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EXPERIENCE

Data Project Assistant

January 2019 – September 2021

Portland, OR

Energy Trust of Oregon

- Led data cleanup projects including merging duplicates, updating classifications, and reorganizing hierarchies
- Developed and maintained Power BI reports for tracking data quality, year-end QC, and database health
- Created SQL queries and R programs to analyze and deduplicate data across CRM and database systems
- Collaborated with DBAs to improve database structure and establish business rules for CRM entity classification
- Wrote technical documentation for data merging procedures and contributed code snippets for SQL, R, and DAX

Business Intelligence Developer

September 2016 – January 2019

WE Communications

Portland, OR

- Helped plan data collection strategies to measure press coverage and public relations impact
- Extracted, manipulated and transformed data using a variety of BI methods
- Conducted analysis of data using such tools as Excel, Power BI, SQL and Python
- Responsible for the creation of visualizations/infographics to convey data clearly and succinctly
- · Discovered actionable insights from data trends and drafted detailed reports for clients

Cryptologic Linguist

December 2008 - December 2013

United States Air Force

Security Clearance: Top Secret // SI

- Led a team of 30+ translators providing support to US forces deployed abroad
- Developed and implemented new methods for tracking productivity and collection data
- Facilitated collaboration between multiple teams and organizations
- Trained and qualified new employees in intelligence processing methods
- Maintained DLPT level 3/3 proficiency in both Arabic and German

EDUCATION

M.S. Computer Science December 2024

Portland State University

University of Oregon

Portland, OR

- Concentration: Artificial Intelligence & Machine Learning
- GPA: 4.0

Full Stack Bootcamp 2017

PDX Code Guild Portland, OR

B.A. International Studies

June 2006 Eugene, OR

• Concentration: Diplomacy and International Relations

• Year abroad: University of Heidelberg, Germany

SKILLS

- Programming Languages: Python, C, C++, Lisp, SQL, JavaScript, HTML, CSS
- Tools & Technologies: Linux, Git, Docker, NLTK, PyTorch, TensorFlow, pandas, NumPy, scikit-learn
- Data Systems: Data Engineering, Database Design, Query Optimization, Data Structures, Algorithms
- AI & Analytics: Natural Language Processing, LLMs, Deep Learning, Sentiment Analysis, Agentic AI, RAG
- Languages: English (Native), German, Arabic, learning Portuguese