

Abel Bireda

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Personal Information

Analytical and client-focused finance professional with 4+ years' experience in financial research, data analysis, and technology-driven problem solving. Skilled in Python, SQL, Bloomberg Terminal, and Excel automation, with a strong understanding of financial products and risk concepts. Passionate about bridging finance and technology to deliver clear, data-driven solutions that support clients and business growth. [Personal Portfolio >>](#)

Professional Experience

Financial Research Analyst

Oct 2022 – Present

Infosys BPM Limited

Dublin, Ireland

- Conducted financial statement analysis and built financial forecast models for 80+ companies.
- Collaborated with data engineers and developers to troubleshoot system and data issues, ensuring accuracy and consistency in financial databases.
- Produced 30+ client-ready reports per quarter summarizing and presenting key findings, market trends, sector research and macroeconomics indicators for investment recommendations.
- Delivered accurate equity analysis on EMEA-listed companies, European Indices, Fixed Income and including earnings forecasts.

Consultant

Dec 2020 – Sept 2021

Triple Line Limited

Addis Ababa, Ethiopia

- Designed project-specific financial data models to track KPIs, improving project financial oversight and decision-making capabilities.
- Managed client-facing engagements for donor-funded and private sector projects in banking, fintech, and investment promotion.

Investment Analyst

Sept 2018 – Oct 2020

Ethiopia Investment Commission (EIC)

Addis Ababa, Ethiopia

- Advised multinational firms in financial services, manufacturing, and consumer sectors on market entry, regulatory frameworks, and investment feasibility.
- Prepared policy briefs and roadmaps to increase Foreign Direct Investment, collaborating with stakeholders across government and private sector.

Education

Master of Science in Finance (Capital Market)

Sept 2021 – Aug 2022

Dublin City University, Business School

Bachelor of Arts in Economics

Sept 2015 – July 2018

Addis Ababa University, School of Commerce

Technical Skills

- **Financial Expertise:** Skilled in financial analysis, forecasting, equity and Variance analysis and reporting
- **Data Analysis Skill:** Proficient in MS Excel (pivot tables, VLOOKUP, macros), Python, SQL, Bloomberg Terminal, and SAP

Languages

- English - Fluent; Amharic – Native, German – Intermediate

Training and Certificates

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| • Bloomberg Intelligence – Market Concepts | 2023 |
| • 365 E – Learning Provider – SQL | 2024 |
| • 365 E – Learning Provider – Investment Banking | 2024 |
| • Infosys BPM– Generative AI | 2024 |
| • Introduction to Asset Management | 2024 |
| • Quarterly Excellence Awards | 2023 |