ERAN SHORER

Curriculum Vitae

SUMMARY

- ➤ **MBChB** (Bachelor of Medicine and Surgery) 6th year student.
- **BSc (Med) Hons Neurophysiology** (Summa Cum Laude)
- > Chairman of University of Cape Town Cortex Club

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PERSONAL:

I am a 23-year-old final year medical student passionate about neuroscience and translational research. My academic aspirations are to work on brain-computer interfaces; develop my knowledge base and scientific skill set; and improve the lives of patients during my career.



EDUCATION:

- 2020
 - ➤ Advanced Computational Neuroscience Program

Hosted by IBRO (International Brain Research Organization) 5th January – 25th January

- *2019*
 - ➤ **MBChB year 5** University of Cape Town (UCT) Results pending
 - > Computational neuroscience internship elective

4 weeks spent in a computational neuroscience lab at Penn State University (Pennsylvania, USA)

Online Courses (Extra-curricular)

Advanced level Calculus, (currently on-going)

(10-week course Korean Institute of Advacned Science and Maths)

- Full scholarship awarded
- Grade: upon completion

Principal Component Analyses (6-week course Imperial College London, London, UK) – Completed

- Financial aid pending
- Grade: In process

• *2018*

> MBChB year 4 (UCT)

Year average: 81%

Distinctions: Internal Medicine, Anaesthesia, Neonatology, Clinical Psychiatry, Public Health (Health in Context), Pharmacology and Therapeutics

Online Courses (Extra-curricular)

Linear Algebra (6-week course via Imperial College London, UK)

■ Final grade: 100%

Multivariate calculus (6-week course via Imperial College London, UK)

- Full scholarship awarded
- Final grade: 96%

Introduction to MATLAB (9-week course via Van Der Bilt University, Tennessee, USA)

- Full scholarship awarded
- Final grade 89%

• <u>2017</u>

➤ BSc (Med)Hons Neurophysiology (UCT)

Thesis: "Predicting Working Memory Training Engagement in

Methamphetamine use Disorder Patients"

Supervisor: Dr Samantha Brooks

Course average: 85%

Accolades: Top student in the Neurophysiology program (Summa Cum Laude)

Grants: R90 000 funded by UCT Clinical Scientists Bursary

• 2014 – 2016

➤ MBChB years 1-3 (preclinical) with additional Molecular Medicine course (UCT)

MBChB year 1-3 aggregate: 75%

Accolades: Top student in the Molecular Medicine Course

Online education: Biostatistics Course (UCT) – 94% aggregate

Grants: R30 000 funded by UCT Clinical Scientist Bursary; R 20 000 UCT

health science entrance scholarship

• 2008 – 2013

➤ High School: Crawford College, Sandton

Matric aggregate: 94% with 10 Matric Distinctions

Additional: Advanced Mathematics via the Victorian Curriculum and Assessment Authority (92%)

Accolades: Top academic student in the school; White Honours Blazer for the highest achievement in 3 disciplines (Academics, Service, Music, Public Speaking); Flaum Good-fellowship award; Hirschman Leadership award

LEADERSHIP & EXPERIENCE:

- Chairman of the UCT Cortex Club for 2019/2020.
- Head of Research; UCT Internal Medicine Society 2017/2018; 2018/2019
- Member of SHAWCO rural outreach team
- Former Judiciary Member (head prefect) Crawford College
- Former Executive member of Crawford College
- Former Board member of Interact (Rotary)
- Flaum Leadership accolade awarded in 2013
- Volunteering: 200 hours of volunteer work through various charities and organisations
- Worked as a pharmacy assistant in 2014
- 5 years of experience as a tutor for high-school students

SKILLS & COMPETENCIES:

- Scientific communication
- Statistical knowledge
- Conduct a literature review
- Appraise scientific literature
- Patient interaction
- Adobe Illustrator
- SPSS
- Microsoft Suite
- Basics of JAVA & Delphi programming & App development
- MATLAB
- Understanding of artificial neural networks and machine learning

RESEARCH INTERESTS:

- Translational neuroscience
- Brain-computer interfacing
- Adult and paediatric neurology
- Neurosurgery
- Biophysical signal processing
- Optimization of biomedical systems & processes