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*"There is only one good, knowledge and a single evil,  
ignorance." (Socrates)*

## Education

- 2019–present **PhD in Mathematical Sciences**, Stellenbosch University (African Institute for Mathematical Science), Cape Town.
- 2017–2018 **Research Master's in Mathematical Sciences**, Stellenbosch University (African Institute for Mathematical Science), Cape Town, Completed with Cum Laude.
- 2016–2017 **Structured Master's in Mathematical Sciences**, University of Cape Town (African Institute for Mathematical Science), Cape Town, Completed with Cum Laude.
- 2010–2014 **Bachelor's Degree in Statistics**, University for Development Studies, Navrongo, GPA: 4.43, Completed with Second Class Upper Division.

## Experience

- 2014–2015 **Teacher**, Collins Senior High School, Asante-Akim Agogo.
  - Taught Mathematics and was responsible for creating assessments for the students.
  - Marked and graded assignments.
  - Invigilated exams.
- 2013 **EMIS Officer**, Ghana Education Service, Foase.
  - Developed questionnaires.
  - Data entry, Sorting data, Analysing data

## Volunteering

- 2018 **Mathematics Teacher**, Joe Slovo Engineering High School, Cape Town.  
Teaching Mathematics
- 2017 **Facilitator**, African Code Week, Muizenberg.  
Volunteered to teach how to code.
- 2017 **Mathematics Teacher**, Muizenberg High School, Muizenberg.  
Taught Mathematics

## Projects

- 2017–2018 **Transcriptomic Profile Based Cancer Disease Prediction and Patient Survival Time Differentiation**, Stellenbosch University, South Africa.
- 2017 **Investigating Relationship Between Expressed Cancer Related Genes and Patients Survival**, African Institute for Mathematical Sciences, South Africa.
- 2014 **Modelling Rainfall using Resilient Backpropagation Algorithm**, University for Development Studies, Navrongo.

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## Workshops and Seminar

- 2019 **Practical Introduction to Deep Learning Workshop**, *Tutor*, AIMS, South Africa.  
Tutor at the Practical Introduction to Deep Learning Workshop
- 2019 **IndabaX Gambia**, *Tutor*, School of ITC, University of The Gambia, Kanifing.  
I taught Machine Learning to participants of the Deep Learning IndabaX in The Gambia
- 2018 **Deep Learning Indaba**, *Attendee*, Stellenbosch, South Africa.
- 2018 **Deep Learning IndabaX Western Cape**, *Co-organizer*, Cape Town, South Africa.  
I co-organised Deep Learning IndabaX workshop at the University of Cape Town
- 2018 **Data Science Workshop**, *African Institute for Mathematical Science*, South Africa.
- 2017 **SETI/SKA Workshop**, *African Institute for Mathematical Science*, South Africa.

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## Awards

- 2019–2021 **DAAD-Scholarship under the PhD In-Country/In-Region Scholarship programme AIMS South Africa**, *Stellenbosch University*, Cape Town.
- 2017 **AIMS Research Master's in Mathematical Sciences Full Scholarship**, *South Africa*.
- 2016 **AIMS Structured Master's in Mathematical Sciences Full Scholarship**, *South Africa*.

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## Computer skills

Programming: Python, R  
Tech Writer: L<sup>A</sup>T<sub>E</sub>X, HTML

AI Software: ,TensorFlow, Keras, PyTorch  
OS: Unix/Linux, Windows

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## Research Interests

- Deep Learning
- Visual Attention Mechanism
- Transfer Learning

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## Interests/Hobbies

- Learning history
- Studying technology
- Soccer