

# Maksym

First-time job seeker

- 20 y. o.
- Student with no experience
- Aspiring data scientist
- Remote-ok

# Bio

Maksym is actively trying to find his first job as a data scientist. For over 40 applications, he got only a few responses and now feels ignored. He spends 20 minutes on adjusting the CV to each position and keeps all his templates in Canva. Maksym finds it hard to describe his skills and experience; his only experience is a 1-month internship and a couple of educational projects. He does not trust automated services - they are paid and the quality is questionable.

On a scale from 1 to 10, my resume writing skills are a 5-6. Did it on my own, so there's definitely something to remove or present better.

Oftentimes, I don't get an answer at all and its sad.

## GOALS

- Find his first job in IT
- Get to the interview stage

## PAINS AND FRUSTRATIONS

- Majority of job applications remain ignored without explanation from recruiters
- It takes tens of applications to just get noticed and invited to the interview stage
- Unsure how to best describe experience and skills in the absence of commercial experience

#### **NEEDS**

- Advice how to best structure his resume
- To know the reasons why the resume was rejected

#### **FEELINGS**

- Exhausted by job search
- Hesitant about quality of automated CV tools
- Confused about what's wrong with his resume

Asked for advice from a friend; searched over the Internet to find best practices in CV writing.