PATRICK BOATENG

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RESEARCH INTEREST

- Finite element analysis of structures
- Machine learning and Artificial Intelligence for design optimization
- Seismic retrofitting
- Structural steel design

EDUCATION

Bachelor's degree

Sep 2017 - Nov 2021

Kwame Nkrumah University of Science and Technology

- Programme: Bachelor of Science in Civil Engineering
- **Honor**: First Class [3.76/4.0] Scholaro GPA Calculator
- Thesis: Predicting the compressive strength of concrete using machine learning techniques.
- **Key Courses**: Introduction to Finite Element Methods | Algebra | Numerical Analysis | Statistics and Probability | Differential Equation | Soil and Rock mechanics | Computer Aided Design (AutoCad) | Computer Programming (MATLAB) | Construction Management

HONORS AND AWARDS

- Provost Excellent Students Awards, College of Engineering (KNUST) in year 3
- Provost Excellent Students Awards, College of Engineering (KNUST) in year 4

WORK EXPERIENCE

Assistant Consulting Engineer Heureka Consult Limited

Sep 2022 - Present Full Time

Performed quality assurance and quality control procedures for construction projects, including overseeing the Cardinal Namdini gold mine's water storage and tailings dams.

- Generated project and laboratory reports for the client.
- Conducted geotechnical site investigations for road projects, such as the Accra-Ofankor road rehabilitation.
- Analyzed laboratory test results and made engineering judgements.
- Conducted an assessment of structural soundness and stability of pre-existing structures.
- Developed a Microsoft Excel add-in capable of soil classification, accommodating both the Unified Soil Classification System and the American Association of State Highway and Transportation Officials classification systems. Project link

IT Consultant Sep 2021 - Aug 2022 Kwame Nkrumah University of Science and Technology National Service Personnel

- Provided assistance in the digitization of manual tasks. For example, I developed a simple database using Python and WxPython to keep track of customers whose applications have been processed.
- Assisted and consulted in all IT related work.

Site Engineer Apr 2020 - Nov 2020 Quatran Services Limited Intern

- Conducted site supervision and implemented Quality Assurance and Quality Control measures during the construction of the solvent extraction plant for Wilmar Africa.
- Ensured precise execution of structural drawings by interpreting and comprehending the drawings accurately.
- Prepared weekly progress reports summarizing all the works completed on-site.

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

Concrete compressive strength prediction

Mar 2021 - Aug 2021

 Employed various machine learning techniques to develop models for predicting the 28th day compressive strength of concrete. Project link

TECHNICAL SKILLS

• Programming Languages: Python | C | C++ | Microsoft Excel VBA

• Deep Learning Frameworks: Pytorch

• Machine Learning: Scikit-learn | XGBoost

• Data Analysis: Pandas | Numpy

• **Software**: Microsoft Office Excel | Latex | AutoCad | ETABS

PERSONAL PROJECTS

- geolab: An open-source software for geotechnical engineering analysis and modelling. Project link
- makepackage: A Python package for packaging python code. (Contributor) Project link

REFERENCES

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