



## CIARA JONES

### *What is your role at Taureau Group, and how long have you been here?*

I started as an Analyst at Taureau Group in June after graduating from Marquette University. As an Analyst, I help to screen for sell-side and buy-side targets, assist in financial analysis and valuations, and engage with clients throughout the M&A process. I've also learned the art of pitch book binding, a task that only gets better with repetition.

*Before working at Taureau Group, what was the most interesting job you've ever had?* I worked in a congressional district office during the summer in 2020. I drove from Milwaukee to Janesville and answered calls from constituents.

### *What has been your most memorable deal at Taureau Group?*

During my time at Taureau Group, I've realized that we get to represent some of the best businesses in Wisconsin. Although every deal so far has been memorable, I will not forget the moment I was driving on the highway and realized a stunning manufacturing facility, a landmark on my commute home, would soon be a client we would represent.

### *Describe the culture at Taureau Group.*

Unmatched. There is a reason the team has won the Milwaukee Business Journal's "Best Places to Work" two years in a row. Being able to go into work every day excited to see and collaborate with peers working towards a common goal is something I always hoped for in a workplace environment.

### *What's something about yourself that may surprise us?*

I was into photography when I was younger and traveled with National Geographic to Costa Rica when I was 15 to take pictures.

### *Where is your hometown?*

Fox Point, WI.

### *What is your favorite book, movie and type of music?*

I am currently reading *Discover Your True North*. And for music, Morgan Wallen is always on queue.

*What is your favorite quote?* "An investment in knowledge pays the best interest." – Benjamin Franklin

### *What do you like to do in your free time?*

Outside of work I enjoy boating at Okauchee Lake, running, watching football, and spending time with family.

