# JAMES NEIS

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# **EDUCATION**

## **Bachelor of Science in Business Administration**

Kansas State University | Manhattan, KS

Major: Professional Strategic Selling GPA: 3.5

# **EXPERIENCE**

#### **Sales Intern**

**Bunzl Processor Division | Riverside, MO** 

June 2023 - Present

**Graduating: December 2024** 

- Learn and understand the sales process and pipeline of BPD
- Navigate and use AS/400 as the main supply chain and sales software
- Present opportunities with overstock inventory to prospective customers
- Shadowed territorial sales representatives in Massachusetts, North Carolina, South Carolina, Nebraska, California, and Arizona
- Maintained part-time position since August 2023 in identifying new business opportunities within their catalog accounts

# **CAMPUS INVOLVEMENT**

#### Member

Kansas State Sales Competition Team, Kansas State University

August 2023 - Present

- Placed third in a multi-stage sales competition to be selected to join the team
- Develop sales skills and strategies weekly to compete in national sales competitions throughout the school year
- Competed in a speed selling and a case study competition at the International Collegiate Sales Competition in Orlando
- Helped team achieve a 3<sup>rd</sup> place finish at Twin Cities Collegiate Sales Competition

#### **Member**

Sales Distinction Program, Kansas State University

Jan 2023 – Present

- Participate in a program offered at the College of Business that gives opportunities to network and build relationships with alumni and corporate partners
- Rewarded honor cords contingent on completion by graduation based on attending events, securing job placement, and competing in sales competitions

#### **Member**

Fraternity and Sorority Life Ambassadors, Kansas State University

Aug 2022 - May 2023

 Inform and speak to prospective students and parents about Greek life at Kansas State such as pricing, philanthropy, scholarship, leadership, and brotherhood/sisterhood objectives

## Member

Pi Kappa Alpha, Kansas State University

Aug 2021 - Dec 2023

- Recruitment Team Recruited 38 freshmen for the largest greek freshman class at Kansas State University
- Internal Cabinet Member Focus on organizing events and activities for philanthropy; raised \$50,000 Fall of 2022
- New Member Education Board Member Provided guidance and knowledge for 38 men entering their first year of college

## **SKILLS & AWARDS**

MS Excel / MS Outlook / MS Word / MS PowerPoint / MS Power BI / Tableau / Adobe Photoshop / IBM AS400 / Salesforce

- 3rd Place Finalist in Shamrock Trading Company Sales Competition at Kansas State
- 3<sup>rd</sup> Place Finalist in Basys Sales Competition at Kansas State
- 3<sup>rd</sup> Place Finalist in Twin Cities at the Twin Cities Collegiate Sales Competition