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PROFILE

I am a results-driven individual with strong problem-solving abilities and a dedication to excellence. I thrive on challenges and am always eager to learn and take on new tasks. Leveraging my education in Botany and Plant Pathology, I operate my own micro-business nursery from home, cultivating and nurturing plants while managing their advertisement and sale. Combining my botanical knowledge with entrepreneurial spirit, I strive to thrive in the nursery business. Additionally, I have gained one year of valuable internship experience in software development, which has ignited my passion for programming. I aspire to further develop my programming skills, aiming to contribute innovative solutions in the dynamic world of software development while continuing to nurture and grow my botanical business.

EXPERIENCE

- February 2023 - Present
Intern Software Developer
Just Brands Africa - SOCO_ED
 - Develop and maintain applications.
 - Research, investigate, and fix a wide range of technical issues.
 - Collaborate with development teams and cross-functional teams.
 - Approach problems and create solutions.
 - Proactively learn about new technologies.
 - Assist in the development, testing, and maintenance of web applications using Tailwind CSS, Next.js, Typescript, React.
 - Implement responsive web design principles to ensure applications render well on various devices and screen sizes.
 - Adhere to coding best practices and maintain code quality.
- January 2022 - Present
Micro business - Plant nursery
DNH Herbal Academy and Nursery
 - Research and preparation of information material for information sessions.
 - Preparation of visual presentations and organization of information sessions.
 - Grow different plants from seed and cuttings, take care of plants (water, plant nutrition and take care of pests and diseases) until the plants are sold.
 - Design advertisements and marketing of plants on social media.
 - Handling customers and transactions.

EDUCATION

- 2023 - present
Responsive Web Design
FreeCodeCamp
- 2022 - 2023
Software Engineering Course
ALX (African Leadership X)
- 2021
Bachelor's Honours degree majoring in Plant Health Ecology
University of the Free State
- 2018 - 2020
Bachelor's degree majoring in Plant Pathology and Botany
University of the Free State
- 2017
Higher Certificate in Life and Environmental Science
University of South Africa
- 2011 - 2015
High School - National Senior Certificate
Jim Fouché High School

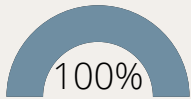
SKILLSET

- Positive Attitude
- Accuracy and Diligence
- Decision making and Problem solving
- Multitasking
- Work ethic
- Organised
- Initiative-taking
- Adaptable
- Communication (written and verbal)
- Customer service
- Time management
- Teamwork
- Neat
- Precision
- Punctual
- Honest and dependable
- Responsible

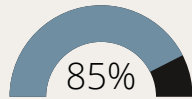
EXPERIENCE (CONTINUE)

- September 2021 - October 2021
Student Assistant for Practical's
University of the Free State
 - Preparing for practical sessions before it starts.
 - Assisting students with queries.
 - Marking of practical tests.
- January 2021 - March 2021
Tutor
Steppingstone of Hope
 - Tutoring home school learners in Computer Applications Technology (Grade 10 and 12), Tourism (Grade 11), Agricultural management (Grade 11), Agricultural Science (Grade 11).
- February 2017 - November 2017
Administrative Clerk
Seanda Healthcare Agency (Rosepark Life Hospital)
 - Maintained stock and dead stock, doing cycle counts and quarterly stock takes and variance investigation.
 - Doing weekly reports, liaise with nursing staff regarding queries and timeous follow up.
 - Ordering and unpacking of stock from pharmacy.
 - Maintaining shelves in the storeroom.
 - Answering phone calls and assist queries.
 - Drawing up daily reports and Doctor's theatre lists.
 - Making patients follow up appointments with their doctor.
 - Filing of patient's documents.
- January 2016 - June 2016
Fitness Technician
Curves Bloemfontein West
 - Motivates customers and demonstrate exercises.
 - Organizing and storing information.
 - Dealing with queries.
 - Reception work.
 - Making appointments with interested customers.
 - Marketing by means of sourcing leads.
 - Measure and document vitals of customers.
- January 2014 - December 2014
Store Cashier
Saverite Supermarket
 - Receiving payments and issuing receipts.
 - Keeping track of all cash and credit transactions.
 - Assisting customers with queries and customer care.
 - Training of new cashier staff.

LANGUAGE



Afrikaans



English

PERSONAL DETAILS

Age : 26
Marital Status : Married
Nationality : South African
Drivers License : Code B

ACHIEVEMENTS & AWARDS

- Commendation Certificate Issued by the University of the Free State (May 2019) - Outstanding student research project presentation
- Eskom Expo for Young Scientists Issued by the University of the Free State (August 2012) - Best project in grades 8-9.
- Award for best field athlete in high school (2015).

INTERESTS

- Gardening
- Recipes
- Socialising with friends
- Camping
- Hiking
- Travelling

WORKING KNOWLEDGE

- Microsoft Office Suite 365
- Google drive
- Gmail
- Public speaking
- General laboratory skills
- Research skills
- Trello
- Taiga
- Discord
- Visual Studio Code
- GitHub and GitHub Desktop
- Tailwind CSS
- CSS
- HTML
- React (Next.js)
- Typescript

PUBLICATIONS

- Rothmann, L.A., Meiring, M.C., Kleinhans, N.J., Hlongwane, N. (2022). Detection and quantification of *Sclerotinia sclerotiorum* in soya bean seed. *Oilseeds Focus*, 8(3), 15-17.
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