

# Connor Costley

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## Education

**University of Iowa**

**Anticipated Graduation: May 2027**

Bachelor of Business Administration (BBA), Double Major Finance & Accounting

- Current GPA: 3.9/4.0
  - Dean's List, Honors Program, Tippie Business Honor Society
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## Relevant Coursework

### **Krause Fund Equity Research Analyst - Energy Sector Team**

- The Krause Fund is an equity portfolio managed by finance students at the Tippie College of Business.
- Responsible for industry and company research encompassing the Energy Sector using programs such as FactSet, Bloomberg, and excel to build robust financial models using discounted cash flow, economic profit, relative valuation, and dividend discount analyses.
- Deliver Buy/Sell recommendations to the Fund's advisory board and engage in Q&A to defend analyses, refine investment rationale, and determine final portfolio allocations.

### **Corporate Finance, Financial Accounting, Investment Management**

- Engaging in coursework covering asset valuation, portfolio theory, investment performance analysis, and introductory derivative strategies.
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## Work Experience

**Scheels, Midline Sales**

**Sep 2025 - Present**

- Assisted customers with product selection by providing knowledgeable recommendations, ensuring a positive shopping experience to drive sales performance.

**Apple Autos, Concierge**

**May- Aug 2024, 2025**

- Developed strong interpersonal and communication skills to solve complex problems and work effectively.
  - Fostered positive client relationships by providing seamless and personalized experiences.
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## Extracurricular Activities

**HawkTrade, University of Iowa**

**Sep 2023 - Present**

- Conducted market research and analysis to identify trends and opportunities.
- Competed in a Paper Trading Competition to apply investment strategies in a simulated environment.

## Technical Skills

Excel • PowerPoint • FactSet • Bloomberg