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## Alumni Spotlight: Christina Flowers '21

### **1. When were you a member of LLC and what positions did you hold?**

I joined LLC in the Spring semester of my sophomore year where I was an Associate Analyst in the Information Technology sector. In the Fall of 2019, I was promoted to the Lead Analyst of the Materials sector.

### **2. How did LLC help prepare you for your career?**

LLC helped me to develop a strong knowledge base in the fixed income market early in my college career. Within that, I developed a passion for credit which helped me be successful in my internship experiences at Deutsche Bank. Other than learning more about credit, LLC helped me gain confidence in my presentation skills and develop a skill set on how to convey an investment idea successfully.

### **3. What advice would you give to the new members of LLC?**

Continuously be curious and utilize the resources that LLC has provided to you. You prepared and worked so hard to get into the organization, so my suggestion is to make the most out of every meeting. Constantly ask questions, whether it be when other people are pitching, to your Lead, or to Exec. One of the aspects of LLC that makes me proud to be involved with this organization is the give-back culture, so I would suggest utilizing anyone currently in the club and even alumni.

### **4. What advice would you give to current LLC members for their internships this summer?**

Build a network and find mentors that will help you down the road. When you are rotating on different desks in your internship, do not be afraid to ask questions. Put 110% of your effort into any assignments you are given. One thing that really helped me in my two years interning at Deutsche Bank was to think outside-the-box and find tangible work. It does not matter how big or small the tasks are, find ways to help the desk out in their everyday functions.