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## PROFILE

Accomplished data science and analytics professional with a strong background in supply chain and logistics, dedicated to leveraging expertise in data analysis, Python, and SQL to drive excellence in an organisation. Proven track record in using data to optimise material availability, reducing downtime, track logistics KPIs, achieving substantial cost savings, and foster a culture of continuous improvement in supply chain operations.

## TECHNICAL SKILLS

- **Data Analysis:** Advanced proficiency in SQL, Excel, and Python for data manipulation and analysis.
- **Data Visualization:** Experience in creating meaningful data visualization and reports using Power BI.
- **Project Management:** Skilled in project management and effective team collaboration.

## PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

**Material Scheduler – Demand Planner | Haleon, Maidenhead UK**

**Jul 2023 till date**

### Key Achievements and Responsibilities

- Developed a Power BI visualization for logistics team KPIs enabling real-time tracking of site output vs plan and YTD write offs.
- Implemented Excel VBA and macros to combine no demand and expired reports, saving time in generating weekly reports.
- Maintained a comprehensive data tracking system for rundown items, blocked stock, and expired materials, thereby mitigating and reducing site liability of write offs by an impressive 30%. These aligned with the organization's sustainability objectives.
- Collaborated with team members to create and maintain an automated inventory tracking sheet, ensuring an average warehouse utilisation rate of 70%.
- Performed manual demand forecasting, to account for demand fluctuations and proactively anticipate constraints.
- Led initiatives to instil a culture of continuous improvement within the supply chain division, which rectified inefficiencies, and implemented best practices, backed by data root cause analysis.
- Conducted regular supplier engagement calls to proactively monitor supplier capacity and address potential constraints, ensuring the seamless flow of the supply chain.

**Business Development Analyst | BMO Security and Guards Ltd Nigeria**

**Apr 2019 to Aug 2022**

A registered private security company in Abuja, Nigeria, providing manned security guards and consultancy services to its clients.

### Key Achievements and Responsibilities

- Defining long-term organisational strategic goals and building key customer relationships.
- Identifying business opportunities in the security industry and negotiating and closing business deals
- Focused on marketing strategies to improve the company's market position and achieve financial growth, which led to an increase in the client base by 40% over two years.
- Drafted a policy document for the management of staff.

## EDUCATION & QUALIFICATIONS

Nottingham Trent University – MSc Management and Global Supply Chain Management (September 2024)

Federal University of Technology, Minna - BTech Project Management Technology (November 2017)

## EXTRA-CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES

Engaged in The Fresh Connection Supply Chain Simulation Game, showcasing data-drive decision making skills in optimizing supply chain performance.

- Worked under pressure to optimise supply chain performance, honing problem solving and decision-making skills in a simulated business environment.
- Achieved valuable exposure to key supply chain concepts, including demand variability, lead time management, and risk mitigation.
- Collaborated with a cross-functional team to make strategic decisions related to supply chain management, including production planning, inventory optimisation and demand forecasting.

## VOLUNTEER EXPERIENCE

- Fundraised for Macmillan Cancer Trust through Macmillan coffee morning, raising £290.90 for charity.
- Introduced SDG Education clubs to public schools and conducted voter education outreach during National Youth Service Corps (NYSC).

## TRAINING AND CERTIFICATIONS

- Microsoft learn – Build Power BI visuals and reports (2023)
- Google Data Analytics Course – In View (2023)
- The Fresh Connection Supply Chain Simulation Game [2023],
- KPMG Data Analytics Consulting Virtual Internship [2018],
- LinkedIn - Learning Excel Data Analysis [2018], LinkedIn - Business Analyst and Project Manager Collaboration [2018].