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Data Scientist

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EXPERIENCE

Senior Data Science Consultant

Capita

📅 11/2020 - Ongoing

Joined a fairly new analytical team midway through the coronavirus pandemic. Whilst a consultant role is normally very external facing, I was encouraged to also work internally due to my technical skills.

- Built internal Executive level reports - e.g. Carbon neutral report which tracks Co2 footprint of all 7905 Capita cost centres worldwide.
- Positive feedback for all worked accounts (60% extension rate across all accounts).
- Held managerial roles overseeing the delivery of junior coworkers.
- Continuously praised for my ability to communicate complicated analytical topics to non-analytical individuals.
- Provided Teaching sessions, Mentoring and general upskilling to multiple teams in particular the analytics team.

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Equestrian Performance Analysis

📅 04/2020 - Ongoing

EPA is a start up which aims to bring A.I. into the equestrian sport. It achieves this by using state of the art neural networks to analyse videos and measure various metrics to then form a report on the performance.

- Developed a machine learning model with 78% accuracy on predicting human joint locations using a YOLOv3 followed by a ResNet50 architecture.
- Greatly decreased manual labour needed by automating processes such as report building.
- Participated in meetings with the founder and high value international sporting associations.

Project Data Analyst

Kingfisher (B&Q)

📅 05/2019 - 04/2020

Kingfisher was in the process of revitalising all of its 300 B&Q stores kitchen showrooms under a total budget of £70 Million and a very tight deadline. I was brought in to design and oversee the process in which stock needs from 13 individual contracting companies across the United Kingdom was communicated and dealt with.

- Managed all aspects of the supply chain for the project with a total of £10 Million used directly under my supervision and analysis
- Built models for forecasting stock needed/potential issues for the remaining project. Reported findings to stakeholders on a weekly basis.
- Mitigated risks such as coronavirus effect on supply chain (delay of a day of a single item in 1 store costing £XX XXX's to the company).
- Designed a process which was adopted by the company and multiple external contractors alike.

Financial Analyst

Polystar Plastics

📅 08/2018 - 05/2019

Polystar was experiencing unparalleled growth and thus was undermanned in the accounting department when I was brought in.

- Managed payables; including filing, analysing and paying over 700 invoices worth £XXX XXX's per month.
- Made existing processes more efficient & completely removed the need for manual intervention on some processes (via programming).
- Actively contributed towards 2 successful audits (ISO 9001, Financial Audit), where my organisational skills were commended.

SUMMARY

Motivated, responsible and teamwork orientated analyst with experience in designing models, comprehensive reports and presentations for the average professional.

Armed with vast knowledge in programming, finance, statistics and bilingual capabilities; able to understand business needs quickly and offer inventive and efficient solutions.

Committed to lifelong learning which Dimitri believes is crucial in any Data related role as technology continues to advance.

ACHIEVEMENTS

Developed 2 Websites from Scratch

Learnt the necessary programming languages and got stuck in with no previous experience in web development. Now I can build full stack websites using cloud infrastructure.

Multiple Awards at Capita

Received multiple awards during my time at Capita for my continuous improvement on Internal processes and for my consistent positive feedback from clients.

B&Q Team of The Year

Company executives deemed the project a success, my team (of 7) was granted this honour out of 16,000 employees.

Catalyst Challenge Winner

A university challenge in which teams of students act as consultants for start ups during a day and produce business plans which is presented at the end of the day; best business plan/presentation wins.

County Level 100m Sprinter 2011 - 2013

Was deemed the fastest sprinter of Hampshire for 2 years (2011 - 2013) and was chosen to compete on behalf of Hampshire in county level athletic competitions.

EDUCATION

BSc Accounting & Economics
University of Southampton

2015 - 2018

Maths & Further Maths
Barton Peveril College

2013 - 2015

Biology

Chemistry

13 GCSE's (inc. Maths & English)
St Mary's Southampton

2009 - 2013

EXTRA-CURRICULAR



Athletics

Fastest sprinter in Hampshire for 2 consecutive years.
Long standing member of Southampton's athletics team.



Hobbyist Programmer

I Enjoy writing code, particularly when solving real world proplems with data analytics / science.



Mechanic

me and a couple of friends enjoy enhancing / tuning cars to our liking.



Gym

A 'Regular' at a local gym. I find that exercise helps to concentrate my mind whilst also making sure I physically look the part.

LANGUAGES

English

Native



French

Native



Spanish

Intermediate



TECH STACK

Python

Pandas Numpy SciKit-Learn

Seaborn Matplotlib OpenCV

PyTorch TensorFlow Keras

Django Flask Selenium

Javascript

D3 AmCharts Plotly Vue

Nuxt ThreeJS GSAP Axios

Other

Power-BI PostGreSQL AWS

Excel Linux Git Html