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I am currently working as a data scientist at a machine learning and optimization consulting company. My academic interests include machine learning, chaos theory, and computational neuroscience. I enjoy applying my background in mathematics, statistics, and computer science to solve real-world problems using simple and efficient methods.

EDUCATION

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| University of Oxford <i>MSc in Mathematical Sciences</i> | Oxford, England <i>October 2025</i> |
| University of Cape Town <i>BSc Honours in Mathematics</i> ○ Awarded in the first class | Cape Town, South Africa <i>November 2024</i> |
| University of Cape Town <i>BSc Specialising in Mathematics, Mathematical Statistics and Computer Science</i> ○ Awarded with distinction in Computer Science and Mathematics and degree with distinction | Cape Town, South Africa <i>December 2022</i> |
| St John's College <i>National Senior Certificate</i> ○ Top 1% nationally for Mathematics and Drama | Johannesburg, South Africa <i>December 2019</i> |

EXPERIENCE

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| Data Scientist <i>Isazi Consulting</i> ○ Machine Learning ○ Statistical Modelling ○ Optical character recognition models | Johannesburg, South Africa <i>January 2025</i> |
| Software Engineer <i>Yellow Africa</i> ○ DevOps and Cloud Computing ○ Infrastructure as code ○ Commercial Problem Solving | Cape Town, South Africa <i>November 2022 - November 2024</i> |

AWARDS AND ACHIEVEMENTS

- Dean's Merit List 2022
- Member of the Golden Key Society
- St John's College Head of School 2019

KEY SKILLS

- **Cloud Computing** - Experience with AWS, particularly in serverless architectures.
- **DevOps** - Experience in creating and deploying Terraform modules.
- **High-Performance Computing** - Proficiency with JAX for accelerated computations.
- **Relational Databases** - Experience with MySQL and PostgreSQL.
- **Software Development** - Strong programming background in Python, Rust, and R.
- **Machine Learning** - Experience with statistical modeling, deep learning, and reinforcement learning.
- **Bayesian Models** - Experience with Active Inference and Predictive Coding.
- **Public Speaking** - Comfortable presenting to both technical and non-technical audiences.