

# THOKOZILE ARETHA SOKO

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## EDUCATION

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### Columbia Engineering

*Full-Stack Web Developer Certification*

**New York City, USA**

*APRIL, 2021*

### Bard College

*Bachelor of Arts, Economics*

**Annandale on Hudson, NY**

*MAY, 2020*

- GPA: 3.56/4.0 (Cumulative)
- Relevant Coursework: Corporate Finance, Introduction to Econometrics, Money and Banking, Business French, Advanced Macroeconomics, Mathematical Economics, Contemporary Developments in Finance, Game Theory
- Technical Skills: Professional Writing, STATA, Excel(Intermediate)

### American International School of Lusaka

*High School Diploma*

**Lusaka, ZAMBIA**

*MAY, 2016*

- Member of the National Honour Society and Varsity Women's Soccer Captain

## PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

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### PHI NETWORKS GROUP

**NEW YORK CITY, USA**

*A startup that helps other startups raise capital and find talent.*

*SEPTEMBER, 2020 — PRESENT*

*ANALYST*

- Generated Phi's branding strategy
- Researched the competitive landscapes as well as substantiated data and claims
- Identified investors for clients to approach during fund-raising

### BROKEN HILL RECORDS

**Lusaka, ZAMBIA**

*A new record label based in Zambia*

*JUNE, 2018 — AUGUST, 2018*

*PHOTOGRAPHER*

- Created new content for the artists' social media outlets
- Assisted in the rebranding of the artists for their new campaign
- Led the photoshoots then edited and provided the new material to be posted on all possible platforms

### ZAMBIAN CANCER SOCIETY

**Lusaka, ZAMBIA**

*INTERN*

*JUNE, 2017 — JULY, 2017*

- Assisted in the creation of the Zambia Cancer Society's Coping Kit
- Organised and kept track of participants through
- Aided in controlling and distributing the finances

## LEADERSHIP & ACTIVITIES

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### FLOODGATE

**New York City, USA**

*BUILDING BREAKTHROUGHS COHORT MEMBER*

*OCTOBER, 2020 – DECEMBER, 2020*

- Part of Floodgate's first ever cohort.

### BARD COLLEGE SENIOR COUNCIL COMMITTEE

**Bard College, Annandale-on-Hudson, USA**

*FISCAL EXECUTIVE*

*SEPTEMBER, 2019 – MAY, 2020*

- Member in charge of budgeting funds as well as keeping record of them

### GOLDMAN SACHS BEYOND THE CLASSROOM ACCOUNTING CONFERENCE

**New York City, USA**

*PARTICIPANT*

*APRIL, 2018 – APRIL, 2018*

- Attended an accounting conference

### BARD COLLEGE INVESTMENT CLUB

**Bard College, Annandale-on-Hudson, USA**

*MEMBER*

*FEBRUARY, 2018 – MAY, 2020*

- Current member of the investment club

## ADDITIONAL INFORMATION/SKILLS AND INTERESTS

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**Languages:** English and Nyanja (fluent), French (proficient)

**Certifications:** Hubspot Academy: Social Media Marketing, Inbound, Email Marketing, Sales Enablement, Content Marketing, Frictionless Sales