

# **Benard Githu**

### Software Engineer & IT consultant

Highly qualified ICT professional with a Degree in Software Engineering and a Diploma in Information Technology, complemented by hands-on experience in supporting and maintaining ICT systems. Skilled in troubleshooting, performing routine equipment checks, and providing top-tier technical support to users. Passionate about leveraging my technical expertise to enhance operational efficiency and deliver excellent service.

# **EDUCATION**

2023 - Bachelor of Science in Software

2024 Engineering

Alx Africa – Nairobi, Kenya Graduated: 2024

2020 - Diploma in Information Technology

**2023** The Catholic University of Eastern

Africa – Nairobi, Kenya Graduated: 2023

# **TECHNICAL SKILLS**

- IT Support
- Hardware and Software Troubleshooting
- Network Management
- System Maintenance
- ICT Equipment Cleaning and Upkeep
- Programming Languages: C, Python, JavaScript,
- Web Development: HTML, CSS, React.js, Django, Tailwind,
- Databases: MySQL, MongoDB
- Tools: Git, Docker, Visual Studio Code, Trello
- Linux

### **EXPERIENCE**

IT Support Nyahururu Highway Schools, Nyahururu, Kenya. January 2022 – May 2022

- Provided technical support and troubleshooting for IT issues, achieving a 100% satisfaction rate.
- Managed and maintained network infrastructure.
- Assisted in the implementation of new IT systems and software upgrades, enhancing operational efficiency.
- Conducted routine checks and maintained ICT equipment to ensure optimal performance.
- Managed and maintained network infrastructure, ensuring 99.9% uptime.

### **ACHIEVEMENTS**

- Successfully reduced equipment downtime by 30% through proactive maintenance during internship.
- Helped with the smooth transition from an outdated management system to an efficient SMS.

# **SOFT SKILLS**

- Communication: Ability to convey information clearly and effectively.
- Teamwork: Working well within a team, collaborating, and supporting colleagues.
- Problem-solving: Identifying issues and finding effective solutions.
- Time Management: Efficiently managing one's time to meet deadlines and handle tasks.
- Adaptability: Being flexible and open to change and new challenges.
- Critical Thinking: Analyzing and evaluating information to make sound decisions.
- Work Ethic: Demonstrating dedication and commitment to your work.
- Attention to Detail: Being meticulous and thorough in completing tasks.

### ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

#### Github:

https://github.com/Githu77

#### Linkedin:

https://www.linkedin.com/in/benard-githu-20a82b19a/

### **PROJECTS**

### E-commerce Platform:

Developed a full-stack e-commerce platform using Python(Django), Node.js, HTML and Tailwind

#### Github Source Code -

https://github.com/Githu77/EasyBuy

#### **Business Website:**

Developed a full-stack business website using React and Node.js.

### Github Source Code -

https://github.com/Githu77/dolce\_bakers

# **ACTIVITIES**

### **Tech Meetups**

 Regular participant in local tech meetups, networking with professionals and staying updated on industry trends.

### **Hackathons**

 Competed in various hackathons, developing innovative solutions and collaborating with diverse teams.

### **Professional Development**

 Attended workshops on web hosting, cloud computing, and agile methodologies to enhance technical knowledge.