

# Presley Chikopa

*Data Preprocessor & Web Dev*

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## Profile

Front-End Web Developer with experience at Angels Bracelets, working with React.js and TypeScript. Skilled in building responsive designs using Bootstrap to improve user experience. Familiar with data cleaning and visualization using Python for analysis. Collaborative team player, eager to contribute to projects and learn new technologies.

## Professional Experience

11/2025 – Present Blantyre	<b>MGA &amp; Associate Developer</b> <i>Tigule Marketplace</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• upported growth of the Tigule Marketplace by onboarding sellers and assisting with product listings</li><li>• Helped optimize marketplace operations to improve user experience and engagement</li><li>• Assisted in planning and executing growth strategies to increase traffic</li><li>• Contributed to marketplace development by supporting feature testing and updates</li><li>• Worked closely with the development team to identify bugs and suggest improvements</li><li>• Provided technical and operational support</li></ul>
08/2025 – Present Blantyre	<b>Front-End Web Developer</b> <i>Angels Bracelets</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Developed and implemented the front-end website for Angels Bracelets using React.js and TypeScript</li><li>• Integrated Bootstrap for responsive design, ensuring a seamless user experience across devices.</li><li>• Built reusable UI components to improve development efficiency and maintainability.</li><li>• Collaborated with team members to align design and functionality with business goals</li></ul>
04/2025 – 05/2025 Blantyre	<b>Data Entry &amp; Cleaning</b> <i>Freelance</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Entered and maintained accurate sales data in Excel spreadsheets.</li><li>• Cleaned and formatted large datasets to improve readability and consistency</li><li>• Applied Excel formulas and functions to validate and cross-check data</li></ul>

## Education

11/2024 – Present Mzuzu, Malawi	<b>Bachelor Of Science In Data Science (ongoing)</b> <i>Mzuzu University</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Member of Data Science Community</li><li>• Obtained an average score of 85% in Python programming assessments, demonstrating strong proficiency in coding and problem-solving</li></ul>
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## Skills

### Python

Programming, scripting, and problem-solving.

### Data Visualization

Using libraries like Matplotlib and Seaborn to create insights-driven charts.

### React.js & TypeScript

Developing dynamic, component-based front-end applications and websites

### Data Cleaning

Handling missing values, correcting data types, and ensuring dataset consistency.

### HTML, CSS & JavaScript

Building responsive and structured web pages.

### Effective Communication

- Clear and concise verbal communication in team and client interactions.
- Presentation and public speaking skills for sharing ideas confidently.

## Certificates

### Malawi School Certificate of Education (James Chiona Catholic High School)

Achieved 15 points at secondary school level

### Data Cleaning(Kaggle)

- Gained hands-on experience in cleaning and preparing datasets for analysis
- Learned techniques for handling missing values, correcting data types, and removing duplicates
- Applied Python libraries such as Pandas and NumPy to perform efficient data cleaning tasks

### CCNA: Introduction to Computer Networks

- Basics of computer networking
- Network devices and topologies
- OSI and TCP/IP models
- IP addressing fundamentals
- Basic routing, switching, and security concepts

### Pandas (Kaggle)

- Built proficiency in using Pandas for data manipulation and analysis.
- Learned to filter, sort, group, and aggregate datasets effectively.

### Python(Kaggle)

- Developed strong skills in Python programming, including variables, functions, loops, and object-oriented concepts.
- Gained experience working with data structures such as lists, dictionaries, and sets.

## Languages

- English
- Chichewa

## Organisations

07/2025 – 07/2025  
Mzuzu, Malawi

### Research Participant

- Participated in a research project focused on developing a model to detect cheating in exam environments.
- Gained exposure to data collection, analysis, and research methodologies in a practical setting.

## Projects

07/2025 – 07/2025

### Madrid Weather Dataset EDA

- Cleaned and performed Exploratory Data Analysis (EDA) on the Madrid Weather Dataset using Python and its libraries.