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A Reservoir Geologist/Petrophysicist/Data Scientist with passion towards machine learning and deep learning data driven approaches in integrated static-dynamic reservoir characterization and geological modeling.

Demonstrable robust cross-discipline expertise, working integrated knowledge across all subsurface and engineering upstream disciplines, through the exploration and development life-cycle.

EDUCATION

Master of Science in Geo-Energy Engineering , <i>Delft University of Technology (TU Delft)</i>	Sep 2021 - Jul 2023 (EXPECTED)
Bachelor of Science in Geology , <i>University of Tulsa</i>	Sep 2009 - May 2013

TECHNICAL EXPERIENCE

Geosteering Geologist <i>Saudi Aramco</i>	July 2013 — June 2014 <i>Eastern Province, Saudi Arabia</i>
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- Geo-steered horizontal wells in the targeted reservoir to maximize hydrocarbon production
- Minimize productivity loss.
- Prevent environmental hazards.

Exploration Geologist <i>Saudi Aramco</i>	June 2014 — July 2016 <i>Eastern Province, Saudi Arabia</i>
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- 1D, 2D, and 3D Reservoir characterization and modeling.
- Regional mapping to build geological models for resource/risk assessment.
- Provided prospect generation subsurface evaluations.
- Seismic Imaging including 3D & 2D seismic processing.

Reservoir Petrophysicist/ Data Scientist <i>Saudi Aramco</i>	June 2014 — Present <i>Eastern Province, Saudi Arabia</i>
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- Modeling petrophysical properties in a field scale and regional scale.
- Integrating static and dynamic subsurface data to provide decision ready models for stakeholders..

Data Scientist <i>Freelance</i>	January 2018 — Present <i>Eastern Province, Saudi Arabia</i>
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- Building Machine Learning and Deep Learning models to predict insights of clients data and create value.

TECHNICAL SKILLS

Languages	Python, Git, \LaTeX , Markdown, HTML, Bash
Machine Learning	Pandas, NumPy, PyTorch, TensorFlow, scikit-learn, OpenCV, R
Geological Modeling	Petrel, Techlog, RMS, Opendtect, Geolog
Other	Linux, Distributed Systems, MySQL, Adobe Photoshop, Adobe Illustrator

ACHIEVEMENTS, AWARDS AND PUBLICATIONS

IBM Certified Professional Data Scientist • click here for credential	July 2020
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Patent filed : "System and method for detection of carbonate core features from core images" • patent filed and accepted at the US patent office. click here for google patents link	March 2020
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Barrel Awards Winner • Won the barrel awards competition for the best hydrocarbon prospect in Saudi Aramco	July 2015
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A.N. Murray Award in Geosciences • Outstanding academic achievement as an undergraduate	May 2012
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EAGE GeoHack • Won EAGE hackathon held in Manama, Bahrain.	Dec 2019
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SPWLA machine learning competition • Scored 4th Place.	July 2021
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