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PROFILE

Motivated Data Analyst with a strong passion for data analysis seeking a challenging role. Bring a solid track record in Big Data Analytics, Data Visualization with expertise in statistical analysis, data mining & predictive modeling. Skilled in leveraging the MS Data Stack including SQL Server & Power BI. Proficient in advanced Excel functions (COUNTIF, XLOOKUP, VLOOKUP) data validation, conditional formatting & data cleaning using Power Query. Experienced in creating interactive dashboards & implementing complex calculations using Power BI DAX functions. Committed to delivering insights & continuously improving the skills in SQL, Python, Excel & big data technologies

SKILLS

Programming	Data Analysis &	Machine Learning & Al	Big Data & Tools
Languages	Visualization	Predictive Modeling,	PySpark
Python (Pandas,	Power BI (RLS, DAX)	Neural Networks,	GCP (BigQuery)
NumPy, Scikit-learn)	Advanced MS Excel	Natural Language	ETL Processes
R	(XLOOKUP, Power Q	Processing, Decision	Data Mining
MySQL	Pivot Tables)	Trees, Clustering	
Azure SQL Server			

EXPERIENCE

1. Data Analyst - Alkhidmat Welfare UK (Part time)

(January 2024 - Present)

KEY SKILL: Python, SQL, Power BI, MS Excel, CRM, Machine Learning, Data Analysis, Report Writing

- Achieved a 25% reduction in reporting time & improved donor satisfaction by leveraging advanced Excel techniques for data analysis & reporting, leading to a significant increase in charitable donations.
- Managed and preprocessed donor data, including comprehensive data cleaning, transformation, and validation, ensuring accuracy and consistency across datasets.
- Implemented MS Excel, employing functions like VLOOKUP, INDEX MATCH, COUNTIF, conditional formatting, and pivot tables to analyze and present data.
- **Developed and maintained detailed donor profiles** within the CRM (donorfy) system, streamlining data management processes.
- Applied **Python and SQL** for data extraction, manipulation, and analysis, **enhancing efficiency and accuracy** by **30%** of data processing tasks.
- **Created Power BI dashboards** to visualize and communicate key insights to stakeholders, **driving data-informed decision-making** within the organization.
- Introduced machine learning models (decision trees, clustering) to segment donor data and predict donor retention, enhancing fundraising strategies and operational planning.
- Regularly produced reports and presentations to effectively communicate data insights to senior leadership, supporting strategic decision-making.

2. Customer Service - Blue Line Operations Ltd (Part time) KEY SKILL: Customer Service, MS Excel, Report Writing

(June 2023- January 2024)

- Transformed Excel for data entry and analysis, streamlining customer service operations, leading to a 20% increase in efficiency in handling over 1,000 customer requests
- **Cultivated robust communication** and interpersonal abilities through direct customer interactions, ensuring clear and effective exchanges.
- Employed adept problem-solving skills to swiftly address and resolve customer inquiries, maintaining high levels of satisfaction.
- Maintained meticulous records of customer interactions using Excel for accurate tracking and reporting, enhancing the ability to identify trends and improve service quality.

- 3. Data Management and Analyst Alpha Evolution Enterprises (February 2022- December 2022) KEY SKILL: Customer Service, MS Excel, Report Writing, Power BI, PowerPoint
- Enhanced online presence, leading to a **20% increase in web traffic** by optimizing data integration processes, resulting in over **1,000+ viewers** within six months.
- Collaborated with cross-functional teams to drive project success and streamline operations.
- Leveraged **MS Excel** for data analysis, **using pivot tables, VLOOKUP, and conditional formatting** to support decision-making.
- Created a dashboard in Power BI for real-time data visualization and performance tracking.
- Developed and delivered presentations in PowerPoint to communicate data insights to stakeholders effectively.
- Applied **predictive modeling techniques** to forecast performance metrics, optimizing operational planning and resource allocation.
- 4. Student Project Administrator Study Aid Foundation for Excellence (February 2021- January 2022)
- Enhanced project management skills and designed smooth and efficient project execution.
- Managed and shared team information using Excel, employing functions for data organization and analysis.
- Analyzed feedback and survey responses with Excel to derive actionable insights and support project improvements.
- 5. Intern Junior Web Developer- Emerssive Solutions

(June 2019 – December 2019)

- Gained practical experience in front-end (PHP) and back-end (Python) development through web projects, contributing to a 40% faster development cycle for new features.
- Applied robust security measures to ensure data integrity and protect user privacy
- Executed data-driven features in web applications, enriching user experience and visualization.

EDUCATION

1. Coventry University, United Kingdom

(January 2023 - January 2024)

MSc Data Science and Computational Intelligence (Merit)

- Distinctions: Big Data Analytics & Data Visualization, Modeling & Optimization, Information Retrieval.
- **Notable Achievements:** Developed advanced machine learning models, optimized predictive algorithms, and conducted large-scale data transformations.
- 2. University of Management and Technology, Pakistan

(September 2017- December 2021)

BSc in Computer Science (2:2)

PROJECTS

- 1. Speech Recognition automatically by using Artificial Neural Network
- 2. Predicted Customer Churn in the Telecommunications Industry using Bayesian Networks and Classification
- 3. Salary Prediction of an Adult by using Machine Learning Algorithms
- 4. Analyzing Video Game Sales Data using PySpark and Tableau
- 5. <u>Implemented Search Engine with Document Clustering</u>
- 6. Analysing Coffee Shop Sales by Using Advance Excel Techniques
- 7. Analysing Beverage Sales Analysis by Data Visualization
- **8.** <u>Comprehensive Progress Analysis for a Student Organization</u>
- **9.** Diamond One- Bedroom Apartment Analytics

CERTIFICATIONS

- 1. Learning Data Analytics: 1 Foundations
- 2. Learning Data Analytics Part 2: Extending and Applying Core Knowledge.