

EDUCATION**2016 - 2018****London Business School**

Reading for MBA degree

Attained a GMAT score of 780 on first attempt.

Awarded LBS Retail & Luxury Scholarship covering half of tuition expenses.

2007 - 2011**Ryerson University, Toronto, Canada**

Bachelor of Design, Fashion Design

Premiere fashion design school in Canada.

Selected to attend five-month exchange to UTS in Sydney, Australia.

BUSINESS EXPERIENCE**2014 - 2016****ROOTS, Toronto, Canada****\$250M iconic Canadian fashion and lifestyle brand****Global Sourcing Coordinator**

- Streamlined merchandise decision-making for company president. Built an interactive dashboard, led a cross-functional team of three, and presented findings to product teams.
- Revised strategy with sourcing director to save \$3m in costs. Created a presentation shown to new private equity owners and achieved green-light for implementation.
- Managed relationships between product development teams and a network of 100+ suppliers, reduced production delays and saved costs.
- Prioritized supplier selection and volumes, devised a normalized grading system and launched an internal survey to analyse supplier strengths and weaknesses.
- Improved internal and external adherence to product delivery timelines, coached teams and overhauled production calendar into an interactive and scalable format.

2012 - 2014**Associate Designer**

- Managed product development cycle of over 150 womenswear styles per year with \$13m in sales revenue.
- Proposed projects to improve design team and supplier workflow, promoted to a new role created for my transition to global sourcing department.
- Designed an automated system to reduce design inefficiencies. Oversaw development with IT team and saved design team 30 hours per week in tracking materials.
- Automated and increased accuracy of artwork creation: created template system, coached graphics team on use, and saved up to five weeks in sampling time per style.

2006 - 2012**MIKHAILMOUDRAKOVSKI.COM, Toronto, Canada****Owner/operator**

- Designed five apparel collections to better understand diverse market sectors, awarded runway slots for four apparel collections at professional level shows.
- Won 1st prize: Most Promising Designer award at Art of Fashion competition in 2009, selected as finalist out of 200 applicants to present at event with 5,000 attendees.

2011 - 2012**FREELANCE, Toronto, Canada****Design Consultant**

- Secured contracts with three Toronto brand clients, sketched garments, designed apparel, and developed more than 50 styles.
- Illustrated concepts for legendary designer Pat McDonagh, presented to and helped secure a \$10,000 runway sponsorship from a solar cell company.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

- Selected as one of 12 MBA students to participate in the LBS Walpole Programme in Luxury Management.
- Serving as the VP of London Treks in the Retail and Luxury Goods Club.
- Playing prop on the LBS Rugby Football Club.
- Volunteered as alumni career coach to 15 fashion design students at alma mater.
- Worked as a Summer park ranger to inspire apparel collections. Ran five educational programs in provincial parks.
- Trained as a breakdancer for seven years. Performed with top breakdance crew in Ottawa for two years.

LANGUAGES

Native English, Native Russian, Basic French

NATIONALITY

Canadian