

Sydney Ohlemann

FINANCE + ENTREPRENEURSHIP | UW FOSTER SCHOOL OF BUSINESS

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PROFILE

UW Foster junior pursuing Finance and Entrepreneurship with a 3.75 GPA and hands-on management experience spanning people, operations, stakeholder communication, and growth. Exploring internships where financial analysis, strategy, and operating judgment support better business decisions.

EDUCATION

University of Washington - Michael G. Foster School of Business

Expected June 2028

B.A. in Business Administration | Double Major: Finance and Entrepreneurship

Academic record GPA 3.75 / 4.00 | Dean's List 2024-2025 | Annual Dean's List 2025-2026

Academic highlights Business Finance (4.0); Strategic Communication (4.0), where Professor Thor Tolo identified Sydney as the class's top-ranked student and said her final grade was the second-highest he had awarded.

Quantitative foundation Completed 45 transfer credits with a 4.0 GPA, including Calculus I, Calculus II, and Statistics.

Selected coursework Financial Reporting; Managerial Accounting; Marketing Concepts (3.8); Leadership & Organizational Behavior; Managerial Economics; Entrepreneurial Marketing; Special Topics in Finance.

EXPERIENCE

KSIG Advisors | Finance & Strategy Intern | Part-time

September 2026 - Present

- Support supervised financial analysis, research, model preparation, client materials, and special projects across internal and client-facing work.
- Research and develop evidence-based content for KSIG Insights and LinkedIn, translating finance and strategy topics into clear professional communication.

Sugar + Spoon | Manager | Kittitas County and Greater Seattle

June 2021 - Present

- Manage food-truck and location operations across Central Washington and greater Seattle, including events at UW Stadium, Lumen Field, MOPOP, and the Gates Foundation.
- Oversaw a remote Ellensburg location, including hiring, training, scheduling, and daily execution; coordinate with landlords, business owners, and venue managers.
- Helped lead the relocation to Roslyn, where higher-traffic market positioning increased sales by 60%.

Suncadia Resort | Recreation Attendant | Cle Elum, Washington

2022 - 2025

- Facilitated corporate retreats and team-building activities; led archery and axe-throwing demonstrations for groups of up to 30 while supporting several hundred guests per day across recreation departments.
- Trained new hires, managed equipment rentals, operated point-of-sale systems, and supported food, beverage, and daily operating needs.

Awaken Me Coffee | Barista | Easton, Washington

Summer 2024

- Prepared food and beverages, operated the point-of-sale system, restocked inventory, and maintained smooth customer-facing operations in a fast-moving coffee trailer.

LEADERSHIP AND SERVICE

Distinguished Young Women | Distinguished Young Woman of Washington, Class of 2024

April 2023 - August 2024

- Represented Washington at the national finals in Mobile, Alabama; prepared for live interviews, current-affairs questions, fitness, dance, and a guitar-and-vocal performance of Dolly Parton's "Jolene."
- Built poise and public-speaking experience through community service projects, parades, public events, and statewide appearances.

Chi Omega, Alpha Chapter | Choir Chair and Initiated Member

September 2024 - Present

- Organized and led a recruitment performance for 100+ women and supported Make-A-Wish fundraising.

Navigators | Chi Omega Chapter Representative | Christian campus ministry

March 2025 - Present

- Leads weekly meetings and serves as a liaison between Chi Omega and the campus ministry community.
- **University District Food Bank** - Volunteers weekly to support food distribution and respond to community needs.
- **Earlier service leadership** - Served as Interact Club Social Media Chair and participated in Key Club, encouraging donations of food, blood, and holiday gifts.

HONORS AND INVOLVEMENT

Recognition Valedictorian (4.0 high school GPA); All-American cheerleader selected for a Walt Disney World parade; Distinguished Young Women, Kittitas County, and Rotary scholarship recipient.

Campus organizations Undergraduate Women in Business; Women in Consulting at Washington.

SKILLS

Financial analysis • Operations leadership • Stakeholder communication • Hiring and training • Team facilitation • Public speaking