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Kathleen (Katie) Kanai currently works as an Industrial Engineering Analyst at the Golub Corporation. She is a recent college graduate with a dual degree in Design, Innovation and Society, and Industrial Management Engineering. Merging these two fields of study has given her a unique perspective as she approaches both the technical and nontechnical aspects of the business world.

Her college internships gave her a unique opportunity to see real-world business issues and grow problem-solving skills. Katie had an extended 8-month internship with Schick (Edgewell Personal Care) where she learned basic manufacturing skills and the process of developing new products. She learned advertising and marketing techniques through her internship at the IEM Company. Her final internship was at the Golub Warehouse, where she worked to optimize operations and improve the movement of merchandise.

Katie's current position has afforded her the opportunity to utilize her engineering background in creating new and updating existing labor standards. On the business side of things, she was given the opportunity to expand her knowledge of the budgeting process and prepare the annual labor budget for all retail locations. Katie is currently exploring how her work impacts other departments at the Main Office level as well as at the store level.