

Lené Kriel

BSc IT Student

I thrive in fast-paced environments and excel at quickly adapting to new challenges. My commitment to excellence and willingness to invest the necessary hours distinguish me as an exceptional individual. I am driven to consistently push myself to be the best version possible, motivating me to work diligently and go above and beyond expectations.

I am deeply passionate about animals and wildlife. My future aspirations involve seamlessly integrating my profound love and knowledge of animals with my IT skills. I am eager to explore ways to bring together these two aspects of my expertise.

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Soft Skills

Self-inspired.

Detail-oriented.

Open to learn and grow.

Strong work ethics.

Active listening and
communication.

Computer proficiency.

Handle pressure and meet
deadlines.

Problem-solving abilities.

Software Skills

Python

C++

C#

Education

Bachelor of Science: Information Technology

NWU - POTCHEFSTROOM

2023: Finished first year BSc IT with 5 distinctions.

2024: Second year in BSc IT online.

CEMICAL ENGINEERING 1ST YEAR

NWU - POTCHEFSTROOM

2020: Finished my 1st year in Chemical Engineering with 10 distinctions.

High School

VEREENIGING GIMNASIUM

2015: Gauteng Lions 0/16 team.

2015 - 2017: First team Girl's Cricket

2016: Netball A team

Math Olympics - Best in vaal

Gauteng Math Olympics - Top 15

2018: First team Hockey - 2nd in Noordvaal

2018 - 2019: AdMaths

School events planning committee

2019: School prefect

3 Distinctions (Mathematics, English and Life Orientation)

Throughout High School:

Rhetorical speaking, Debate, Cheerleading, Drama and art festivals (Honorary colours for 12 years in drama), Top 3 academics (5 years)

SQL

HTML

CSS

Adobe Lightroom

Adobe Photoshop

Adobe InDesign

Adobe Premiere Pro

Languages

AFRIKAANS

ENGLISH

Volunteer Experience

- Volunteered and job shadowed over 300 hours with vets.
- Volunteered regularly at SPCA.
- Freelance work in Sage and Pastel.
- Freelance Personal Assistance.

Work History

2021-03 -
Current

SOCIAL MEDIA MANAGEMENT

KLS MEDIA

- Running KLS MEDIA's social platforms.
- Managing social media platforms of our clients.
- Leveraged social media management tools to prepare, schedule and manage posts.
- Assisted with social media and website management to create strong organizational online presence and reach and engage broad audiences.
- Designed and implemented social media strategies to align with business goals.

2021-03 -
Current

PHOTOGRAPHER

KLS MEDIA

- Working as a photographer for KLS Media's clients
- Portrait, Couples, Matric Farewells, Automotive, Sport events and mainly Wildlife and Live event photography
- Experience in Adobe Lightroom, Photoshop, InDesign and Premiere Pro.
- Assisted clients in selecting poses, wardrobe and backgrounds to photograph different looks, concepts and locations.
- Collaborated with other photographers and videographers to capture special events.

2021-03 -
Current

CUSTOMER SERVICE

KLS MEDIA

- Communicating with clients to finding out their need
- Planning photography and videography events
- Making quotes and invoices for our clients
- Scheduled and booked locations for photo shoots,

- working collaboratively with clients and contacts.
- Resolved issues and maintained customer service standards.

2022-12 -
2023-11

WAITRESS

HENNIE'S, Potchefstroom

- I worked as a waitress and door lady part time while studying BSc IT.
- This entailed cleaning the restaurant, managing tables, taking orders and provide excellent client service.
- Multi tasking and time management were essential skills for me to do the job.

2021-09 -
2022-06

TEACHING

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- Tutoring school students in person and online.

2021-01 -
2021-04

JOB SHADOWING

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- Research for the company from an engineering point of view on processes needed for smoothie production.

2020-08 -
2020-09

INTERN

KIMLEIGH CHEMICALS

- Analyses of chemical compounds
- Trained to work with Viscosity measurements, pH meters, drill press, density measurements and manual single-channel pipette
- Did a mini-project for the company to investigate shear-rate dependent viscosities.

2019-12 -
2020-01

INTERN

WELTEVREDE LEEUPLAAS

- Worked with lions, cheetahs, hyenas etc
- Preparing and feeding wild animals, cleaning cages and giving tours to visitors.

2019-04 -
2019-12

JOB SHADOWING

DRIE RIVIERE DIERE KLINIEK

- Watching in on surgeries and consultations
- Helping with medication and treatment
- Go on call outs and help with after hour emergencies.

2019-05 -
2019-06

JOB SHADOWING

POULTRY FARM

- Injecting chickens with needed medicine.

2019-04 -
2019-05

JOB SHADOWING

JOHANNESBURG WILDLIFE VETERINARY HOSPITAL

- Gained experience with injured and rescued wildlife animals such as otter, eagles, vultures, pangolins, bush babies etc
- Preparing meals, feeding them and cleaning cages.

2019-03 -
2019-04

INTERN

SASOL VETERINARY

- Trained and gained experience with cattle, pigs and chicken
- Injecting them and taking blood samples.



Driver License

CODE A & B



References

Kyle Saunders, KLS Media - 0662991812

Stephan, Hennie's Potchefstroom - 0712208331

Henry Hattingh, Sasol Veterinary - 0836353041

NWU, University - 0182854320