# **Montavius Jones**

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#### **EDUCATION**

Marquette University, Milwaukee, WI

December 2015

Bachelor of Science in Business Administration

Area of Focus: Commercial Real Estate

Technical Training: ARGUS, proforma generation, Xceligent, CoStar, Appfolio, RFP, valuation

#### **EXPERIENCE**

### Department of City Development, Milwaukee, WI

April 2016

### **Economic Development Specialist**

- Develop and implement strategies to attract businesses, customers, and residents to commercial corridors
- Ensure all business improvement districts in the City are compliant with WI State statute
- Review and process grant applications for commercial property owners totaling over \$1M each year

#### Milwaukee Downtown, BID #21

June 2014-August 2015

## **Economic Development Intern**

- Assembled a list of 30+ national site selectors and researched their background information to begin building the framework for a site selector program for downtown Milwaukee
- Updated the milwaukeedowntown.com business directory with over 100 downtown business profiles including photos and business details
- Actively keep our investment map updated with investment data and values in downtown Milwaukee for marketing and recruiting purposes

### Cushman-Wakefield: The Boerke Company, Milwaukee, WI Brokerage Intern

September 2013-May 2014

- Created marketing materials for office, industrial and retail sale or lease listings
- Posted property listing info on real estate websites in order to increase their exposure
- Researched property info including demographics, zoning, ownership, taxes, assessment, traffic counts, and aerial mapping
- Collected sales and lease comps for office, industrial and retail properties in order to prepare quarterly reports

### Community Preservation & Development Corp., Washington, D.C. Real Estate Development Intern

September-December 2012

- Researched area rent rates for nine properties for comparisons in order to make informed purchase decisions
- Prepared spreadsheets for resident data such as income, age, and family size to assist in determining renovation details

### Guaranty Bank, Brown Deer, WI

June-August 2012

# Community Reinvestment Intern

- Tracked Guaranty's donation funds to prepare for OCC regulatory assessment
- Made initial contact with seven states' housing departments to connect Guaranty with their Hardest Hit Funds initiative which helped prevent foreclosures
- Maintained Guaranty's Community Connections website which served as an informational site for employees to get involved in the community and see how we have impacted the community

#### **ACTIVITIES**

KK Ave. BID #44, Visioning Committee Member

April 2105-Present

Path to Platinum, Work Group

August 2016-Present