# DANIEL BERNIE NEL

# Digital Forensic Practitioner / Forensic Investigator

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# **MORE ABOUT ME**

Newly graduated forensic accountant with a keen interest in information technology. Passionate about studying how to improve performance and learn new skills. This position is a great opportunity to combine my accounting and information technology skills.

#### **PERSONAL INFO**

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- Home Address: Randburg

#### **COMPUTER SKILLS**

 C#
 | IBM I2 Analyst's Notebook

 SQL
 | ASP.NET Web Apps

 C++
 | AccessData FTK

 Python
 | R Studio

Java | Axiom

Delphi | Maltego OSINT Tool

# **EDUCATION**

# **North West University**

- BSc Information Technology | 2019 present
   Part time (to be completed by Dec 2021)
- HCom Forensic Accounting | 2019
- BCom Forensic Accounting | 2018

## **Lichtenburg High School**

- Graduated Class of 2015
- Academic average of 80%

### **AFFILIATIONS**

- ACFE Membership | 56540322
- ACE Accessdata Certified Examiner
- Golden Key Membership

# **SOFT SKILLS**

Fast learner | Attention to detail
Organized | Analytical thinking

Team player | Effective communication skills
Dedicated | Reliable and professional
Motivated | Good time management skills

Honest | Critical thinking

# **HOBBIES**

Playing guitar | Programming
Music editing | Video games
Writing poetry | Fishing
Baking | Tennis

#### **EMPLOYMENT HISTORY**

## **Digital Forensic Practitioner**

Cyanre - The Digital Forensic Lab | Feb 2021 - present

- Maintaining logs and chain of custody documents on all tasks conducted
- · Conduct digital investigations in the computer lab as directed
- · Verification of evidence acquired
- Complying with forensically sound procedures while handling digital evidence

# Forensic Investigator/Researcher

TFS Africa | Employee | Sep 2020 - Jan 2021 TFS Africa | Contractor through Cyanre | Feb 2021 - Apr 2021

- Investigation of offences, disputes and allegations against companies, staff and/or clients
- Perform background searches and compile profiles on individuals and/or companies
- Analyse data in IBM I2 Analyst's Notebook
- Perform bank statement analysis to identify suspicious transactions
- · Analyse Caller Data Records obtained
- Perform social media profiling
- Perform OSINT searches on individuals and/companies

#### **Junior Forensic Assistant**

ICA Consulting | Jan 2020 - Sep 2020

- Investigation of offences, disputes and allegations against companies, staff and/or clients
- Analyse data in IBM I2 Analyst's Notebook
- Perform cash flow analysis and identify suspicious transactions
- Perform background searches on individuals and companies
- Provide clients/management with feedback on current investigation matters
- · Perform asset verifications

# **Software Developer (Freelancing)**

Various companies | 2016 - 2019

 Develop, test and implement custom software solutions to meet specific business requirements

#### **Vacation Work**

ABACUS Financial Crime Advisory | Nov 2019 - Dec 2019

• Capturing of files in an ongoing investigation.

#### **Student Assistant (Part time)**

North West University | 2017 - 2019

- Accounting and Company Law Student Assistant
- Facilitating and marking tests and exams

#### **Vacation Work**

Risk Diversion Digital | Nov 2018 - Dec 2018

Attended mobile and video forensic courses (see other qualifications)

# \*REFERENCES AVAILABLE ON REQUEST

# **OTHER QUALIFICATIONS**

## **MSAB XRY | Mobile Forensics**

• XRY Intermediate & Certification | 2018

# **Amped FIVE | Forensic Image and Video Enhancement**

• Attended Amped FIVE course | 2018

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# **REFERENCES**

#### Vacation Work | ABACUS Financial Crime Advisory

- Herman de Beer | Managing Partner | 082 719 2533
- Wilmari Janse van Rensburg | Senior Manager | 084 605 5839

# **Junior Forensic Assistant | ICA Consulting**

• Lynnette van der Merwe | Managing Director | 083 303 9735

# Forensic Investigator | TFS Africa

• Jenny Nel | Senior Investigator | 076 604 5642

# **Student Assistant | North West University**

- Sonja Swart | Accounting Lecturer | 083 252 0263
- Philip Steenkamp | Company Law Lecturer | 082 846 9904

# North West University | Forensic Accounting Program

- Albert van Zyl | Forensic Accounting Program Leader | 018 299 1349
- Koos Nortje | Forensic Investigation Lecturer | 018 299 1349

# **Freelancing Software Development Clients**

- Attie Bezuidenhout | Managing Director | Driehoek Kunsmis | 083 297 2344
- Herman Jacobs | Managing Director | Autoboys Klerksdorp | 076 546 9219