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SKILLS

- **Languages:** Java, Python, JavaScript, SQL
- **Frameworks & Libraries:** Express, NextJs, Node.js, Flask, TensorFlow, PyTorch, Scikit-learn
- **Databases:** MySQL, MongoDB
- **DevOps & Cloud:** Docker, GitHub Actions, AWS (EC2, S3, Lambda), Google Colab, Paperspaces
- **Machine Learning:** Feature engineering, hyperparameter tuning, model deployment
- **Version Control & Tools:** Git, Linux
- **Soft Skills:** Problem-Solving, Communication, Analytical Thinking, Adaptability, Leadership, Presentation

EDUCATION

- **Dedan Kimathi University of Technology** Nyeri, Kenya
Master of Science in Computer Science *Oct. 2023 – Present*
- **Dedan Kimathi University of Technology** Nyeri, Kenya
Bachelor of Science in Information Technology *May 2019 – Apr. 2023*

EXPERIENCE

- **Freelance Machine Learning & Full Stack Developer** Online, Remote
Jan 2022 - Present
 - **Machine Learning:** Preprocessed datasets, built pipelines, trained and fine-tuned models for production.
 - **Full Stack Development:** Designed and deployed responsive React/Django/Flask apps.
 - **API Engineering:** Developed RESTful and GraphQL APIs for client-server data exchange.
 - **Cloud Deployment:** Managed container-based deployment using Docker and AWS EC2/S3.
 - **Data Analytics:** Performed data wrangling and exploratory analysis for client use cases.
 - **Agile Practices:** Delivered work in iterations with feedback loops from clients.
- **Graduate Research Assistant** Dedan Kimathi University of Technology, Nyeri, Kenya
Oct 2023 - Present
 - **Student Labs:** Guided students through ML labs, assignments, and practical sessions.
 - **Deep Learning Projects:** Assisted students in CNN/RNN/Transformer-based implementations.
 - **Data Preprocessing:** Taught data cleaning, augmentation, and feature engineering.
 - **Optimization Techniques:** Reviewed student models and improved performance via tuning.
 - **Presentation & Teaching:** Explained concepts to technical and non-technical audiences.

PROJECTS

- **Kenyan Business Ideas & Investment Bot:** Built an ML-powered chatbot with React frontend and Flask backend, fine-tuned for Kenyan economic data. [View Project](#)
- **Research Article Generator (RAG) App:** Enhanced app to summarize and search scientific research articles using transformers. [GitHub](#)
- **Campus Part-time Jobs:** Developed a Django-based web app for connecting students to campus jobs like academic theses. [View Project](#)
- **CORD-19 Topic Clustering:** Performed unsupervised clustering of COVID-19 research articles using LDA + K-means NLP pipeline. [GitHub](#)

PUBLICATIONS

- **Financial Health Assessment for Households in Kenya:** Kinyanjui, Samson, et al. "Financial Health Assessment for Households in Kenya." In *2024 International Conference on Information and Communication Technology for Development for Africa (ICT4DA)*, pp. 90-95. IEEE, 2024.