

# **Curriculum Vitae**

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**Nationality** 

Ukrainian

Date of birth

08-03-1984

Gender

Male

Current employment / Occupational field Senior Lecturer of Finance, Banking and Insurance Department, Faculty of Economics and Management, Sumy National Agrarian University; Member of the Federation of Auditors, Accountants, and Financiers of AIC of Ukraine

Work experience

**Dates** 

September, 2023 - present

Occupation or position held

Senior Lecturer of Finance, Banking and Insurance Department

Main activities and responsibilities

teaching courses such as "Investment Management of Agricultural Formations", "International Credit Settlement Operations", "Information Professional Technologies", "International Finance", "Behavioural Finance", "Financial Rehabilitation Management", "Finance, Money and Credit"; 22 articles and theses; creating and revising curricula and courses disciplines taught, lectures, practical classes, seminars; supervising scientific work of students; conducting own scientific research; consulting private companies, municipalities.

Name and address of employer

Sumy National Agrarian University, 160, H. Kondratyev Street, Sumy, 40021, Ukraine

Type of business or sector

Academic, Financial Decentralization, Information Technology, Rural Development

**Dates** 

January, 2016 - August, 2023

Occupation or position held

Commercial director

Main activities and responsibilities

organization of production and sales of a wide range of textile products and construction equipment. Comprehensive market research and monitoring of the textile, construction, and compressor industries. Provision of consultancy services in the following areas: operations on import-export of products (textiles, equipment) with the countries of Central Asia; promotion of products on the

market of Ukraine.

Name and address of employer

Private enterprise, 31/1, Novomistenska Street, Sumy, 40004, Ukraine

Type of business or sector

Trade, Textile and Construction Equipment Industry

**Dates** 

January, 2012 - November, 2015

Occupation or position held

General manager in wholesale trade

Main activities and responsibilities

co-founded a company focused on the launch of construction equipment through a significant retail network. Negotiating with the management of key retail partners regarding the sale and placement of products and managing the documentary processing of goods imported into Ukraine from international markets, ensuring uninterrupted logistics and delivery. Resolving issues related to product placement on retail shelves, optimizing visibility and sales. Expansion of partner programs for market coverage. Developing a new business direction, introducing textile products from a foreign market, and expanding the product range. Managed product promotions, website content, advertising campaigns, and customer relations. Organizing the work of managers. Established ongoing contracts with major retail chains, promoting strong business partnerships.

Name and address of employer

LLC GRAND META, 168, H. Kondratyev Street, Sumy, 40021, Ukraine

Type of business or sector

Trade, Import-Export, Textile and Construction Equipment Industry

#### Dates

### July, 2009 - January, 2012

Occupation or position held

Director of the Representative Office in Kazakhstan

Main activities and responsibilities

oversaw the coordinated operations of the head office and assisted in establishing regional offices. Managed staff optimisation, supervising a team of approximately 25 people, including managers, legal, accounting and service staff. Ensured sales performance met targets, driving business growth aligned with implementation plans.

Fostered strong relationships with distributors and partners to increase market presence. Developed a reward system for employees based on individual sales performance. Led business planning efforts for the upcoming fiscal period.

Name and address of employer

LLP UKRTEHNOSYNTEZ, 6, Peremohy Street, Sumy, Ukraine. (Astana, Kazakhstan)

Type of business or sector

Trade, Import-Export, Industrial compressor equipment

#### **Dates**

# November, 2006 - July, 2009

Occupation or position held

Sales department manager

Main activities and responsibilities

organization of the work of representative offices in Kazakhstan and Central Asian countries, including the selection of optimal locations for offices and warehouses, as well as solving administrative tasks for smooth coordination. Managed the logistics of product deliveries from Ukraine to regional offices, ensuring timely deliveries. Selection and organization of certified training programs for specialists, forming a qualified local team. Implementation of sales plans contributed to a significant increase in company revenues. Active participation in industry exhibitions to increase market awareness. Conducting high-level negotiations with industry representatives and concluding key contracts, including with mining companies to supply specialized equipment.

Name and address of employer

LLP UKRTEHNOSYNTEZ, 6, Peremohy Street, Sumy, Ukraine. (Astana, Almaty, Karaganda, Aktau, Kazakhstan)

Type of business or sector

Trade, Import-Export, Industrial compressor equipment

# **Dates**

# June, 2006 - September, 2006

Occupation or position held

Finance department manager

Main activities and responsibilities

analysis and approval of the most cost-effective bids for the purchase of materials used to produce compressor equipment. Improving the supplier base by ranking suppliers according to the most favourable delivery conditions and introducing an automated system for determining the best suppliers, led to cost savings for the company.

Name and address of employer

LLP UKRTEHNOSYNTEZ, 6, Peremohy Street, Sumy, Ukraine.

Type of business or sector

Finance and Procurement Management in the Compressor Equipment Industry

#### **Dates**

#### September, 2006 - November, 2006

Occupation or position held

Manager of foreign economic activities

Main activities and responsibilities

Supported the movement of goods, including selecting optimal transportation options and calculating cost-effective logistics schemes, which led to cost savings. Controlling the loading of equipment and ensuring the smooth coordination of logistics operations. Prepared the necessary documentation for customs clearance. Maintaining close communication with production teams and assisting in

resolving urgent and unforeseen issues.

Name and address of employer

LLP UKRTEHNOSYNTEZ, 6, Peremohy Street, Sumy, Ukraine.

Type of business or sector

International Trade and Logistics in the Industrial Equipment Sector

# **Education and training**

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**Dates** January, 2025 - February, 2025 Title of qualification awarded European Practices of Research Excellence in the Digital Era Principal subjects/occupational skills Educational course Name and type of organisation Department of Economics, Entrepreneurship and Business Administration, Sumy State University providing education and training January, 2024 - April, 2024 **Dates** Title of qualification awarded Entrepreneurship and Business Planning Principal subjects/occupational skills Educational course Name and type of organisation Sumy National Agrarian University providing education and training **Dates** September, 2023 - December, 2023 Title of qualification awarded International master's degree in agricultural management Principal subjects/occupational skills Business administration Name and type of organisation Weihenstephan-Triesdorf is the University of Applied Sciences (Academic) providing education and training Level in national or international Master classification **Dates** September, 2023 - December, 2023 Title of qualification awarded 073 "Management" Principal subjects/occupational skills Master Degree in Administrative management Name and type of organisation Sumy National Agrarian University (Academic) providing education and training Level in national or international Master classification **Dates** July, 2023 Title of qualification awarded Project management for communities in the de-occupied territories of Ukraine, work with projects, grants, investors Principal subjects/occupational skills Educational course covered Name and type of organisation Local government school, Sumy National Agrarian University providing education and training **Dates** October, 2018 - September, 2022 Title of qualification awarded PhD degree. Dissertation for the degree of Doctor of Philosophy in the specialty 072 - Finance, Banking and Insurance (March, 2024) Principal subjects/occupational skills Development of financial decentralisation in Ukraine

covered

Name and type of organisation providing education and training Sumy National Agrarian University (Academic)

Level in national or international Classification PhD in Economics

Dates July, 2021

Title of qualification awarded | Local self-governing digital transformation of Ukraine

Principal subjects/occupational skills Educational course covered

Name and type of organisation providing education and training

Local government school

**Dates** 

June, 2021

Title of qualification awarded

Local Self-Government - Building Successful Communities

Principal subjects/occupational skills

Educational course

Name and type of organisation providing education and training

Local government school

**Dates** 

**April**, 2020

Title of qualification awarded

Decentralization reform: experience of Ukraine and the world

Principal subjects/occupational skills

Educational course

Name and type of organisation providing education and training Kyiv School of Economics (KSE)

**Dates** 

September, 2005 - June, 2006

Title of qualification awarded

Master Degree in Finance

Principal subjects/occupational skills

Finance

Name and type of organisation providing education and training

Sumy National Agrarian University (Academic)

Level in national or international classification Master

**Dates** 

Septembre, 2001 - June, 2005

Title of qualification awarded

Bachelor in Finance

Principal subjects/occupational skills

Economics and entrepreneurship

Name and type of organisation providing education and training

Ukrainian Academy of Banking of the National Bank of Ukraine (Academic)

Level in national or international classification Bachelor

Other language(s)

English, French

Self-assessment European level (\*)

**English** 

	Understanding				Speaking				Writing	
	Listening		Reading		Spoken interaction		Spoken production			
	Independent user	B2	Independent user	B2	Independent user	B2	Independent user	B2	Independent user	

Social skills and competences

Adaptable and hardworking, outgoing personality with strong communication skills, high professional standards and self-motivation, creative and quick thinker with excellent memory, strong desire for continuous development and improvement.

Organisational skills and competences

Communication - Organising and managing meetings with clients and partners to ensure effective communication and collaboration.

Teaching and training - Developing content and training programmes and organising and delivering teaching and training sessions. Focused on ensuring maximum student assimilation of

Teamwork and Collaboration - Experienced in working within team projects, collaborating with others to achieve common goals and ensuring a smooth workflow.

Leadership and Project Management - Experience in organising and managing a wide range of activities and projects from planning to implementation.

Computer skills and competences

Competent with most Microsoft Office programmes, IBM SPSS Statistics, IBM SPSS Modeler, «Metods of simplified Program planning and automation of enterprise planning processes using the MAX software"

Category B **Driving licence Activity-related skills** 

January, 2025

Title of qualification awarded Winter school 'My choice is my future (technical support and teacher of the main course)

Principal subjects/occupational skills "The Winter School" is aimed at stimulating interest in making an independent choice of a future profession based on individual abilities and preferences and the requirements of the modern labour market. Organisation of events and classes in the area of activity.

> Link: https://snau.edu.ua/zimova-shkola-mij-vibir-moye-majbutnye/

**Dates** May, 2024 - July, 2024

Title of qualification awarded School of Social Entrepreneurship (teacher of the main course)

Principal subjects/occupational skills A pilot educational project that aims to transform entrepreneurial ideas into holistic business projects with a strong social component. UNDP supports the creation of socially- oriented businesses in waraffected communities. The training partner is the Business School of Sumy National Agrarian

University, funded by the Government of the Kingdom of the Netherlands.

https://sumy-business-school.snau.edu.ua/shkola-socialnogo-pidpriiemnictva-28- travnja-04-lipnja-Link: 2024-r/

September, 2023 - November, 2023 **Dates** 

Title of qualification awarded Entrepreneurship and business planning (technical support and teacher of the main course)

Principal subjects/occupational skills The educational programme of Sumy Business School 'Entrepreneurship and Business Planning' for covered

combatants, persons with disabilities as a result of war, family members of combatants, family members of persons with disabilities as a result of war and family members of fallen servicemen.

https://snau.edu.ua/korotkostrokova-osvitnya-programa-pidpriyemnictvo-ta-biznes-planuvannya-vidsumskoï-biznes-shkoli/

**Projects Experience:** 

Link:

September, 2018 - February, 2021 **Dates** 

Title of qualification awarded Community Development and Promotion of Healthy Lifestyles (project co-developer)

Principal subjects/occupational skills Participation in the development and substantiation of the territory improvement project. covered Landscaping of the territory, construction of a children's and sports ground, installation of outdoor

exercise equipment, and benches for leisure and recreation of residents.

https://pb.smr.gov.ua/projects/archive/206/show/8 Link:

Additional information:

Scientific Research Topic and Public Finance Management, Investment in Agriculture, Agricultural Sustainable Development, **Publications** 

Behavioral Finance, Financial Literacy, Municipal Finances, Financial decentralisation

**SELECTED ACADEMIC ARTICLES:** 

Scopus: https://www.scopus.com/authid/detail.uri?authorld=59132772400

ORCID: https://orcid.org/0000-0003-3344-0996

GoogleScholar: https://scholar.google.com/citations?user=bplPSE4AAAAJ&hl=uk

- 1. Puhach Y. Conceptual Approaches to Estimating Regional Economic Development Under Administrative - Financial Decentralization in Ukraine, Sustainable Development of Rural Areas: Institutional Supply and Challenges of Reform: monograph / ed. by L. I. Mykhailova. Warsaw: RSGlobal Sp. zO.O. 2020. P. 132-137. DOI: https://doi.org/10.31435/ rsglobal/003
- Heyenko M.M., Puhach Y.V. (2019). Towards the independence of regional development: international experience, threats and opportunities for Ukraine. Scientific Bulletin of Uzhgorod National University. Series: International economic relations and world economy. №27 (1). P. 29-33. DOI: https://doi.org/10.32782/2413-9971/2019-27-5
- Puhach Y.V. (2021). Diagnostics of the level of financial decentralization of local budgets based on integral evaluation. Priazovsky Economic Bulletin. №3(26). P. 92-97. DOI: https://doi.org/10.32840/2522-4263/2021-3-16
- Puhach Y.V. (2021). Econometric modelling of the impact of determinants of financial decentralisation on the conomic capacity of regions. Black Sea Economic Studies. 2021. №69. P. 71-76. DOI: https://doi.org/10.32843/ bses.69-12
- Puhach Y.V. (2022). Characteristics of the essence of the concept of 'financial decentralisation': Bibliometric analysis, determinants of regional identity. Economy and society. №45. P. 1-7. DOI: https://doi.org/10.32782/2524-0072/2022-45-71
- Puhach Y.V. (2023). Microregions of priority development as an alternative direction of strengthening of the regional economy and financial decentralization. Ukrainian Journal of Applied Economics and Technology. № 2(8). P. 360-365. DOI: https://doi.org/10.36887/2415-8453-2023-2-52

- 7. Puhach Y.V. (2023). Modern econometric approaches of machine learning in modelling the factors influencing local budget expenditures. Current problems of the economy. № 3(261). P. 67-74. DOI: https://doi.org/ 10.32752/1993-6788-2023-1-261-67-74
- 8. Puhach Y.V. (2024). From risks to opportunities: stablecoins as an innovative financial instrument. Scientific notes of the Vernadsky National Polytechnic University of Kyiv. Series: Economics and Management. T.35(74). № 4. P. 38-44. DOI: <a href="https://doi.org/10.32782/2523-4803/74-4-7">https://doi.org/10.32782/2523-4803/74-4-7</a>
- 9. Romenska K., Datsenko V., Samoday V., Puhach Y. and Dudchyk O. (2024). Management of budget flows under martial law. Public and Municipal Finance, №13(1), P. 55-69. DOI: <a href="http://dx.doi.org/10.21511/pmf.13(1).2024.05">http://dx.doi.org/10.21511/pmf.13(1).2024.05</a>
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