# Taylor Leyland

# Machine Learning Data Analyst

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#### **OBJECTIVE**

Providing quality and assured solutions using data for every task, giving guaranteed security and results.

#### **SKIILS**

Python - 8 YEARS
Excel - 3 YEARS
PHP - 4 YEARS
CSS - 4 YEARS
JAVA - 4 YEARS
SQL and SQL+ - 4 YEARS
C# - 4 YEARS

#### **EXPERIENCE**

# Bradford University, Bradford — Faculty Support

June 2017 - December 2017

- Assisted in using arduino hardware and software to create and successfully deploy wheeled robots utilising EPOC headsets for control
- Worked side-by-side with masters students and professors to produce academic papers.

### Premier Learning, Bradford — Tutor

September 2020 - June 2022

- Lead and managed tutor groups ranging from reception age to A-level skill. Working from 1-1 specialised sessions to groups of 10+
- My GCSE and A-level students on average jumped two grades after spending a semester with my tutoring.

#### Keele German Society, Stoke — President

September 2023 - June 2024

- Organised and ran weekly meetings of 30+ students in two languages, multi-day trips including travel and stay logistics
- Communicated and gained partnerships with restaurants and bars for formal society events
- Secured funding for language classes for society members

## **PROJECTS**

- Utilising 1000+ videos and over 100,000 data points using data warehousing and SQL to leverage patterns of play to build a cue sports simulator for pool and snooker.
- Working with EPOC headsets to engage and control actuated robots with simple arduino architecture

#### **EDUCATION**

**Keele University,** Stoke — Computer Science (AI Specialisation)

September 2023 - June 2025

- Studied varied areas of: web design, application design, networking, database management and creation creating multiple projects providing a well rounded understanding of all technical aspects of software development
- Dissertation utilising reinforcement learning to create a cue-sports simulation and playing agent working under a RAD framework. Created an agent with 90% playing accuracy and recreation capability.

#### **HOBBIES**

- First-team university pool player played in national events and captained teams at BUCS
- Chess enthusiast Attend a weekly club and play in online tournaments