

Barry Meng

Finance graduate focused on reliable analysis and clear communication in fast-paced teams

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Summary

Detail-oriented and systems-minded graduate with strong interests in finance, technology, and automation. I combine careful, high-accuracy work with practical problem-solving whether it's streamlining workflows, building tools, or communicating analysis to stakeholders. Seeking a role across Finance, Risk and Advisory.

Experience

Assistant Accountant

Sep '2024 - Present

VHL Partners, Victoria, Australia

- Owned end-to-end BAS preparation for **20+** clients per quarter using Xero/QBO.
- Built an **Excel-based GST** reconciliation model to cross-check GST results and catch discrepancies pre-lodgement.
- Oversaw delivery for a multi-entity client, finalising all year-end financials under deadline pressure.
- Onboarded **3 new hires** into team workflows and quality expectations, walking them through processes/tools and acting as a go-to for questions.
- Designed and delivered an **online presentation** on rental property tax consequences to 8 real estate agents, giving practical guidance.

Education

B.Com Hons. (Actuarial Studies, Finance)

2023 - 2026

University of Melbourne

- Sponsorship Director for HackMelbourne [2024]
 - Secured 3+ sponsorships and partnerships by drafting compelling prospectuses
 - Managed team workload and deadlines, mentoring a 4-person sub-team
- RECS team member [2023-2024]
 - Coordinate development efforts with the software team for robot localisation
- URT software team member [2024]
 - Coordinate with the autonomous team to complete the autonomous module

Projects

- Lynk (piano.bazza.space)
- A node-based tool for linking objects to concepts.
 - Lynk enables users to organize and visualize relationships between different entities through an interactive node-based interface.
 - Written with the help of Claude.ai

Pianos @ Unimelb

2024

piano.bazza.space

- Created piano.bazza.space, a web app mapping campus pianos to assist with people who want to locate pianos on campus

Skills

Markets

Financial Statements

Valuation

Analytics

Financial Modelling

Regression & GLMs

Tools

Excel

PowerPoint

Python

R

Accounting

Reconciliation

Tax Basics

Financial Reporting

Stakeholder Relations

Languages

English

Native

Chinese

Working

Other

CS50x: Intro. to Computer Science

edX/HarvardX

Verified Certificate (2025)

References

Available upon request