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Summary

I am a committed hardworking individual with excellent communication skills and a keen mind, always ready to learn new skills and, improve on already acquired ones. My extended experiences in technical, operational and Finance roles have afforded me a unique perspective and knowledge to finance and data analysis, business development and overall leadership and decision making. I am equally at ease whether working in teams or on my own.

Core / Technical Skills

- Machine Learning Applications in Finance (Supervised, Unsupervised, Time Series)
- Programming and Financial Libraries (Python, SQL, Pandas, PyViz, APIs etc.)
- Blockchain Technology (Solidity, Remix, streamlit)
- Competence in establishing and enhancing Project Management Strategies
- Excellent planning, organization, decision making and leadership skills
- Compiling and presenting detailed research, complex financial and, statistical data
- Certified SAP FICO consultant Financial accounting (GL, A/P, A/R, AA, SPGL)
- Certified SAP Business associate with SAP ERP 6.0
- Experienced in using Data mining and Business Intelligence tools. Quicksight, Tableau
- Microsoft office including Word, Power Point, Project, Excel (Pivot Tables), Power BI, Microsoft Query

Projects

- Tokenization of Real Estate https://github.com/makhlaghi001/Project-3--Real-Estate-Tokenization-SmartContract
 - Developed a Smart contract in Solidity for the backend and streamlit front end to tokenize commercial real-estate. Tasked with writing the crowdsale ERC20 contract in remix and streamlit front end python/vscode. The contract will allow companies to crowd source real estate funding on Ethereum blockchain

Experience

Amazon Global Mile Transportation

Trailblazer Financial Analyst

Mar 2022 -

Remote - Seattle US

- Worked with large-scale data mining and reporting tools and other financial systems (SAP)
- Financial and analytical experience including forecasting, budgeting, variance analysis, and, data interpretation and analysis. Weekly, Monthly, Quarterly Business Reports and Reviews.
- Met tight deadlines, prioritized workload and achieve effective results in a fast-paced, dynamic, evergrowing and often ambiguous environment; multi-tasking skills
- Collected, analyzed and managed quantitative data to create meaningful reports that lead to business improvement and cost reductions in Global Mile – Amazon Transportation Services
- Drove a project initiative that proposed attrition reduction measures of 19M annual savings

- Root cause analysis and uncovering core issues using data, assisted the business to create new measures for productivity. Saved \$24M annually by identifying underutilization of resources.
- Supported weekly and monthly financial close; planning, forecasting, and reporting models and their continuous innovation and communicating to partners
- Excellent listening skills and effective communication (both written and verbal) in a clear, concise, and unambiguous manner
- Identified and implemented solutions to improve, automate, standardize, & simplify finance processes.

Amazon- Fulfilment and Operations Management

Oct. 2020 - Mar 2022 Bolton ON, Canada

- Manager II Operations
 - Managed total Inbound Operations shift at Amazon's largest FC in Canada
 - Met Customer Experience goals and drove improvements with the customer in mind-
 - Coaching, support, motivation and mentorship of direct and indirect reports
 - Collaboration with all support departments to meet business objectives and execute operational projects
 - Improving extant safety procedures and measures across board for a safe work environment
 - Increased productivity through detailed metric analysis and efficient planning
 - Improved morale and performance through engagement and by subsequently addressing and removing operational constraints, barriers and concerns
 - Deep dive and audits for root cause analysis to identify and implement operational improvements
 - Ensured that daily productivity plans and goals are exceeded through efficient management

Royal Bank of Canada

April 2020 – September 2020

Mississauga ON, Canada

Senior Banking Advisor

- Assisted high value clients with banking, credit, loans, mortgage, and investment needs
- Proactively took ownership of resolving banking concerns by educating clients on maximizing RBC services and solutions
- Demystified complex financial and statistical data for easier client comprehension
- Demonstrated excellent customer service including conflict resolution and time management

The Infrastructure Bank PLC Investment Analyst

Jan 2015 – Sept 2019

Abuja, Nigeria

- Project Manager and lead-officer to the Federal Ministry Aviation Nigeria on "Development of Aerotropolis" and "Development of Cargo/Agro Allied Terminals" projects. Obtained Outline Business Case Certificates for both Projects estimated at US\$250 million and US\$150 million respectively.
- Managed finance raising that secured equity injection into the Lagos Metro Rail Line. (Red Line) estimated at US\$2.4 billion (PPP financing)
- Executed PPP Transaction structuring in Real Estate, Transportation, Power and Energy, Oil and Gas, Telecommunications and Municipal projects

- Secured regulatory compliance certificates for Aviation related infrastructure projects
- Prepared the Project Inception report, Business policy report, Outline Business Case for Infrastructure Projects
- Identified potential risk factors and recommended mitigants to same. Prepared issue identification, documentation and escalation framework

Wizcore Consulting UK

SAP FI Consultant

London, England UK

- SAP full cycle implementation in the Finance module
- Defined organizational units and mapped business scenarios and business process in SAP system
- Worked on baseline configuration, initial configuration of core processes, organization structure and master data element
- Executed final configuration, implemented the business and process requirement based on business blueprint
- Post implementation support preparing end-user document and training manual, as well as end user training

Academic Qualification

FinTech Bootcamp Certificate

University of Toronto

Feb 2023

A 24-week intensive program focused on gaining skills in Financial Fundamentals, Machine Learning Applications in Finance,

Programming and Financial Libraries (Python, SQL etc.), and Blockchain Technology

MSc. Business Systems Integration with SAP

Brunel University London UK

2010

BSc. Financial Mathematics Honours (2:1)

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