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About Me

I am a third-year student at the University of Pretoria studying towards a BSc in Geoinformatics.

I have a passion for problem solving, particularly in spatial analysis, and I enjoy the challenges in my GIS and programming modules. My aim is to further my studies next year by enrolling for BSc Hons in Geoinformatics to qualify as a GISc Practitioner.

INTERESTS

- **RUNNING**
- MAPS
- **ORIENTEERING**
- **MUSIC**
- **HUMAN GEOGRAPHY**
- **LANGUAGES**
- **EXPLORING**

Education

2021 - 2023

BSc Geoinformatics, University of Pretoria

2016 - 2020

National Senior Certificate, Jeppe High School for Boys

Completed with 7 Distinctions

Achievements and Leadership

- Top 10 Academic throughout School
- Earned my Leaping Wolf award through Scouts South Africa in
- Completed my Grade 5 music theory exam through ABRSM with distinction in 2017
- Performed a movement of a piano concerto with the Rand Symphony Orchestra in 2018
- Performed with the Jeppe Pipe Band at the Basel Tattoo in Switzerland in 2018
- Performed with the African Skye Pipe Band at the South African Tattoo in Pretoria in 2018
- Was awarded first place in multiple solo bagpipe competitions
- Completed my Grade 8 piano exam through ABRSM with merit in 2019
- **Full Colours for Academics**
- Half Colours for Pipe Band and Orienteering
- Was awarded the title of Pipe Major of the Jeppe Pipe Band in 2020
- Awarded the Headmaster's Award
- Member of the Golden Key Society

Skills

- Languages: English (fluent), Afrikaans (conversational), German (B1), isiZulu (first-year university)
- Completed a 2-hour "Introduction to SQL" course as well as a 4hour "Introduction to Python" course through DataCamp
- Computer Literacy: Proficient in Microsoft Word, Excel, and PowerPoint as well as experience in basic programming skills in SQL, PostgreSQL, Python, C#, and JavaScript
- Completed Volkswagen's Advanced Safety Driving Course in 2021
- Instruments: Piano, clarinet, bagpipes, harmonica, saxophone

References

Jeppe High School for Boys

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