# **NALEDI SANDAMELA**

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## EXPERIENCE

#### **BI & Data Intern**

EPPF | Bryanston, Gauteng

May 2024 - January 2025

- Designed & implemented RESTful APIs in Node.js for data integration, retrieval, and authentication, improving reporting turnaround times.
- Developed interactive dashboards for senior management using Power BI, improving data visibility and decision-making.
- Built and optimized data pipelines to streamline data processing for the company's data warehouse.

#### **IT Intern**

EPPF | Bryanston, Gauteng

Feb 2024 - May 2024

- Resolved 95% of technical issues within the first 24 hours, significantly reducing employee downtime and improving overall productivity.
- Provided timely and effective technical support, resulting in increased user satisfaction and a decrease in recurring issues.

#### **Student Assistant**

NWU | Potchefstroom, North-West

July 2021 - Dec 2021

- Provided mentorship & support to students, improving their understanding and application of C++.
- Assisted in grading and delivering feedback to enhance student performance.

## **EDUCATION**

## **B.Sc. Honours Information Technology with Software Engineering**

Eduvos | Potchefstroom, North-West

Feb 2023-Dec 2023

- Golden Key International Honour Society Member: Top 15% of the class
  - Data Mining Project: Analysed data to predict outcomes such as life expectancy and diabetes using Python.
  - Job Board Web Application: Built a job board for IT graduates using React, Node.js, MongoDB, and microservice architecture. Included features for posting and applying to job listings, utilizing JavaScript, Apache Kafka, MongoDB, and Swagger.

#### **B.Sc. Information Technology**

NWU | Potchefstroom, North-West

Feb 2019-Dec 2022

## CERTIFICATIONS & TECHNICAL SKILLS

## **AWS Certified Cloud Practitioner**

## **Google Data Analytics Professional Certificate**

Apr 2025 July 2022

- Programming: Python, Java, C#, JavaScript, TypeScript
- Frameworks & Libraries: Node.js, Express.js, React, Flutter, .NET Core
- Databases: SQL, PostgreSQL, MongoDB, Firebase, SQLite
- API Development: RESTful APIs, Postman, Swagger, JWT Authentication
- Cloud & DevOps: AWS S3, Docker, Azure, Web Sockets
- Tools & Version Control: Git, GitHub, Jira, NetBeans, Power BI

## **PROJECTS**

### **Beeper API Microservices-Based Messaging Platform**

- Developed a secure and scalable API using Node.js, Express.js, and MongoDB.
- Implemented user authentication, profile management, and notifications.
- Delivered **seamless user experiences** across mobile and web platforms.

### Latch – Social Media Platform for CS and IT Graduates

- Designed and implemented a microservices architecture with Node.js & Express.js.
- Integrated WebSockets for real-time messaging & notifications.
- Implemented JWT authentication for secure user access.
- Utilized AWS S3 for cloud storage and Swagger for API documentation.

#### Web Scraper/ Python and data analysis

- Developed a Python-based web scraper to collect and store product prices from multiple websites.
- Analyzed & visualized data to track pricing trends and fluctuations.