# Farbod Jalilfar

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# **Summary of Qualifications**

- 4th-year Computer Science Co-op student specializing in business analysis, reporting, and stakeholder communication.
- Advanced in Excel (PivotTables, Power Query, VBA), SQL, and dashboarding (Power BI/Tableau) for data-driven decision support.
- Hands-on experience eliciting requirements, analyzing feasibility, and delivering reports to senior stakeholders.
- Strong collaborator with proven ability to work in cross-functional teams and support agile project delivery.

## Technical & Business Skills

Analytics/BI: Excel (advanced formulas, PivotTables, Power Query, VBA), Power BI, Tableau, PowerPoint

Data: SQL (joins, aggregations, validation), data cleaning, QA checks

BA/Delivery: Requirements gathering, process mapping, SDLC/Agile exposure, risk & controls awareness

Collaboration Tools: Jira, Confluence, SharePoint Databases: MySQL, PostgreSQL, Oracle SQL\*Plus

# Work Experience

**Business Analyst** 

Sep 2025 – Present

Ministry of Economic Development, Job Creation and Trade – Toronto, ON

- Analyzed and visualized funding program data from the **Transfer Payments Ontario (TPON) database** to produce dashboards and **executive-ready reports** for senior leadership and committees.
- Scoped requirements with cross-functional stakeholders; aligned on reporting definitions, metrics, and timelines for policy and audit readiness.
- Streamlined recurring reporting using Excel VBA and SQL, improving accuracy and reducing manual effort by 40%.
- Prepared presentations and briefing notes summarizing risks, trends, and recommendations.

Technical Developer

Sep 2023 – May 2024

IEEE Toronto Metropolitan University - Toronto, ON

- Developed and maintained web-based tools (JavaScript, Python, SQL) and automated KPI pipelines with Python/VBA (30% faster reporting).
- Built interactive dashboards (Tableau/Power BI) and supported release notes, bug triage, and lightweight testing.
- Versioned code with Git/GitHub; contributed to requirements clarification and usability tweaks.

Finance Assistant

Jan 2021 – May 2021

Keshtsabz Company - Tehran, Iran

- Processed and reconciled over 200 monthly financial transactions, ensuring compliance and accuracy.
- Developed Excel VBA macros to automate reporting workflows, cutting reporting time by 40%.
- Designed reusable reporting templates for management, improving financial transparency and accessibility.

## Education

#### Bachelor of Science (BSc): Computer Science Co-op

Sep 2022 - May 2027

Toronto Metropolitan University (formerly Ryerson)

• Relevant Courses: Data Analytics, Databases, Systems Analysis & Design, Financial Systems, Software Engineering

#### **Projects**

#### Car Rental Database Management System

[GitHub]

- Designed relational **SQL** schema (triggers, stored procedures, views) and indexing; enforced constraints for integrity.
- Built a Bash CLI for parameterized queries, report generation, and simple logging.

#### Audio Content Library System in Java

[GitHub]

- Implemented Java application with OOP design, sorting/filtering, and state management for large media datasets.
- Wrote unit-level tests and usage docs; considered pagination and simple caching for responsiveness.