

# *Etienne Boshoff*

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## **1. PERSONAL INFORMATION**

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<b>Surname</b>	Boshoff
<b>Name</b>	Etienne
<b>I.D.-number</b>	930724 5123 088
<b>Nationality</b>	South-African
<b>Languages</b>	Afrikaans and English
<b>Driver's License</b>	Code B

## **2. PERSONAL PROFILE**

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I am an ambitious student with a passion to make a difference. I believe in strong moral values and that a balanced life is important for a family, personal, and career success. The strong leadership qualities I possess enable me to inspire others to achieve and to exceed expectations, every day. I am a team player with a noticeable willingness to work hard and stick to deadlines.

## **3. CAREER GOAL/OBJECTIVE**

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I am on the lookout for a career where my passion and knowledge can be utilized to the best of my abilities and the advantage of an employer. I am interested in a career in Information Technology and a specific interest in Software development, security, and Business Management.

## **4. ACADEMIC BACKGROUND**

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### **4.1 EDUCATION**

- North-West University Potchefstroom Campus:  
BSc Information Technology (In progress: Final year; See appendix B for tertiary academic transcript)
- Hoërskool Potchefstroom Gimnasium:  
Grade 12 (See appendix A for the layout of Gr 12 results)

### **4.2 OTHER QUALIFICATIONS / ACHIEVEMENTS**

- MTR1 Basic Military Training Certificate: 2013
- Maritime First Aid Level 1 Certificate: 2013
- A Level Intelligence: 2014
- NBCD (Nuclear, Biological, Chemical Defence and Damage Control) Certificate: 2013

### **4.3. LANGUAGE, COMPUTER, AND OTHER SKILLS**

- I am fluent in Afrikaans and English in the written and verbal form.
- I received training in Microsoft Office, Word, Excel, Outlook, Group Wise, PowerPoint, and Publisher and have experience in working with the many different versions and upgrades since its inception.
- I have experience in setting up Local Area Networks, basic programming, and assembling a computer from scratch as well as doing basic maintenance and repairs. I also received basic training in embedded software development.
- I have experience in working in a multi-cultural environment and feel that I have excellent people skills.
- Through all my previous experience, I also became very good at handling conflict situations which is a necessary skill in the times we live in.
- I received training in meeting procedures that includes compiling an agenda and taking minutes.

## **5. (LIFE) EXPERIENCE**

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### **5.1 CULTURE**

- Music: Guitar.

### **5.2 SPORT**

- Cross Country: Provincial; 2008-2009.
- Cycling.
- Athletics: Regional; 2008.
- Hockey: Provincial; 2010.

### **5.3 LEADERSHIP**

- Head boy: President Pretorius; 2006.
- Group leader for various university subjects; 2015-2020.

### **5.4 COMMUNITY ACTIVITIES**

- Designing and building of medicine cabinet for underprivileged old age home: Ons Hulde; 2015.
- Regular Blood donations.

### **5.5 ACADEMIC ACTIVITIES**

- Research.
- Data gathering/-processing.
- Student Instruction.

### **5.6 INTEREST AND HOBBIES**

- Stamp collecting.
- Playing Pool.

## **6. WORK EXPERIENCE**

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### **Dingo Cycles CC; 2009 - 2011, Acting floor manager and assistant.**

- Dingo Cycles CC was a family business and I was from time to time entrusted to be the acting manager when my father had to attend meetings or had a weekend off.

The work as manager implied inter alia the following functions:

- Managing of personnel and all day to day responsibilities,
  - Handling of all customer enquiries and requests,
  - Receiving and pricing of incoming stock,
  - Planning and organizing of displays,
  - Quality control of repairs from the workshop,
  - Ordering of fast-moving stock,
  - Cashing up at the end of each day and banking.
- I was the official timekeeper for the Dingo Cycles Mountain Bike Race series and assisted in the marking of the race track as well as helping with the registration of riders at races.

**SANDEF: SA NAVY; 2013-2014, Military Skills Development Program.**

- I did two years of voluntary military training where I completed the following courses:
  - Basic Military Training.
  - Firefighting and Damage Control.
  - Maritime First Aid.
  - Military Intelligence

**SANDEF: DEFENCE INTELLIGENCE; 2014, Shipping information, Display and analysis (SIDAS) operator.**

- My work as a SIDAS operator implied inter alia the following functions:
  - Monitoring of Vessels within the SA EEZ, via AIS and other systems.
  - Setting up and maintaining remote AIS sites of Defence Intelligence.
  - Maintaining a vessel database of all the vessels captured by our AIS and Radar systems.
  - Problem-solving regarding network issues and basic maintenance of the network.
  - Entrusted to perform the duties of an SO3 (Senior Officer 3 equivalent of Army Captain Rank).
  - Managing the unit petty cash fund.
  - A co-instructor during a SIDAS course presented to members of the Namibian Defence Force.

**NWU; 2019-2020, Student Instructor**

- Marking of tests
- Facilitation during practical sessions
- Invigilation during tests and exams
- Tutoring students in C, C#, and Python

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## **7. REFERENCES**

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<b>Employer</b>	Mr C.H. Boshoff; Dingo Cycles; Potchefstroom. 082 227 6040
<b>Employer</b>	CPO G. Theys; SANDEF; Cape Town. 021 787 5513
<b>Lecturer</b>	Mr H du Toit; Department of Engineering; NWU; Potchefstroom. 018 299 1361
<b>Principal</b>	Mr R. Oosthuizen; School Principal; Potchefstroom Gimnasium; 018 293 0267