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Summary

Strategy consultant with 6+ years of experience advising CXOs across fintech, health-tech, legal-tech, and regulatory-tech sectors. Proven track record of driving business turnarounds, product growth, and inorganic strategy. Deep expertise in LLM/AI enablement, from strategy to delivery. Dual-degree holder from IIT Bombay with strong analytical rigor and cross-functional leadership.

Professional Experience

FischerJordan (US-Based Boutique Management Consultancy)

Senior Roles: Engagement Manager & Senior Associate | Fischer Jordan | Mumbai

- Strategy & Delivery
 - -Led enterprise-wide **strategy transformations**, **turnarounds**, **and GTM plays** across fintech health-tech, legal-tech, and regulatory-tech sectors.
 - -Advised CXO-level clients through LLM adoption, M&A targeting, and margin uplift initiatives with measurable outcomes (Select projects: Delivered 3-5% market share growth at a regulatory-tech client, developed resource planning strategy at Fintech client reducing cost by 3-4%).
 - Built firm-level frameworks for AI opportunity mapping, partner evaluation, and growth levers across emerging sectors.
- Authored investment and strategic materials for client-side M&A and corporate finance decisioning.
- AI Capability Building & Commercialization
 - Scaled FischerJordan's AI/LLM consulting practice; Delivered **3+ high-value engagements driving \$40k+** in topline for the firm.
 - Structured, sold, and delivered custom LLM/AI tooling for the U.S.-based startups; positioned the firm as a differentiated player in the space.
- Leadership & Ownership
 - Managed \$75–100K monthly run-rate P&L; implemented strategic initiatives such as sales planning, skill-based staffing, and delivery redesign to achieve 30–40% revenue growth and 20–30% margin expansion From H1 to H2 2024.
 - Spearheaded India operations **Managed 15-member team**, led hiring, appraisals, and cross-border staffing across consulting and tech functions.
 - Institutionalized leadership culture via structured onboarding, performance systems, and firm offsite design.
- Client Development & Sales
 - Closed \$100K+ in new business across strategy and LLM/AI consulting verticals.
 - -Built and scaled a lead-gen channel using LLM-enabled targeting grew annual revenue from \$23K (2023) to \$38K (2024) (65% YoY growth).

Early Roles: Analyst, Senior Analyst and Associate Consultant | Fischer Jordan | Mumbai

- Market & Growth Strategy
 - -Drove **core strategy work across legal-tech, fintech, and DEI sectors**—covering pricing, growth planning, and opportunity sizing.
 - Evaluated M&A targets, performed competitive benchmarking, and built long-term investment theses (including **one successful acquisition**).
 - Created **GTM blueprints and operational models supporting 3-year+ strategic** plans for both high-growth and turnaround contexts.
- Analytics & Product Thinking
 - Delivered deep-dive sales and customer diagnostics to uncover process inefficiencies and Product-Market-Fit gaps.
 - -Designed and deployed tools to automate client-side analyses (e.g., fuzzy matching algorithm in R).
- Identified 10+ revenue leakage points for a fintech client and built pricing architecture that unlocked 2.5% revenue uplift.
- Internal Contributions & Thought Leadership
 - -Co-authored a whitepaper applying thermodynamic theory to M&A valuation; published and submitted for peer review.
 - -Produced content on **GDP growth and inflation's effect on U.S. lending** featured across firm's media and training platforms.
 - Piloted mentorship programs and knowledge sessions to increase team integration and capability-building.

Strategy Consultant to CEO | MergerWare | Remote

• Created **investor pitch and 3-year financial model** to support growth-stage fundraising; outlined **product differentiation** in the M&A enablement space.

Strategy Consultant to CEO | PinkyPromise | Remote

• Defined **competitive landscape and market positioning** for an AI-based women's reproductive health platform; advised on product roadmap and user growth strategy.

Associate Business Consultant | Blue Yonder (F.K.A. JDA Software) | Bengaluru

• Drove **supply chain transformation** for a Southeast Asian CPG firm; implemented demand planning platform to reduce product unavailability and inventory costs.

Education

 $\textbf{B.Tech + M.Tech (Mechanical Engineering)} - \textit{Indian Institute of Technology, Bombay} \mid \textit{Indian Institute of Technology, Bombay} \mid \textit{Indian Institute of Technology} \mid \textit{Indian Institute} \mid \textit{$

Master's Thesis: Disruption Analysis in Supply Chain Networks (Advisor: Prof. Asim Tewari)

Extra-Curriculars

Social Impact | Student Volunteer, National Service Scheme, IIT Bombay | Mumbai

- Created 500+ notebooks from one-sided papers & 100+ toys from trash for kids of construction workers in campus
- Participated in awareness campaign for 20+ endangered species; Identified, studied and tagged 200+ species found in campus **Adventure Sports**
- Completed beginner to intermediate certification courses in wind surfing (2019), surfing (2022), and scuba diving (2021, 2024)
- Backpacked across 4 Indian states in 2021 Himachal Pradesh, Uttarakhand, Goa and Pondicherry