# JUSTIN NAPOLITANO

# **Applicant**

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## **EDUCATION**

**BA, Political Science** August 2017 University of Central Florida

**Statistics Specialization** August 2018 University of Central Florida

Python 3 Specialization
University of Michigan

January 2020

### **QUALIFICATIONS**

1 dot = 1 year of experience

#### Lakehouses

BigQuery
Treasure Data CDP
Snowflake
Cloud Compute

GCP

Azure AWS

**Data Science Platforms** 

SQL
Python
Julia
SAS
SPSS
R

BI and Data Viz
Excel
Matplotlib
Leaflet
Seaborn
Looker
Plotly
Graph Analysis
NetworkX

Neo4i

Algorithms and Statistics
Seasonal Forecasting
(Non-) Parametric Testing
Topic Modeling

AI Development

Retrieval Aug. Generation
Agentic Model Design

### **EXPERIENCE**

## **Data Engineer**

Penske Media Corporation

April 2023 - April 2024 Los Angeles, California

- Conducted comprehensive evaluations of 6 AI and data vendors to assess their technical capabilities, cost efficiency, and alignment with business objectives to steer \$5 million in AI investments.
- Fine-tuned large language models to achieve a 10% improvement in generative AI model performance evaluated by qualitative survey data.
- Developed 12 organization-wide reporting workflows that identified key news cycle trends related to 90 market and publishing verticals across 25 major news organizations.

## **Analytics Engineer**

April 2022 - April 2023

Penske Media Corporation

Los Angeles, California ta-driven models

- Improved audience marketing effectiveness with data-driven models resulting in a 5% increase in subscription conversion rates through advanced KPI reporting deployed to GCP.
- Optimized subscription retention strategy with Treasure Data CDP and first-party data modeling consisting of over 150 factors and billions of records by increasing subscriber engagement with content by 8%.
- Provided strategic content and audience marketing guidance to the executives leading 25 national brands – including Rolling Stone and Billboard – generating nearly \$1 billion in annual revenue.

## **Independent Data Consultant**

Jan 2020 - April 2022

BTJN

Houston, Texas

- Optimized marketing strategy by implementing 2 customer data platforms to effectively target roughly 2 million high-value potential customers.
- Enhanced analysis pipeline efficiency by migrating 3 legacy systems to Google Cloud Platform (GCP) resulting in greater than 100% improvement in data processing speeds.
- Automated email marketing initiatives that resulted in converting 10% of 5,000 cold leads to clients.

### **Research Assistant**

Jan 2018 - Aug 2019

University of Central Florida

Orlando, Florida

- Created an international human rights law rubric consisting of statutes sourced from every major international treaty pertaining to the rights of individuals to enable research assistants to accurately code 100's of cross-referenced systemic abuses against civilians.
- Developed the data coding procedures and management methods to lead a 5-person data team to successfully construct a MySQL database that was later open-sourced to permit transparent research into human rights violations.
- Published an analysis of abuses against women and children distributed by De Gruyter and presented at the International Criminal Court at The Hague to leaders in international human rights law.

# **PUBLICATIONS**

## **Turkish Kurdish Analysis Database**

Peace Economics, Peace Science and Public Policy vol 25, no. 4, pp. 36

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