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### OBJECTIVE STATEMENT

Self-taught web developer with a knack for python programming. I am seeking a career in python development that will allow me to empower decision makers, facilitate change and enhance results. After developing proficient knowledge of python programming during my masters, I received an internship with a professor at MIT. In this position I developed a python based web application that allows astronomers to access an SQL database containing a vast amount of information pertaining to metal-poor stars. In addition to my programming skills, I will also bring a diverse perspective to the workplace as I have studied abroad in Sweden, Egypt, and Germany. Overall, I am a lover of logic, adept with numbers, an independent thinker and a problem solver.

#### WORK EXPERIENCE

Python developer, MIT physics department, USA

Jun - Aug 2017

Developing a python interface with an SQL database for Prof. Anna Frebel's research group.

Database developer, MIT physics department, USA

Jun - Aug 2016

Curated a database for metal-poor stars with a Python based web application. In collaboration with Prof. Anna Frebel from MIT, funded by the Joint Institute for Nuclear Astrophysics (JINA). Access JINAbase at jinabase.pythonanywhere.com

#### **EDUCATION**

M.Sc. Astrophysics, Lund University, Sweden

June 2017

Supervisor: Dr. Louise Howes.

Thesis: Neutron-capture elements in the early universe.

**B.Sc. Physics**, Alexandria University, Egypt

June 2013

Supervisor: Dr. Magdy Alabshehy.

Thesis: The constituents of the interstellar medium.

#### HONORS & AWARDS

Lund University global scholarship; masters degree tuition fees.

2015 - 2017

Scholarship awarded on academic merit basis.

Physics honors program, Alexandria University

Jan 2012 - Jun 2013

Selection based on academic achievements, only 2 students joined the program my year.

#### **TEACHING**

Teaching Assistant, Alexandria University, Egypt

Sep 2013 - Jan 2014

Teaching and grading laboratory physics for first year science major students.

Physics instructor,

Sep 2013 - Jan 2014

Arab Academy for Science, Technology & Marine Transport, Egypt

Teaching laboratory physics for first year engineering major students.

## **SKILLS**

Python, Matlab, and Linux.

Flask web applications,  $\operatorname{HTML}/\operatorname{CSS},$  and Javascript.

SQL, SQLAlchemy, Pandas, Excel, and Bokeh.

LaTeX, Microsoft office, and Pages.