INTERESTED IN EXPLORING CAREERS IN CORPORATE BANKING?

The “LEARN & SHADOW PROGRAM” may be for you!

The program has been developed by the New England Chapter of THE RISK MANAGEMENT ASSOCIATION (RMA) to introduce college students to career opportunities in the banking industry. Participating students will visit onsite with banks who will introduce them to the corporate lending process from review of a loan package, to credit risk analysis and decisioning, to loan closing.

Participating institutions are anticipated to be:

**Citizens Bank**  **Boston Private Bank**  
**Brookline Bank**  **TD Bank**  **Santander Bank**

**GREAT ADDITIONAL BENEFIT!** Accepted applicants will become Student Members of the Risk Management Association and qualify to apply for RMA Foundation scholarships during their junior and senior years of college.

**PROGRAM FORMAT** – The “Learn & Shadow Program” will take place in corporate offices of banks in Boston’s Financial District or Downtown.

Only apply if you are available on **all of the following five days from Noon – 4PM**.

**Monday March 5 – Friday March 9, 2018**

**TO APPLY** – The program is open to juniors and seniors. A major in Finance or Accounting is preferred but not required. The program has only 8 spots and is competitive. **DEADLINE is December 1, 2017.**
Commercial Banking LEARN & SHADOW PROGRAM
for COLLEGE JUNIORS AND SENIORS
BOSTON, MA    March 5 – March 9, 2018

STUDENT APPLICATION

Your application package will consist of:

1. This Student Application
2. Brief essay explaining why you’re interested in exploring careers in commercial banking (maximum 250 words on p. 2 or attached)
3. Professor Recommendation

Candidates should submit a completed application package no later than December 1, 2017 to learnandshadow@rmanewengland.org

APPLICANT INFORMATION:

Name:
Address:
City, State, Zip:
Telephone:
Email Address:

RMA AFFILIATION:

Circle appropriate answer
RMA Student Member?       YES  NO
Have taken and passed an RMA-affiliated undergraduate credit analysis course?
                                YES  NO  If yes, at what school? _________________
Currently enrolled in an RMA-affiliated undergraduate credit analysis course?
                                YES  NO  If yes, at what school? _________________
Credit Essentials Certificate (CEC) holder?
                                YES  NO
Attended RMA events? If so, please list: __________________________________________
In 250 words or less, tell us why you are interested in exploring careers in commercial banking. Please use the space below, or submit your essay separately.

Submitted by: _____________________________  Date: _____________
To: Academic Initiatives Chair
Date: Academic Initiatives Chair

Risk Management Association, New England Chapter

By email to: learnandshadow@rmanewengland.org

Subject: LEARN & SHADOW PROGRAM

I am pleased to write a letter of recommendation for [name of student]. I highly recommend [name of student] for RMA New England’s Learn & Shadow Program.

I have known [name of student] for the past [number of months, semesters, years] as [he/she] has taken the following courses that I teach: [list courses, give brief description of content of course]. As [his/her] professor, I have had an opportunity to observe [his/her] participation and interaction in class and to evaluate [name of student]'s knowledge of the subject matter. [He/she] is an outstanding student in all respects. [Give one or two specific examples of the student’s performance].

[His/her] [list three key traits] suit [him/her] well for a potential career in commercial banking.

Sincerely,

[Professor Name]

Phone number

Email Address]