2019 – Present)
- Fundraiser & Volunteer (Gladden Community House, Oct 2018 – Present)
- Volunteer (Realtor Care Day- Milo Grogan, 2018-2019)
- Volunteer (Habitat for Humanity, 2017 – Present)
- Fundraiser & Donor (Pancreatic Cancer Action Network, June 2013 – Present)
- Donor (Alzheimer's Association, 2012 – Present)
- Donor (Mid-Ohio Food Panty, 2011 – Present)
- Volunteer & Donor (FLIP- Fight, Live, Inspire, Prevent; 2010 – Present)
- Big Brother (Big Brothers Big Sisters, Jan 2009 – June 2012)

Professional Recognition

- *40 Under 40* Honoree (Class of 2021), Columbus Business First
- 2020 Largest Central Ohio Homebuilders – Columbus Business First, Sept 10th, 2021
- 2019 Largest Central Ohio Homebuilders – Columbus Business First, Sept 11th, 2020
- 2019 Investment of the Year – Central Ohio Real Estate Entrepreneurs, December 2019