

# Elzette Fourie

Student

### Contact

#### **Address**

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### **Skills**

Proficient in English and Afrikaans (writing and speaking)

Problem-Solving

Attention to Detail

Pattern Recognition

Computer Skills

Marketing and advertising

Ambitious Information Technology student currently completing Bachelor in Science in Information Technology and pursuing real-world experience to develop acquired skills. Proficient in Delphi, basic html, C++, C# in applications, python and in web development. Strong programming and problem-solving skills. Eager to learn new processes, programs and procedures, quickly to maximize contributions to user, team and business success.

### **Professional Experience**

2025-02 -Current

# Executive committee member: NWU Chess Club

Potchefstroom, South Africa

Responsibilities:

- Marketing of tournaments
- Design all promotional material for the chess club

Skills:

- Creative skills
- Marketing skills
- Writing skills

2024-03 -Current

#### **Chess Coach**

Potchefstroom, South Africa

Coach primary school chess players

Responsibilities

- Enhance student performance by implementing personalized coaching strategies tailored to individual player strengths and weaknesses.
- Develop critical thinking skills in students by emphasizing the importance of analyzing opponent's moves and predicting possible outcomes.
- Support students when participating in tournaments

#### Skills:

- Entrepreneurial skills
- Problem solving skills
- Managing conflict and people skills
- Managing Finances

Decision-making

Training and development

Analytical skills

Problem-solving aptitude

Patience and empathy

Online teaching experience

Teaching experience

Adaptive lesson planning

# PROGRAMMING LANGUAGES

Python

Basic html

Java

Delphi

C# in application development

C# in web development

C++

2024-02 -2024-10

# SCRS Committee of Dinki Residence: Bookkeeper

Dinki Town Residence, Potchefstroom, South Africa

Responsibilities:

 Keep of record of donations received for the SJGD project of the Dinki Residence

Skills

• Meticulous admin skills

2024-06 -2024-06

## **Squared Sports Intern**

, Klerksdorp, South Africa

Responsibilities

- Design overlays for live streaming of sports events
- Ensure that the correct overlays are screened during the live streaming
- Analyzed problems and worked with teams to develop solutions.
- Explored new technologies and approaches to streamline processes.

Skills

- Problems solving.
- Adaptability to changing circumstances
- Team work

### **Hobbies**

2015

## Chess Player: USSA

Pretoria: South Africa

Represented the NWU ladies chess team at the University South Africa chess championship. The ladies team were wone and the NWU team was second.

2023

# Chess Player: USSA

Durban, South Africa

 Represented the NWU ladies chess team at the University South Africa chess championship.
 The NWU team was overall winners.

2022

**Chess Player: AYCC** 

Chessa, Lusaka, Zambia

 Represented South Africa in the African Youth Chess Championship (AYCC) in the Girls U/20 section.

2021- Chess Player: AISCC

Chessa, Nairobi, Kenya

• I represented South Africa at the African Individual Schools Chess Championship.

### **Education**

Expected Bachelor of Science: Information in 2026-03 Technology

North West University - Potchefstroom

2022 Matriculated from the High School Ferdinant Postma, Potchefstroom

**Subjects:** Afrikaans, English, Mathematics, Information Technology, Computer Application Technology, Accounting

### **COURSES COMPLETED**

- Completed a course in Foundations of Cybersecurity in April 2024.
- Completed an online workshop for Quantum Computing and Programming, July 2023.
- Successfully completed an internal chess coaching course to qualify as a School Instructor. July 2025

### **PARTICIPATIONS**

- Participated in the second round of the programming Olympiad in 2021.
- Participated in the first round of the programming Olympiad in 2022.
- Participated in the first round of the South African Mathematics Olympiad in 2021.

- Participated in the first round of the South African Mathematics Olympiad in 2022.
- Received a Silver award in the 2021 National English Olympiad.
- Received a Merit award in the 2022 National English Olympiad.
- Received a Bronze certificate in the 2022 Computer Applications Olympiad.
- Merit: Participated in the 2021 Accounting Olympiad, qualifying for the second round.