

CURRICULUM VITAE

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Background

Born in 1998, Alexander graduated in 2020 from Warwick Business School at Warwick University with a BSc degree in Management (2:1), having completed modules in financial mathematics, financial markets and technology, accounting, marketing, economics, governance, organisation theory, management of businesses and quantitative analysis.

Pollock & Galbraith – June 2020 to December 2023 – Student Actuarial Analyst

After graduation Alexander joined Pollock & Galbraith where has assisted in the preparation of several hundred reports whilst also studying to be a Certified Actuarial Analyst Member of the Institute and Faculty of Actuaries. He has been involved in preparing the calculations and drafting reports for the following work areas.

- Personal injury cases, loss of pension, earnings and other heads of claim
- Fatal accident cases calculating pre and post retirement loss of support.
- Trust and probate matters, calculating life and reversionary interests.
- Pension loss in employment tribunal cases
- Family law, pension valuation and sharing on divorce.

Alexander is responsible for retrieving and parsing the information needed to undertake these cases by communicating with clients and gathering information online. He assists in keeping records of the cases the firm has been involved in and updating the software the company uses to calculate losses and monitor changing investment conditions.

To qualify as a Certified Actuarial Analyst, Alexander passed exams on the following topics.

- An introductory exam which focused on advanced mathematics.
- Mathematics of Finance (valuation of cash flows, discounting, rates of return, actuarial applications)
- Statistics & Probability (statistical distributions and applications to actuarial problems, survival models)
- Life Actuarial Mathematics (assurances, annuities, reversions, mortality studies)
- Non-Life Actuarial Mathematics (statistical models for non-life actuarial applications including reinsurance).
- Actuarial Modelling – Study of approaches to the use of software to analyse and report on data and predict outcomes, mainly using Excel.

Pollock Actuarial – January 2024 onwards

Having qualified as a Certified Actuarial Analyst Member of the Institute and Faculty of Actuaries in 2023, Alexander is now taking on a more senior client facing role and is looking forward to extending his knowledge and experience supporting the company's many clients.