# Mwai Karimi

## **SKILLS**

Python, Django, HTML5, CSS, Git, Javascript, SQL, MongoDB, Docker, Chartio, Tableau, Photoshop, Illustrator

#### **EXPERIENCE**

**Kyero, Bristol, UK** – Graduate Data Analysis Engineer

July 2017 - December 2017

- Performed data wrangling and scraping with Python
- Helped developed machine learning algorithms to predict house prices, customer preferences and consumer trends.
- Developed dashboard reports on Chartio and Tableau
- Analysed data by writing complex MySQL and Postgresql queries.
- Analysed and examined data using aggregation pipelines in MongoDB
- Worked with Google Analytics and Campaign monitor APIs to query data, build reports and understand customer behaviour.

#### SSGC, Swindon, UK - Junior Software Developer

Feb 2016 - August 2016

- Maintained existing web applications and codebase in PHP & Javascript
- Performing database queries on SQL Server
- Helped build and redesign the prototype of an Android mobile app

#### Urban Kreative, Nairobi, KE - Web Developer

September 2013 - December 2014

- Helped craft new and maintain existing websites for clients. Worked with PHP, HTML5, CSS & Javascript
- Helped develop an e-learning platform (EnezaElimu) aimed at revolutionising Kenya's education system.

## Fresh Ideas, Nairobi, KE - S.E.O Analyst

April 2013 - December 2014

- I performed keyword research to optimize existing content.
- Executed strategies for content development

 Administered search engine programs (XML sitemaps, feeds, webmaster tools) for purposes of diagnostic reporting

#### **Live Unchained, Washington DC, US** - S.E.O Intern

May 2012 - December 2012

- I managed and developed campaigns for Facebook, Twitter & Tumblr
- Helped set up RSS readers to monitor social media activities around similar media, arts initiatives and women organisations.

# **EDUCATION**

The Algarve University, Faro, PT - Msc. Informatics Engineering
February 2015 - August 2018

Core subjects: neural networks and machine learning, computer evolution, advanced software engineering, image processing and systems programming.

Daystar University, Nairobi, KE - Bcom. Management Infor. Systems
May 2009 - June 2013

Graduated with upper second class honours (66.75%).

Core subjects: System analysis and design, software engineering, data structures and algorithms.

## TALKS and PROJECTS

I was one of the first recipients of the <u>MongoDB Diversity Scholarship</u>

Active member of <u>Faro Dev Day</u>. Gave a <u>talk</u> on it's premier.

<u>AlterConf Berlin</u> - my talk on 'How Accessibility in Mobile Devices has Changed Lives in Sub-saharan Africa'

<u>DISC New York</u> - NumFocus/PyData Unconference with projects focussed on inclusivity in the data science community and data science ethics

<u>Github.com/Kmwai</u> - repository with some of my personal projects

# PERSONAL

I enjoy travelling, history, music, space technology, engineering marvels and cooking. Passionate about women empowerment, diversity in tech and issues homologous with race and equality.