IGNACIO VALDEZ

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PROFESSIONAL PROFILE

NYU undergraduate with nearly three years of experience at Aon Inpoint across commercial strategy, portfolio analytics, and cross-functional execution. Additional exposure to AI venture research and workforce learning innovation. Seeking Summer 2027 opportunities in strategy, business operations, program management, and analytics.

EDUCATION

New York University | New York, NY Expected Dec 2027

B.S., Leadership & Management Studies | GPA: 3.7/4.0

- CCTOP Scholarship recipient; selected for NYU–United Nations AI Agents Project, developing learning prototypes to assess workforce upskilling outcomes (in progress).

Borough of Manhattan Community College | New York, NY Aug 2025

A.A.S., Business Management & Risk Management | GPA: 3.7/4.0 | Student Government Association Senator

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Aon Inpoint | New York, NY

Strategy Specialist Dec 2025 – Jul 2026

- Analyzed and validated ~$21.3B in commercial insurance portfolio data using Excel, Alteryx, and Power BI; identified trends across products, offices, and client segments for management reporting.
- Evaluated a ~$2.1B U.S. Natural Resources portfolio, assessing performance drivers, market trends, and potential growth opportunities for executive business reviews.
- Used Microsoft Copilot to synthesize market research and portfolio findings into executive-ready narratives supporting client-facing deliverables.

Business Strategy Apprentice Aug 2023 – Aug 2025

- Supported cross-functional strategy, operations, marketing, and communications initiatives, contributing to carrier performance analysis and client deliverables.
- Coordinated Bermuda MarketWorld execution for 250+ executive attendees, managing vendors, attendee data, and real-time on-site issue resolution.
- Represented Aon’s Apprenticeship Program at external panels, including Nasdaq and the New York Jobs CEO Council, while working and studying full-time.

AI & VENTURE STRATEGY EXPERIENCE

Mangusta Capital (via Extern) | Venture Capital Extern, Top 10% of Cohort Aug – Sep 2026

- Evaluated early-stage vertical AI companies, including Harper and Trata, assessing market potential, business models, competitive positioning, scalability, and investment risks.
- Developed and presented an investment thesis on Harper to a Mangusta Capital investment partner, analyzing business economics, operating leverage, and defensibility.

SKILLS

Strategy & Business: Commercial Analysis, Market Research, Business Strategy, Stakeholder Communication, Program Coordination

Technology & Analytics: Excel, Power BI (dashboard interpretation), Alteryx, PowerPoint, Microsoft Copilot, Data Visualization