

# BONAKELE MDLETSHE

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## PROFESSIONAL SUMMARY

I am a data science practitioner with hands-on experience in data cleaning, data analysis, data visualization, and machine learning. I am passionate about leveraging data into actionable insights that support business decision-making. With a foundation in Python, SQL, Excel, and Power BI, I aim to grow my expertise while contributing meaningfully to dynamic, data-driven teams.

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## WORK EXPERIENCE

2024 - PRESENT

DATA SCIENCE PRACTITIONER INTERN – EXPLORE AI

Project: Anime Recommender System

- Developed a recommendation system for anime using both **content-based** and **collaborative filtering** techniques.
- Implemented **KNN Baseline model** for similarity-based recommendations.
- Deployed the app using **Streamlit** to allow users to receive real-time anime suggestions.
- Tools: **Python (Scikit-learn, Pandas), Seaborn, Streamlit**

Project: Water Quality Classification

- Built a machine learning model to classify water quality using Kaggle data.
  - Deployed the app using Streamlit to allow users to receive real-time water quality.
  - Tools: **Python (Pandas, Scikit-learn), Matplotlib, Power BI**
  - Achieved 98% accuracy using Random Forest Classifier.
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## EDUCATION

2018 – 2022

University of the Witwatersrand, South Africa  
Bachelor of Science (BSc) - NQF Level 7  
Majors: Animal Science, Plant Science, Environmental Science

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## CERTIFICATIONS

2023

Introduction to Coding – SheCodes (Completed)  
Languages: HTML, CSS, JavaScript

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## SKILLS

**Languages & Tools:** Python, SQL, Excel, HTML, CSS, JavaScript, Power BI, Matplotlib, Seaborn, Scikit-learn, MLOps.

**Technical Skills:** Data Cleaning, Data Analysis, Data Visualization, Feature Engineering, Predictive Modeling, Hypothesis Testing, Deployment, Jupyter Notebook, MySQL / PostgreSQL, Supervised learning, Unsupervised learning, Git, Github.

**Soft Skills:** Problem Solving, Communication, Team Collaboration, Time Management, Empathy, Adaptability, Fast learner.