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ECONOMICS GRADUATE



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OVERVIEW

I am a South African born in Johannesburg and living in Cape Town. After studying economics for four years at the University of Cape Town, I have developed a great interest in the discipline, and particularly in the state of the South African economy.

My academic interests are the intersecting crises of debt, unemployment, inequality and poverty, as well as the growing challenge of climate change. In addition, I am interested in the progress of African Intergration, particularly the African Continental Free Trade Area, and this was the topic of my honours dissertation paper. I believe there is an important role for state policy guided by sound economic analysis, which can improve the lot of its citizens.

CERTIFICATIONS

Complete Python Bootcamp: From zero to hero in Python June 2020
Udemy

Certificate available upon request.

[Link to course](#)

SKILLS

Python Intermediate	R & RStudio Beginner
Stata Intermediate	Word, Excel and Powerpoint Competent
Adobe Illustrator Beginner	Wordpress website development & hosting Proficient

LANGUAGES

English Native	Afrikaans Basic
French Basic	Greek Basic

HOBBIES

- Reading books, watching films
- Writing
- Five-a-side soccer, running and yoga
- Cooking and baking

WORK EXPERIENCE

Emilio Tech (December 2020 - Present)
Owner

Freelance technical consulting business, providing support for a variety of jobs including cryptocurrency technology consulting and website development.

Monkey Films (January 2020 - April 2020)
Office Manager and Production Assistant

Addressed various technical and administrative issues arising on film set and in the office, as well as assisting production both during shooting and in pre-production.

Phaphama SEDI (Social Enterprise Development Initiative) (February 2019 - November 2019)
Consultant

Consulted to All-in-One Online Shop, a small business based in Philippi which delivers groceries in Zimbabwe. Provided support regarding financial record-keeping, overall business strategy, online brand image and maintenance of customer relations.

University of Cape Town (January 2018 - December 2019)
Teaching Assistant

Taught and marked essays for a variety of undergraduate Philosophy and Economics courses (PHI1024F, PHI2037F, ECO2004S and ECO3025S). Responsibilities included teaching weekly classes as well as essay, test and exam marking.

Emilio Tutors (January 2016 - Present)
Owner

One-person tutoring business. 1-on-1 and group tutoring lessons conducted for high school students in Maths, History and Science, and for undergraduate university students in Economics. In addition to teaching, I am responsible for all financial, administrative and IT-related roles.

EDUCATION

University of Cape Town (January 2019 - December 2019)
Bachelor of Commerce Honours in Economics Degree GPA: 74.5%

Degree obtained in the second-class division one. Class medal obtained for Environmental Economics (ECO40525).

University of Cape Town (January 2016 - December 2018)
Bachelor of Social Sciences in Politics, Philosophy and Economics Degree GPA: 79%

Degree obtained with distinction, and a distinction received in Economics. Placed on the Humanities Dean's List in all three years of study. Awarded 3 class medals for Introduction to Philosophy (PHI1024F), Introduction to Politics (POL1004F) and, Cooperation and Competition (ECO2007S).

St John's College (January 2011 - December 2015)
IEB Matric Certificate Matric GPA: 91%

Matric obtained with 9 distinction. Top-acheiving student (highest overall average) for the class of 2015. Placed in the top 1 percent of IEB candidates for Maths, English, Science, History and Advanced Programme Maths.

AWARDS

Second Prefect October 2014
St John's College

Deputy head-boy in matric year. Attended meetings with senior staff members. Co-ordinated a soup kitchen. Presented a student survey of the dining hall to the boarding committee.

Humanities Faculty Entrance Scholarship January 2016
University of Cape Town

Partial scholarship for academic fees.

3 x Humanities Dean's List (2016, 2017, 2018)
University of Cape Town

Award for academic excellence. Only awarded to top 20% of each faculty.

Golden Key Society Member (2016-2019)
Golden Key Society

Consistently maintained GK membership across four consecutive years of study. Membership awarded to top 15 percent of each faculty every year.

REFERENCES

Anthony Black Professor, School of Economics, University of Cape Town 021 650 2729 anthony.black@uct.ac.za	Anne Nettleton Deputy Headmistress, St John's College +447341878206 nettletonanne@gmail.com	Clare van Zyl Executive Producer, Monkey Films +27828554314 clare@monkeyfilms.co.za
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