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Top Skills

Climate Policy

Report Writing

Impact Investing

Languages

English (Full Professional)

Mandarin Chinese (Elementary)

Certifications

Advanced Excel

Introduction to Power Electronics

Introduction to Sustainable Finance

Investment Management with Python and Machine Learning Specialization by EDHEC Business School

Essential Financial Modelling

Honors-Awards

KVPY Scholarship

NTSE Scholarship

First Prize Award, 6- 8 Individual , 2010 Space Settlement Design Contest

Recognition of Excellence, International Space Development Conference, 2010

Junior Olympiad State Rank 1, Maharashtra Olympiad Movement 2013-14

Publications

Post-issuance Reporting in the Green Bond Market 2021

Hong Kong Green Bond Market Briefing 2020

India Sustainable Debt Market State of the Market 2021

Prashant Lonikar

Climate Finance Analyst

London, England, United Kingdom

Summary

Helping develop products at the intersection of tech and climate. Currently working as a Climate Finance Analyst at ClimateAligned, an LLM/AI-driven platform for enabling easier climate views on financial products. Previously worked as a Sustainable Debt Data Analyst at Climate Bonds Initiative with a focus on green bonds.

Electrical engineer and business analyst by training, and sustainability and sustainable finance enthusiast. Wish to use my engineering and analytical skills to enable greater fund flow towards sustainable projects to meet the Paris 1.5 degrees target globally.

Experience

ClimateAligned

Climate Finance Analyst

March 2023 - Present (10 months)

Climate Bonds Initiative

2 years 10 months

Sustainable Debt Data Analyst

May 2021 - March 2023 (1 year 11 months)

Junior Research Analyst

October 2020 - April 2021 (7 months)

Markets Intern

June 2020 - September 2020 (4 months)

Birla Institute of Technology and Science, Pilani - Goa Campus

Teaching Assistant

January 2020 - July 2020 (7 months)

South Goa, Goa, India

Teaching Assistant for Analog Electronics course.

Nomura

Intern

July 2019 - December 2019 (6 months)

Powai

Intern in the FinTech division of the Financial Innovation Office.

- Collaborated with various divisions of the firm to collate a digital inventory of the tools on Artificial Intelligence, Machine Learning and facilitated their cross-divisional proliferation resulting in savings of \$175k
- Assessed use cases in the ideation stage, based on return of investment, cross-divisional applicability, etc. and partnered with 2 FinTechs for PoCs in Vendor Onboarding and HR workflow management
- Built an interactive mobile application based on Augmented Reality for customized audio-visual representation of wealth reports for HNI clients
- Conducted extensive market research on new business opportunities like SME lending and partnership with Fintech startups for Nomura Wholesale Strategy department

Birla Institute of Technology and Science, Pilani - Goa Campus

Teaching Assistant

January 2019 - May 2019 (5 months)

India

Teaching Assistant for the course Microelectronic Circuits for Semester 2 of 2018-19. Responsible for organising lab sessions, overseeing quizzes and laboratory exams.

CG Power and Industrial Solutions Limited (Formerly Crompton Greaves Limited)

Summer Intern

May 2018 - July 2018 (3 months)

Nasik Area, India

Birla Institute of Technology and Science, Pilani - Goa Campus

Representative, Student Faculty Council (SFC)

August 2017 - December 2017 (5 months)

Goa

Part of a 25-member team comprising of 9 faculty members. Responsible for streamlining and improving communications between students and faculty members and to convey student issues to the authorities.

Education

Imperial College London

Master of Science - MS, Business Analytics

Imperial College Business School

Master of Science - MS, Business Analytics

Birla Institute of Technology and Science, Pilani - Goa Campus

Bachelor of Engineering (B.E.), Electrical and Electronics Engineering

Birla Institute of Technology and Science, Pilani - Goa Campus

Minor Degree in Finance, Finance, General

Ashoka Universal School, Nasik, India