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Summary

"Man is made and unmade by himself. In the armory of thought he forges the weapons by which he destroys himself. He also fashions the tools with which he builds himself heavenly mansions of joy, strength and peace." - James Allen, As a man thinketh

Experience



Research Data Manager

Elizabeth Glaser Pediatric AIDS Foundation

Dec 2018 - Present (2 years +)

- Monitoring, evaluation, and implementation of data management standards within the Public Health Evaluation department.
- Formulation of data management techniques and controls for quality data collection to ensure adequacy, accuracy, and legitimacy of data.
- Development and Implementation of efficient and secure procedures for data management and analysis with attention to all technical aspects and ethical research principles.
- Establishment of rules and procedures for data sharing with upper management and external stakeholders.
- Development of technical reports and dashboards to inform research study progress updates.



Data Analytics Professional

Upwork

Jan 2020 - Present (11 months +)

- Mining data from primary and secondary sources, then reorganizing said data in a format that can be easily understood.
- Using statistical tools to interpret data sets, paying particular attention to trends and patterns that could be valuable for diagnostic and predictive analytics efforts.
- Collaborating with clients to identify opportunities for process improvements, recommend system modifications, and develop policies for data governance.
- Preparing reports to inform business decision making that effectively communicate trends, patterns, and predictions using relevant data.



Web Applications Developer

Computer Business Solutions

Apr 2017 - Dec 2018 (1 year 9 months)

- Development of software systems by designing, developing, and installing software solutions.
- Determining operational feasibility by evaluating system requirements versus the proposed solutions.
- Preparation of technical training manuals for system end-users & administrators.
- Project management role in projects using waterfall and agile methodologies (SCRUM).



Applications developer - Intern

Computer Business Solutions

Jun 2016 - Apr 2017 (11 months)



Junior IT technician (Volunteer)

Red Cross Youth

Jan 2011 - Aug 2015 (4 years 8 months)

- Installing and configuring hardware and software components to ensure usability.
- Troubleshooting and maintenance hardware and software issues.
- Ensuring electrical safety standards are met.
- Repairing or replacing damaged hardware.
- Upgrading the entire system to enable compatible software on all computers.

Education



Stellenbosch University

Postgraduate Diploma, Industrial Engineering, Data Science

2020 - 2022

This programme focuses on enabling students to develop innovative optimization and machine learning techniques to produce novel, efficient and robust data science technologies, for use in Industrial Engineering, Engineering Management and related applications. Examples include Forecasting, Customer segmentation, and targeted marketing, Production quality control, Supply chain performance prediction and Process monitoring.



Cornell University

Certificate, Data Analytics

2019 - 2019

The three-tiered certification provides learning on statistical and scientific methods for data analysis through hands-on exercises, the following courses make up the certification: Understanding and Visualizing Data, Implementing Scientific Decision Making, and Using Predictive Data Analysis.

Certificate Link - https://github.com/LM411/certifications/blob/main/cornell_makoti.pdf



University of Cape Town

Certificate, Data Analysis

2018 - 2018

The certification focuses on these key areas of study data-driven decision-making, Research questions for data analysis, Organising data in Microsoft Excel, Statistical analysis using Microsoft Excel, Introduction to databases and SQL, Interpretation of outcomes, and Data presentation and visualization.

Certificate Link - https://github.com/LM411/certifications/blob/main/data_analysis_makoti.pdf



National University of Lesotho

Bachelor's degree, Bsc. Mathematics and Computer Science

This programme aims to give students a thorough understanding of both mathematics and computing to enable them to operate at the cutting edge of computer and data science, machine learning and artificial intelligence. Students have the flexibility to focus on the areas of computer science or artificial intelligence and related fields with the application of mathematics and computer science.

Licenses & Certifications



MTA: Database Fundamentals - Certified 2017 - Microsoft

G424-9729



ITIL Foundation certificate in IT Service Management - AXELOS Global Best Practice

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PH125.2x: Data Science: R Basics - edX

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PH125.2x: Data Science: Visualization - edX

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Research Ethics - FHI 360

Issued Dec 2018 - Expires Dec 2020



DAT207x: Analyzing and Visualizing Data with Power BI - Microsoft

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Big Data Modeling and Management Systems - UC San Diego

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DAT249x: Ethics and Law in Data and Analytics - Microsoft

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DAT248x Analytics Storytelling for Impact - Microsoft

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Applied Data Analysis: Working in Organizations and Industries - Microsoft:

DAT289x - Microsoft

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Applied Data Analytics - Professional Certificate - Microsoft

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Project Management for Development Professionals (PMD-Pro) - PM4NGOs

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Enterprise Big Data Professional - Big Data Framework

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Data Management Training Workshop - Elizabeth Glaser Pediatric AIDS Foundation



Tableau Desktop Specialist - Tableau Software

1020785



CommCare Application Building - Dimagi

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Data Science Fundamentals - Microsoft

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Data Analytics Consulting Virtual Internship - KPMG US

jXhWX3J2yJP6ZHztC



Control Objectives for Information and Related Technology (COBIT2019) - ISACA

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Oracle Cloud Infrastructure 2020 Certified Associate - Oracle

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Oracle Autonomous Database Cloud 2019 Certified Specialist - Oracle

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Microsoft Certified: Azure Fundamentals - Microsoft



Microsoft Certified: Data Analyst Associate - Microsoft

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Lean Six Sigma Black Belt - GreyCampus

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Microsoft Certified Trainer 2020-2021 - Microsoft

Skills

Data Analysis • Microsoft Excel • WordPress • Project Management • Database Administration • Software Development • Business Analysis • Software Development Life Cycle (SDLC) • Software Project Management • ITIL

Honors & Awards



Inclusive Finance Hackathon Winner - UNDP, Ministry of Finance Lesotho, FINMark, Meltwater, Vodacom & Econet

Jan 2017

Winner, LSIMM Hackathon on inclusive financial services on inclusive financial services (UNDP, Ministry of Finance Lesotho, FINMark, Meltwater, Vodacom & Econet)



Telecommunications Hackathon Co-Winner - Vodacom, Nedbank & Ministry of Trade

Jan 2014

Winner, Hackathon on industry challenges in Telecommunications (Vodacom, Nedbank & Ministry of Trade)