CMVBC Alumna Pursued Exciting Internship Opportunities (Orlando & Boston)

Two young ladies from this photo, taken nearly 10 years ago from the *CMVBC* 15-2 team pursued exciting career internship opportunities this summer. **Liz Bonnot** (lower right in photo) and **Michelle Hoerber** (2nd row, 3rd over) played club volleyball together for Coach Bill Wolters and are our summer alumna spotlight story!





Liz Bonnot, a 2009 graduate of Helias Catholic High School, and a 2014 graduate of the University of Missouri-Columbia with a Bachelor Degree in Art, spent the summer interning at Disney World via the *Disney College Program* in Orlando, Florida. The Disney Program allows the participants an on-the-job experience in their parks and resorts in the area of Operations, Lodging, Concession, Merchandise and Entertainment. After the initial internship in one of the aforementioned areas, Liz will have an opportunity to apply for a professional internship utilizing her art degree. The professional internship may be located anywhere in the United States. Liz is hoping to pursue the field of animation/film editing eventually returning to school to further her education.



Michelle Hoerber, a 2009 graduate of Fulton High School, and 2013 graduate of Millikin University (Finance & Mathematics Actuarial Science), is currently finishing her Master's in Quantitative Finance at Washington University in St. Louis. This summer, Michelle pursued a three-month internship at *Fidelity Investments* at their headquarters in Boston.

At Fidelity, Michelle interned in their Global Asset Allocation Division, working alongside portfolio managers, quantitative analysts, and research analysts to enhance Fidelity's institutional custom asset allocation analysis. Michelle attended regular portfolio performance meetings, weekly video conferences to Fidelity's India team, and daily meetings with the research analysts, in addition to networking events to learn more about different roles throughout Fidelity. Michelle developed a model to improve the institutional custom analysis with the potential to be integrated into Fidelity's investor planning tools as well. Michelle presents her work to CIOs, portfolio managers, and quantitative analysts at the end of the summer.

Michelle is a CMVBC alumna who went on to play college volleyball 4 years at Millikin University in Illinois.