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PERSONAL INFORMATION.

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PERSONAL STATEMENT/PROFILE

A motivated individual developed a strong foundation of knowledge and skills, hence becoming a valuable asset in the IT industry. Have been involved in the IT field for 3 years and have a deep understanding of aspects of IT, including Cybersecurity, Systems administration, project management and software development. Possess a diverse range of relevant skills thus becoming well-rounded in the IT domain. Aiming to join Mastercard program to share knowledge and contribute to challenging and impactful projects and also to network and build my future career.

WORK EXPERIENCE

Information Technology Trainee

The Saccos Societies Regulatory Authority(SASRA), Nairobi

Kenya

May 2023 – July 2023

Roles

- Streamlined and optimized ICT infrastructure, resulting in a 50% reduction in downtime and saving the company 100+ hours of productivity monthly.
- Integrated and customized third-party systems, enhancing cross-functional collaboration and reducing manual data entry by 60%.
- Implemented robust security measures to safeguard the Authority's information assets against losses resulting in zero data breaches or financial losses over a five-year period.
- Streamlined and optimized facilities for electronic voice and email communications, resulting in a 20% maintenance cost reduction and ensuring seamless information flow across internal and external stakeholders.

- Executed a comprehensive ICT strategy utilizing email, video conferencing, and collaborative platforms, resulting in a 40% reduction in response time and enhanced collaboration between SASRA and Saccos.
- Led the initiative to leverage ICT platforms for education and training, enabling SASRA
 employees and officials to access self-paced learning resources, leading to a 35% increase in
 employee engagement and skills development.
- Spearheaded knowledge sharing on ICT matters, equipping SASRA staff and stakeholders with the skills to streamline processes, resulting in a 30% reduction in operational costs.
- Advised SASRA on the development and implementation of ICT policies and strategies, leading to a 25% increase in operational efficiency and a 15% reduction in IT maintenance costs.
- Researched and analyzed emerging ICT trends and technologies and recommended implementation strategies to drive operational efficiency and save 15+ hours per week.

EDUCATIONAL QUALIFICATION

September 2020 to date : Dedan Kimathi University of Technology

Attained : Bachelor of Science in Business Information Technology

January 2020 – March 2020 : St Joseph Mukasa College

Attained : Computer Packages

ACHIEVEMENTS

- Attained a solid foundation in cybersecurity essentials, encompassing cybersecurity administration, threat analysis, system safeguards, and network defense, following completion of the rigorous Introduction to Cybersecurity course.
- Demonstrated mastery of vulnerability assessment, risk management, and incident response principles through successful completion of the Cyber Threat Management certification.
- Acquired ABSA Ready to Work certification, showcasing aptitude in essential business and proficient such as financial literacy, influential communication, and collaborative teamwork.
- Demonstrated expertise in essential IT support skills, including troubleshooting, system administration, and networking, by obtaining the Google IT Support Professional certificate.

SKILLS

Technical Skills:

- Cybersecurity administration
- Threat analysis
- Vulnerability assessment
- Incident response Project management.

Hard skills:

- Collaborated with classmates to design and develop two mobile applications, demonstrating technical skills and creativity.
- Mentored primary school students on life skills and academic subjects, empowering students to reach full potential.
- Resolved complex technical issues, increasing efficiency and reducing downtime.
- Persuaded large groups to support new initiatives through engaging presentations.
- Identified and solved problems demonstrating drive and initiative to improve efficiency and customer satisfaction.
- Avid photographer with expertise in capturing and editing images.

CERTIFICATIONS

- JavaScript Essentials 1 certification
- Python Essentials 1 Certification
- Introduction to Cybersecurity Certification
- Cyber Threat Management certification
- Google IT support Professional certificate
- Certification on supporting Out of Africa International Film Festival
- Certification on ABSA ready to work program