

# Wesley D. Covey

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## Experience

### DoD SkillBridge Intern

Academy Securities · San Diego, CA

Sep 2023 – Present

- Developing reports and interactive dashboards to measure KPIs and identify trends for over \$33B in equities trading.
- Compiling, cleaning, and transforming information from large data sets for use in reconciliation and analysis.
- Researching and extracting data from financial statements to update league tables and marketing material.

### Operations Manager

United States Marine Corps · San Diego, CA

Jun 2022 – Sep 2023

- Managed a team of 12 personnel to coordinate operational support, resource planning, and formal training for 4 infantry battalions with over 4K personnel to meet targeted demand for forces.
- Led cross-functional teams to establish critical planning milestones, collect relevant data, and meet deliverable deadlines to deploy 4.9K personnel and \$9M of equipment across 5 countries.
- Maintained long-range training, exercise, and employment plans to forecast demand and identify latent shortfalls.
- Designed a centralized tracking tool and implemented a new set of shared processes to more efficiently source 118 requests for critical personnel and over \$7M of equipment to resolve shortfalls or augment exercises.
- Analyzed historical trends in deployment planning and execution performance to anticipate future challenges and drive actionable recommendations to effectively mitigate them.
- Assisted junior Marines, as the appointed Command Financial Specialist, with producing personal financial budgets and developing financial models to identify savings and investment goals.

### Operations & Planning Analyst

United States Marine Corps · Multiple Locations

Jul 2015 – Jun 2022

- Collaborated with cross-functional working groups to collect data and produce plans used to schedule and allocate transportation for the delivery of 4.4K personnel and \$17M of equipment across 31 countries.
- Organized and analyzed data from planning outputs to ensure accuracy and identify opportunities to reduce costs and increase efficiency in movement.
- Instructed junior analysts on how to properly extract, compile, and clean deployment planning data.
- Developed ad hoc and recurring queries from planning databases to monitor allocation progress and track in-transit movement.

### Flight Attendant

Republic Airways · Pittsburg, PA

Mar 2014 – Dec 2014

### Sales Manager

Staples · Acton, MA

Jan 2008 – Mar 2014

## Summary

Analytical problem-solver and proactive planner with over 15 years of professional experience seeking to transition from military service into a career as a Research Analyst

## Education

### Bachelor of Science in Economics

Arizona State University · Aug 2023

- Honors: Summa Cum Laude

## Certifications & Licenses

### Data Analyst Professional Certificate

DataCamp · (in progress, Jan 2024)

### Bloomberg Market Concepts Certificate

Bloomberg · Oct 2023

### Top Secret/SCI Security Clearance

Department of Defense · Current

## Skills

Accomplished in quantitative and qualitative data analysis, project management, process improvement, cross-functional leadership, and effective communication of complex matters.

Additional skills include:

- Relational database management & ERP (DoD proprietary)
- Excel (advanced formulas, pivot tables, macros, etc.)
- Power BI
- Tableau
- SQL
- R
- Python
- Financial acumen & GAAP
- Effective working independently or as part of a team
- Continuous learning

## Awards

### Navy & Marine Corps Commendation Medal

- Exceptional leadership
- Creative problem-solving
- Mastery of organizing and forecasting complex issues

### Navy & Marine Corps Achievement Medal

- Peerless attention to detail
- Adroit management of multiple competing priorities.