

# KAUNG SI THU

## Junior Data Scientist | Data Analyst

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Junior Data Scientist with a strong foundation in data analysis, machine learning, and predictive modeling. Proficient in Python, SQL, Tableau, and Excel, with hands-on experience building end-to-end data science projects including feature engineering, model training, evaluation, and dashboard deployment. Passionate about transforming complex datasets into actionable insights and scalable data-driven solutions.

## Work Experiences

<b>Fireclash Enterprises - Rajkot, India</b> <i>Data-Driven Web Development Intern</i>	May 2023 - Dec 2023
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Utilized SQL to analyze user behavior and feature engagement data from a medical web application, enabling data-driven UI/UX enhancements.</li><li>Designed and maintained a relational database schema for hospital patient records and bed management modules, reducing data retrieval time by 40% and improving real-time access to operational insights.</li><li>Collaborated with a cross-functional team of developers and analysts, integrating hospital data pipelines into product workflows using Git and Agile, delivering 3 major feature updates.</li></ul>	
<b>Take Your Time - Yangon, Myanmar</b> <i>Technical Project Lead (Web &amp; Data-Focused)</i>	Feb 2021 - Dec 2022
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Analyzed stakeholder requirements and conducted user research on over 100 feedback entries to define key data needs, content priorities, and information architecture for a nonprofit education website.</li><li>Led a team of 3 using Agile and Git to deliver key features on time, resulting in a 30% boost in user engagement within the first month.</li></ul>	

## Education Level

<b>Universiti Teknologi Malaysia – Johor Bahru, Malaysia</b> <i>Master of Data Science</i>	Oct 2025 - Expected Feb 2027
<b>Marwadi University - Rajkot, India</b> <i>Bachelor of Technology in Information Technology</i>	Jun 2021 - Apr 2025
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Led a capstone project on unemployment forecasting, developing machine learning models in Python that achieved 90%+ predictive accuracy, supporting data-backed policy insights.</li><li>Completed industry-recognized certifications (Google Data Analytics, DataCamp Data Scientist) while pursuing to strengthen skills in statistical analysis, machine learning, and data storytelling.</li></ul>	

## Technical Skills

<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li><b>Programming &amp; ML:</b> Python (Pandas, NumPy, Scikit-learn), Machine Learning, MLFlow</li><li><b>Data &amp; Databases:</b> SQL (PostgreSQL, MySQL), Data Modeling, Feature Engineering</li><li><b>Cloud &amp; Big Data:</b> AWS, Apache Spark</li><li><b>Visualization &amp; Tools:</b> Tableau, Excel (Advanced, PivotTables), Git, Docker</li></ul>	
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## Projects

<b>Unemployment Analysis and Prediction in India &amp; Pakistan (Team Leader)</b>	Mar 2025 - Apr 2025
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Analyzed unemployment records from India and Pakistan using Python (Pandas, Matplotlib) to identify macroeconomic trends and regional disparities.</li><li>Developed regression and ensemble-based models to forecast unemployment rates with 90%+ accuracy, supporting data-informed policy recommendations.</li><li>Created interactive Plotly dashboards to visualize insights and present findings to academic stakeholders.</li></ul>	
<b>Predicting HDB Resale Prices in Singapore</b>	Jan 2025 - Feb 2025
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Cleaned and engineered features from 100,000+ rows of resale flat transaction data, incorporating town, flat type, lease, and geolocation (OneMap API).</li><li>Engineered features from over 100,000 transaction records to build an XGBoost model that predicts HDB resale prices with over 90% accuracy, empowering Singaporean home buyers and sellers to make confident, data-driven financial decisions.</li><li>Deployed results through a Plotly Dash tool that allowed real-time price prediction based on user-selected flat features.</li></ul>	

## Forecasting Tourism Demand in Singapore

Nov 2024 - Dec 2024

- Collected and integrated historical tourism arrival data, weather patterns, and event schedules to model demand fluctuations in Singapore's tourism sector.
- Developed a forecasting model using Random Forest and XGBoost (RMSE < 10%) to predict monthly tourist arrivals, delivering an interactive Plotly Dash dashboard that allows tourism stakeholders to proactively manage staffing, marketing spend, and resource allocation based on data-driven demand signals.

## Additional Information

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- **Certification:** <https://drive.google.com/drive/folders/19Aq6dByi5FzzKfxc8rI0uPv3Aq8tN46v?usp=sharing>
- **My Portfolio Website:** <https://kaung-si-thu-the-analyst.vercel.app/>

