

# Emily Pehrsson

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## EDUCATION

**THE COLLEGE OF WILLIAM AND MARY**, Williamsburg, Virginia

May 2013

*Bachelor of Arts*

Major: International Relations

Cumulative GPA: 3.93/4.0, Major GPA: 3.96/4.0

**ST. PETERSBURG STATE UNIVERSITY (САНКТ-ПЕТЕРБУРГСКИЙ**

June 2010 -July 2010

**ГОСУДАРСТВЕННЫЙ УНИВЕРСИТЕТ)**, St. Petersburg, Russia

Study Abroad GPA: 4.0/4.0, Department of Philology

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## PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

**THE INSTITUTE OF INTERNATIONAL FINANCE**, Washington, D.C.

May 2011 – August 2011

*Intern, Membership Department – Europe and Asia Regions*

- Researched and managed a database of over 420 member firms and 600 target firms.
- Collected data and prepared presentations for the department director to present to member and target firms.
- Contacted international financial firms throughout Europe and Asia on behalf of the IIF.

**INSTITUTE FOR THE THEORY AND PRACTICE OF INTERNATIONAL**

January 2010 – August 2011

**RELATIONS: AIDDATA**, Williamsburg, Virginia

*Research Assistant*

- Researched bilateral and multilateral aid allocation and transparency trends.
- Coded foreign aid projects according to their purpose, provisions, and environmental impact.
- Contributed to a database of multilateral and bilateral aid project data for public consumption and government agencies, including the World Bank.

**THE INSTITUTE FOR THE ANALYSIS OF GLOBAL SECURITY**, Washington, D.C.

May 2010 – August 2010

*Research Intern, Technology and Rare Earth Metals Center*

- Assisted the Center director with research on the rare earth metal industry and relevant government policies.
  - Compiled data in spreadsheets to assist the Center with industry networking.
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## HONORS AND LEADERSHIP

- The Project on International Peace and Security (PIPS), *Research Intern* – Conducted original research with a senior research fellow on combating the growing U.S. dependence on the minerals necessary for emerging clean-energy technologies.
  - Pi Sigma Alpha – National Political Science Honor Society, *Chapter Secretary*
  - Monitor: Journal of International Studies, *International Interviews Chair, Executive Board*
  - Gazeta: Russian Language and Culture Newspaper, *Assistant Editor*
  - Dean's List every semester, National Society of Collegiate Scholars (NSCS)
  - Monroe Scholar – Awarded research grant to develop a policy to resolve the conflict between the Republic of Chechnya and the Russian Federation.
  - Gamma Phi Beta Sorority, *Personal and Chapter Enrichment Chair*
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## RELEVANT SKILLS

- Languages: Russian (Advanced), Latin (Advanced)
- Computer: SPSS, major online databases, Microsoft Excel, PowerPoint, Word