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# PROFILE SUMMARY

A finance graduate with a strong foundation in financial analysis, investment strategies, and risk management. I have broadened my technical skills through bootcamps where I mastered HTML, CSS, JavaScript, and Python. I am proficient in web scraping, enabling me to extract valuable data from online sources, and web development, where I build and manage responsive and user-friendly web applications. My diverse skills make me a versatile professional capable of bridging the gap between finance and technology to deliver innovative solutions.

# **WORK EXPERIENCE**

#### **Commonwealth Bank**

Introduction to Data Science Job Simulation on Forage
May 2024

- Completed a job simulation involving Data Management skills for Commonwealth Bank's Data Science team.
- Demonstrated proficiency in creating data engineering pipelines to aggregate and extract valuable insights from datasets, optimizing data-driven decision-making.
- Acquired skills in anonymizing personal data within datasets, ensuring compliance with data privacy regulations.
- Proposed effective data analysis approaches related to social media and demonstrated the ability to design well-structured databases for efficient information management.

# **Accenture North America**

Data Analytics and Visualization Job Simulation on Forage May 2024

- Completed a simulation focused on advising a hypothetical social media client as a Data Analyst at Accenture.
- Cleaned, modeled, and analyzed 7 datasets to uncover insights into content trends to inform strategic decisions.

 Prepared a PowerPoint deck and video presentation to communicate key insights to the client and internal stakeholders.

# Freelance Data Analyst March 2024 - Present

- Collected data from various sources such as databases, spreadsheets, and APIs.
- Cleaned data to remove errors and irrelevant information.
- Analyzed data using statistical techniques and data analysis tools to identify trends and patterns.
- Created visualizations such as charts, graphs, and dashboards to present findings.
- Generated reports and summaries of analysis findings.
- Built predictive models to forecast future trends based on historical data.
- Interpreted the results of the analysis to provide actionable recommendations.

# Assistant Accountant Attaché, KTDA Tegat Tea Factory, Kericho May 2021 - July 2021

- Kept a record of stocks and restocked the store accordingly.
- Prepared LPOs.
- Kept the staff informed about new products and industry trends.
- Ensured that the store was kept clean and organized.
- Ensured compliance with local regulations and company policies.

#### **EDUCATION BACKGROUND**

#### **Bachelor of Commerce**

Dedan Kimathi University of Technology, Nyeri **2022** 

#### **Kenya Certificate of Secondary Education**

Anestar Victory Boys High School, Nakuru **2017** 

# LANGUAGES

English: ProficientKiswahili: Native

# **ACHIEVEMENTS**

- Built responsive, secure websites.
- Customer Satisfaction Excellence.
- Data Protection, Risk, and Fraud Management.

# **SKILLS**

#### Technical Skills

- Programming Languages: HTML, CSS, JavaScript, Python
- Data Analysis: Data cleaning, statistical analysis and visualization using Python libraries (Pandas, NumPy, Matplotlib)
- Web Development: Building and managing responsive web applications
- Web Scraping: Proficient in extracting data from online sources using Python
- Database Management: SQL and database design

#### Soft Skills

- **Good Communicator**: Ability to clearly present information and listen to the audience.
- **Collaborative Leadership**: Ability to inspire, guide and influence others towards achieving a common goal.
- **Continuous Improvement**: Actively identifies opportunities for process optimization and implements continuous improvement initiatives.
- **Strategic Planning**: Experienced in aligning financial strategies with overall business objectives to achieve sustainable growth.
- Critical Thinking: Able to analyze information objectively and form reasoned judgments.

# **CERTIFICATIONS**

- Google Foundations of Cybersecurity
- Cisco Data Science Certificate
- Artificial Intelligence Career Essentials
- IYF Programming