Petrus Kriel

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**Logistics and supply chain professional** with over 6 years of experience in coordinating and optimizing transportation, warehousing, and distribution operations. Proven ability to streamline supply networks, manage vendor relations, and improve delivery performance in fast-paced environments. Strong analytical skills, attention to detail, and ability to work cross-functionally to achieve cost-effective and efficient logistics outcomes.

# Experience

## **AUGUST 2019 – Present** **Logistics Coordinator | Imperial Logistics | Johannesburg, South Africa** Oversaw daily freight operations and coordinated inbound and outbound shipments across Southern Africa.

## Managed supplier relations and delivery timelines to ensure 95% on-time delivery rates

## Implemented cost-saving strategies resulting in a 10% reduction in fuel and freight costs

## Maintained customs documentation and ensured full compliance with local and cross-border regulations

## Led a warehouse digitization project that improved inventory accuracy and reduced picking errors.

## **JANUARY 2017 – aUGUST 2019** **Supply Chain Analyst | Barloworld Logistics | Durban, South Africa** Analysed distribution networks and streamlined supply processes for key FMCG clients.

## Designed performance dashboards to monitor KPIs including cycle times and order accuracy

## Worked with cross-functional teams to forecast demand and optimize inventory allocation

## Reduced delivery lead time by 18% through optimized routing strategies and ERP integration

# Skills

Supply Chain Optimization • Freight and Fleet Management Systems (e.g., SAP TM, CargoWise) • Warehouse Management & Digitization • Inventory Forecasting & Planning • Cross-border Compliance & Customs • Advanced Excel & Logistics Analytics • Strong Team Collaboration & Communication

# Education

## DECEMBER 2016

### Bachelor of Commerce in Logistics Management| University of Johannesburg | Johannesburg

## Focus: Supply Chain Optimization, Transport Economics, Warehousing

## Final Project: “Improving Freight Efficiency in Southern Africa’s Road Transport Sector”

# Activities

Literature • Environmental conservation • Padel • Hunting • Travel