

# CURRICULUM VITAE FOR ASHTON CHIMALA

## PERSONAL DETAILS

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<b>D.O.B</b>	07 December 1997
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<b>Sex</b>	Male
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## PERSONAL STATEMENT

A multi-talented, solution-oriented, and highly analytical IT professional with a wide range of skills in systems installation, configuration, upgrading, and maintenance. Skillful administration and troubleshooting expertise for a range of Microsoft OS, Linux and Windows products, Proficiency in grasping new functional concepts quickly and utilizing them in a productive manner.

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## PROFESSIONAL QUALIFICATION

(Institution)

MIDLANDS STATE UNIVERSITY

**DEGREE**

**CLASS**

**Bsc Information Systems Degree (Hons)**

**2.1**

**(February 2017 – April 2021)**

## ACADEMIC QUALIFICATION

(Institution)

MUFAKOSE HIGH SCHOOL

**Level**

**Passes**

**A-Level (2015 – 2016)**

3 A- Level Passes (11 points,)

**O-Level (2011 – 2014)**

7 O level Passes (Including Maths and English)

## PERSONAL ATTRIBUTES

- Hard working and honest
- Ability to communicate effectively and enjoys team works
- Ability to tolerate stress and work under pressure with minimum supervision
- Quality oriented, take pride in my work and will always strive to produce best results
- Ability to learn new things and self-motivating

## Hobbies

- Playing basketball
- Reading novels
- Watching movies
- Gardening

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## Positions Held

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Branch Secretary: Peters Apostolic Church (2015-Current)

Interact Club Vice President: Mufakose 2 High School (2016)

Christian Union Media Director: Midlands State University (2017-2018)

Christian Union Evangelism Director: Midlands State University (2018)

Stir Club Administrator: Midlands State University (2018)

Christian Union Administrator: Midlands State University (2020)

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## Areas of Interest

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- Cyber Security
  - IT Auditing
  - Networking
  - Cloud Computing
  - Systems Analysts
  - Systems Programmer
  - Mobile App development
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## Areas of Expertise

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- Computer Security
  - Network troubleshooting and Configuration
  - Sage Pastel (ERP)
  - Computer hardware
  - Software Installation
  - Green IT
  - Web Development (PHP, HTML, CSS)
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- Databases (Windows Server, MSQl)
- ADOBE Photoshop

## Working experience

### CAFCA LIMITED

54 Lytton Road

Workington Industries

Harare

CAFCA is the only cable manufacturer in Zimbabwe. It was established in 1947 and is listed under the ZimbabweStock Exchange, Johannesburg and London Stock Exchanges. CAFCA is part of CBI Electric African Cables (RSA), which in turn is owned by Reunert Limited (RSA).

**Position: Information Systems Intern (7 March 2019 – 28 February 2020)**

**Period worked: 1 year**

### Key Roles:

- Network troubleshooting and Configuration (Cisco Routers, Switches and Firewalls)
- Sage Pastel Evolution Administration- User support, Inventory management, ESD system monitoring.
- Rectified many issues by instituting best practices in system log analysis, software auditing and access permissions
- Daily backups for all systems
- CCTV surveillance System Monitoring and backup
- Adding new employees to the access control
- Software installations as assigned and required
- Hardware maintenance

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## References

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