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EDUCATION

De Montfort University Dubai

Sept 2024 - present

- Bachelors in Computer Science
- Modules completed: Database Design and Implementation, Fundamental Concepts of Computer Science

Braeburn International School Arusha

Sept 2020 - June 2024

- IGCSEs completed June 2022: English Language, English Literature, Mathematics, Physics, Chemistry, Computer Science, Geography, Food and Nutrition, BTEC Business.
- CIE A Levels completed June 2024: Mathematics, Computer Science, Physics.

Lenana School - Nairobi, Kenya

Jan 2019 - March 2020

- Attended a national high school in Kenya.
- Subjects taken: English, Mathematics, Kiswahili, Physics, Chemistry, Biology, Geography, History, Computer Science, Business Studies.

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Intern, Cyberguard Africa.

Aug 2023 - Sept 2023

- Participated in security audits, assessing systems to identify vulnerabilities and improve protocols.
- Attended shareholder meetings, gaining insight into strategic decisions and corporate governance.
- Collaborated with professionals to enhance risk assessment and security measures, contributing to a 15% improvement in compliance efficiency.

Founder and organizer - chess club

Sept 2022 - June 2024

- Created and led a 20+ member chess club in high school, fostering critical thinking and strategy skills.
- Organized 3 interschool chess tournaments, coordinating with 5+ schools in Arusha and managing logistics.
- Designed training programs and strategy sessions, helping students increase their online chess ratings by 30% on Chess.com

Event organiser - School Bonfire Event

Dec 2020, Dec 2022, Dec 2023

- Managed a fundraising stalls at Arusha's largest school event (1,000+ attendees), raising funds for scholarships.
- Coordinated with more than 5 students, overseeing the setup and running of the stalls, and customer service.

Volunteer - Christmas Community Party

Dec 2023

- Organised activities for over 100 children, including games, swim lessons, arts and crafts and gift donations.
- Collaborated with volunteers to ensure smooth event execution.
- Helped distribute 100+ gifts to underprivileged kids in the community.

SKILLS

Technical & Analytical Skills:

- Programming: Python, SQL, HTML, CSS, MySQL
- Web Development: Frontend design with HTML & CSS
- Cybersecurity Awareness: Exposure to security audits and risk assessment
- Data Analysis: Scientific computing with Python

Customer Service & Hospitality Skills:

- Excellent Communication & Interpersonal Skills: Engaged with guests and handled event logistics at large school events (1,000+ attendees).
- **Customer Handling:** Assisted and interacted with customers during fundraising events and community fairs.
- Cash Handling & Sales: Managed fundraising stalls, handled money, and provided service to event attendees.
- Multitasking & Efficiency: Balanced multiple responsibilities during fast-paced school events.
- Attention to Detail: Ensured event logistics, food handling, and customer interactions were smooth.
- **Teamwork & Collaboration:** Worked with teams of 10+ people to organize events and serve guests efficiently.

AWARDS AND HONORS

- Achievement Award in A Level Mathematics. Braeburn International School Arusha, June 2024
- Achievement Award in A Level Computer Science Braeburn International School Arusha, June 2024
- Achievement Award in A Level Physics Braeburn International School Arusha, June 2024

CERTIFICATIONS

	Certificate name	Issuing organisation	Date issued
•	Google Cybersecurity Specialisation.	United Latino Students Association	Issued Aug 2023
•	Responsive Web Design.	FreeCodeCamp	Issued Jan 2025
•	Scientific Computing with Python.	FreeCodeCamp	Issued Jan 2025