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### Top Skills

Data Analysis Pandas NumPy

#### Certifications

Python Essentials 1
Python Essentials 2
Python Basics
JavaScript Essentials 1
Data Analysis with Python

# Gradi Puata

Robotics IoT Consultant @ A Robotics and IoT Consultant | Foundational C#

Durban, KwaZulu-Natal, South Africa

## Summary

As a Robotics and IoT Consultant, I design, implement, and optimize automation systems, integrating robotics and IoT solutions for business efficiency. I have a strong background in information technology and a passion for basketball coaching. I am currently pursuing a Bachelor's degree in Information Technology at Richfield, expected to graduate in December 2027. I also hold certifications in C#, Responsive Web Design, and Python Essentials 1 from freeCodeCamp and Cisco. My goal is to leverage my technical skills and coaching experience to create innovative solutions that enhance business performance and player development.

## Experience

Eden College Durban
Basketball Coach
January 2025 - Present (6 months)
Durban

As a passionate and dedicated Basketball Coach, I focus on fostering a positive and high-performance environment for players at all skill levels. I specialize in developing comprehensive training programs, improving players' technical skills, and enhancing team dynamics to ensure success both on and off the court.

I am committed to creating individualized development plans for players, emphasizing discipline, teamwork, and leadership while promoting strategic game understanding. Through effective coaching methods, I have led teams to tournament victories, and personal player growth.

By building strong relationships with athletes, parents, and colleagues, I create an environment that fosters mutual respect and accountability, ultimately driving performance and achieving long-term success.

CodSoft

Python Developer

March 2025 - April 2025 (2 months)

Durban, KwaZulu-Natal, South Africa

- Developed various Python applications including password generators, contact book app, and logic-improving game using data structures like dictionaries, lists, tuples, and sets.
- Collaborated with team members to ensure efficient code implementation and meet project deadlines.
- Implemented best practices in coding to optimize performance and enhance user experience.

AlgoAtWork

Robotics IoT Consultant

February 2025 - April 2025 (3 months)

Durban, KwaZulu-Natal, South Africa

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**PSSD** Innovations

Call Center Agent

October 2024 - February 2025 (5 months)

As a Call Center Agent, I serve as the primary point of contact between the company and its customers, providing exceptional support by answering calls, emails, and live chats to address product or service-related questions, complaints, and issues. I pride myself on maintaining accurate records of interactions, using CRM tools efficiently, and staying calm under pressure. With strong communication and multitasking skills, I am dedicated to delivering high-quality service and contributing to the company's success.

## Education

#### Richfield

Bachelor's degree, Information Technology · (February 2025 - December 2027)

Northwood School

Matric, National Senior Certificate · (January 2021 - December 2022)

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