Data solutions specialist with >4.5 years of experience

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Current role focus and expertise

Research and development

- Applied research: Scoping solutions to business problems, developing new research methodologies, and testing and iterating on solutions.
 - Experimental development: Enhance accuracy and granularity of existing approaches, and create training content and documentation.
 - Basic research: Identifying opportunities for product development, and looking for trends in feedback.

Data analytics

- Interpreting or designing research questions and applying appropriate research methods.
- Constructing parameters for data collection.
- Validating the cleanliness of data against desired outcomes and statistical dependability.
- Quantitative data analytics using R, Excel, and proprietary software.
- Qualitative data analytics using proprietary software.

Insight communication

Writing long-form reports, visualising data, presenting findings in meetings and conferences, and building dashboards for ongoing data routing.

Client-facing

Meeting with clients to understand their requirements, building confidence between clients and their data, ensuring insights are available to appropriate stakeholders and helping clients problem-solve issues that arise.

Research operations

30%

15%

Knowledge share and training with team and company, onboarding new starters, operationalising personal, project, and team goals, and the organisation and storage of information.

Education

Bachelor of Social Sciences from the University of Cape Town

Sociology

30%

I gained theoretical knowledge about large social structures, as well as economic patterns through courses such as social research, and comparative industrial and labour studies. I also learnt about qualitative research approaches to understanding societal behaviours.

Psychology

Psychology leant heavily towards applying statistics and quantitative research methods in understanding human behaviour. I enjoyed courses in applied cognitive science and clinical neuropsychology.

History

My pursuit of historical studies is a passion project. I learnt the value of studying patterns in the past to better make decisions for the future. I completed courses in historical approaches, and African experiences of genocide.

History

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1 Feb – current | 6 months Product team at DataEQ (f.k.a BrandsEye)

Insights analyst

1 Sep '19 – 31 Jan '22 | 2.2 years Analytics team at BrandsEye

Junior insights analyst

1 Aug '18 – 3 Aug '19 | 1.1 years Analytics team at BrandsEye

Graduate intern

1 Feb '18 – 31 Jul '19 | 6 months Analytics team at BrandsEye

Student

1 Jan '15 – 1 Feb '18 | 3 years Humanities at University of Cape Town