

# Cidalia Castro

Data Analyst | Business Intelligence | SQL, Power BI & Python

Results-driven **Data Analyst** with a background in **Industrial and Management Engineering**, specializing in **data analysis**, **business intelligence**, **and automation**. Proficient in **SQL**, **Power BI**, **and Python**, with expertise in **statistical modeling and ETL processes**. Passionate about leveraging data insights for **strategic decision-making**, with a **business acumen**, **curiosity**, **and proactive learning attitude**. IBM-certified in **data analytics**.

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## **WORK EXPERIENCE**

# Co-founder & Data-driven E-commerce Strategist Sushi & Co.

10/2016 - 01/2024

Porto, Portugal

Achievements/Tasks

- Developed automated dashboards and reports, reducing reporting errors by 20%
- Implemented ETL processes in Power BI & Excel for data centralization and cleaning
- Created JavaScript scripts for automated reporting and alert systems
- Managed digital marketing campaigns, tracking ROI and key conversion metrics
- Led weekly team meetings, improving team satisfaction by 15%
- Optimized logistics costs, reducing delivery expenses by 9% through a performance-based bonus system

# **Business Assistant** Sushiemtuacasa

09/2013 - 10/2016

Braga, Portugal

Achievements/Tasks

- Monitored sales KPIs and developed operational dashboards
- Optimized inventory and order processing, reducing waste and improving efficiency
- Improved process efficiency, leading to a 10% improvement in product and service quality and a 20% increase in customer return rate
- Enhanced customer communication flows, reducing complaints by 7%

## **SKILLS**

Data Analytics & BI – Power BI (DAX, ETL), Excel (Power Query, VBA)

SQL & Database Management – MySQL, query optimization

Programming & Automation – Python (Pandas, NumPy), JavaScript for automation

Business Acumen & Problem-Solving – Data-driven decision-making, strategic thinking

Soft Skills & Communication – Proactivity, curiosity, adaptability, storytelling with data

#### **PERSONAL PROJECTS**

Alzheimer Prediction Dashboard (02/2025 - 03/2025)

- Developed an interactive dashboard for analyzing patterns in Alzheimer's patients
- Utilized Python (Dash, Gradio) to create a dynamic data visualization interface
- View Project

UFO Sightings Analysis (In Development) (03/2025 - 04/2025)

- Exploring UFO sightings data to identify patterns and anomalies
- Utilizing **SQL and Power BI** for spatial and temporal analysis

# **EDUCATION**

# Master's Degree in Industrial and Management Engineering

Universidade do Minho

2009 - 2013

Guimarães, Portugal

Courses

 Completed Bachelor's + Master's coursework, excluding final thesis submission

#### **CERTIFICATES**

IBM Data Analyst Professional Certificate (09/2024 - 02/2025)

Statistical modeling, data manipulation, and predictive analysis; SQL for database management; Business intelligence and storytelling with dashboards

#### **LANGUAGES**

Portuguese Native or Bilingual Proficiency inglish

Full Professional Proficiency