

# RUSHIL NALEKAR

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## WORK EXPERIENCE

### Teaching Assistant

Feb 2025 - Present

Vrije Universiteit Amsterdam

Amsterdam,NL

- Assisted students with assignments, group sessions, and model-building projects.
- Clarified concepts in process modeling, causal graphs, and agent-based modeling
- Facilitating study groups to encourage peer learning and engagement.

### Sales Associate

Sep 2024 - Present

Adidas

Amsterdam,NL

- Customer Engagement & Product Expertise – Advised customers on product selection and styling by leveraging in-depth knowledge of Adidas products to enhance their shopping experience and drive sales.

### Data Science Intern

Jul 2024- Sep 2024

ReadLer

Amsterdam,NL

- Structured large phoneme datasets in JSON, refining AI speech evaluation and improving model interpretability.
- Developed a translation layer to convert AI-generated scores into real-world metrics, visualized using gradient-based bars.
- Analyzed and compared multiple AI speech models, optimizing accuracy and refining data processing workflows

### Software Engineering Intern

May 2022-June 2022

SHARP ENGINEERING

Mumbai,IND

- Built a JavaScript-based notification system to enhance communication efficiency.
- Collaborated on debugging and optimizing system performance for automation.

## EDUCATION

### Bsc in Artificial Intelligence | Vrije Universiteit Amsterdam

2023-Present

- Specialization in Artificial Intelligence and Data Science.
- Projects on NLP, AI Agents, and Predictive Modeling.
- Strong foundation in Mathematics: Probability & Statistics, Calculus, and Linear Algebra.

## SKILLS

- **Technical Tools:** Data Visualization, Data Analysis, SQL Databases, AI/ML Tools, Python, Java/JavaScript
- **Languages:** Dutch (A2), English (Fluent), Hindi (Native)
- **Certifications:** SQL Server for Data Analytics,Data Analytics with Python, Azure Cloud Computing & Data Management, Google Cloud Computing, Microsoft Power BI

## PROJECTS

### Library Management System

- Designed and implemented a Library Management System in C/C++ to manage catalogs and transactions, improving efficiency and usability.
- Streamlined operations, enhanced user experience, and supported digital transformation; received positive feedback from staff and students.

## AWARDS

**Adidas Rookie of the Year** – Recognized for exceptional performance, consistently exceeding targets and delivering impact in a fast-paced environment