

Naso Bantubani

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PROFESSIONAL SUMMARY

Highly skilled Actuarial Professional with 4+ years of experience in risk product management, data analysis, and model development within the insurance industry. Known for delivering high-quality work, taking ownership of projects, and collaborating effectively with stakeholders. Proficient in data analysis, product development, and process improvement. Committed to professional development and staying updated with industry regulations.

KEY SKILLS & EXPERTISE

- Risk Product Development & Management.
- Data Analysis & Visualisation.
- Actuarial Modelling.
- Process Improvement & Automation.
- IFRS 17 Implementation.
- Leadership & Mentoring.
- Stakeholder Engagement & Communication.
- Technical Proficiencies: Power BI, Excel, Word, PowerPoint, Prophet, Power automate, VBA.

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Liberty Group Limited

Johannesburg

Specialist: Actuarial Secondary (Promoted), Risk Product Management

September 2023 – Present

- Managed Liberty Direct products operations during manager's 4-month leave, ensuring seamless continuity.
- Led the adaptation and launch of existing Flexi Life and Flexi Funeral products through digital channels and call centres. Collaborated with cross-functional teams on customer journey design, policy documentation, and sales scripts.
- Led simplification of Flexi Life underwriting journey, obtaining approvals, and engaging multi-disciplinary teams.
- Led data analysis stream for persistency improvement project, developing Power BI models that enabled data-driven decisions.
- Drafted high-impact papers for key group committees, presenting complex information in a clear and compelling manner.

Specialist: Actuarial Analyst, Risk Product Management

January 2021 - August 2023

- Played key role in driving the successful launch and management of several major projects, including the development of an inclusive life solution for HIV+ lives.
- Led initiatives that delivered significant operational efficiency gains and enhanced customer satisfaction, including developing automated models to streamline claims and servicing.
- Resolved 50+ ad hoc queries, providing analysis and recommendations to support business objectives.

- Performed data analytics to support business case analyses for new product initiatives.
- Frequently collaborated with cross-functional teams to resolve business problems and implement product enhancements.
- Managed and mentored VAC (Vacation) students, providing guidance on actuarial concepts and professional development.

The Shard (Consulting for Old Mutual)

Cape Town

Actuarial Analyst, Model Development

February 2019 - December 2019

- Developed and validated Prophet models for Old Mutual's IFRS 17 implementation, supporting successful migration from legacy system to new IFRS 17 compliant valuation model.
- Contributed to comprehensive model documentation to ensure transparency and auditability.

FNB

Johannesburg

Intern

January 2019 - February 2019

- Conducted SQL data analysis for retail banking unit and developed presentation used by senior management, demonstrating ability to distil insights and communicate to stakeholders.

EDUCATION & PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

- **BSc Actuarial Science and Statistics**, University of the Witwatersrand, 2018.
- **Actuarial Exam Exemptions:** A111 (CT1), A112 (CT7), A113 (CT2), A211 (CT3), A212 (CT4 & CT6), A213 (CT5), A214 (CT8), N111, N211.
- **Courses & Certifications:**
 - Technical Member of ASSA (TASSA)
 - Dale Carnegie: Effective Communications & Human Relations; High Impact Presentations (2021-22).
 - Digital Campus: Critical Thinking (2022).
 - Microsoft Power Platform Certificate (2024).

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

- Earned promotion to Specialist: Actuarial Secondary in recognition of outstanding performance (2023).
- Consistently achieved top performance ratings of "Exceptionally Achieved" or "Fully Achieved" (2021-23).
- Active member of the Employment Equity and Skills Development (EESD) forum.
- Completed matric at Pinetown Boys' High School (2014).