Title of the Paper

Your full name

An assignment submitted in partial fulfillment of the requirements for MSDS-532

as part of the degree _____(i.e., Master of Science)

In

_____(i.e., Data Science)

School of Computing and Information Sciences

University of the Cumberlands

MSDS-532: Data Science Programming in Python

Your professor's honorific and name (i.e., Dr. Zadok Hakim)

The due date in month, day, year format (i.e., December 2, 2022)

Semester year (i.e., Spring 2022)

Title of your Paper

Use this template when writing a paper per the American Psychological Association (APA, 2020; better known as APA 7). The first section of your paper is the introduction. Every paragraph and every section need a topic sentence. The topic sentence in your first paragraph of your first section should highlight the main ideas of the entire paper. The main ideas in your paper will then be discussed under the section headings associated with each idea. When you enter text, ensure you indent your paragraphs and write in complete sentences. Did you notice there is no page header, other than the page number? There is no abstract, either. This formatting is consistent with the guidance from APA for student papers. One other thing to note about this template—use Microsoft Word's styles menu when you need to designate a section as a heading, the reference body section, or normal text. The styles in this document are preset to align with the requirements of APA, as well.

First Topic Main Idea

The name of the sections is something you will decide. It should come from your topic sentence. Remember to write in complete sentences in well-developed paragraphs. Before moving to the next section, you should write a transitioning sentence to connect the ideas of the current section and the next section.

Second Topic Main Idea

Just like the previous section, only now you will write about the second main idea that was identified in your main topic sentence. Remember to write in complete sentences in well-developed paragraphs. Before moving to the next section, you should write a transitioning sentence to connect the ideas of the current section and the next section.

Third Topic Main Idea

Just like the previous section, only now you will write about the third main idea that was identified in your main topic sentence. Remember to write in complete sentences in well-developed paragraphs. Before moving to the next section, you should write a transitioning sentence to connect the ideas of the current section and the next section.

Conclusion

The conclusion is similar to the introduction in many ways. Here you'll restate the topic sentence, but in different words. You will summarize and highlight anything that you would like the reader to take special note of. Remember to write in complete sentences in well-developed paragraphs.

References

References are entered on a separate page, as shown here. A hanging indent is used. The references should be entered in alphabetical order, in APA (2020). A few references are included as examples to demonstrate different formatting requirements for different types of references. You can also use the guidance provided on the [APA website](#). There is a page break between the previous page and the section header References.

American Psychological Association. (2020). *Publication manual of the American Psychological Association* (7th ed.). https://doi.org/10.1037/0000165-000

Bedenel, A.-L., Jourdan, L., & Biernacki, C. (2019). Probability estimation by an adapted genetic algorithm in web insurance. In R. Battiti, M. Brunato, I. Kotsireas, & P. Pardalos (Eds.), *Lecture notes in computer science: Vol. 11353. Learning and intelligent optimization* (pp. 225–240). Springer. https://doi.org/10.1007/978-3-030-05348-2_21

Henderson, H. V., & Vellerman, P. F. (1981). Building multiple regression models interactively. *Biometrics, 37*(2), 391-411. https://doi.org/10.2307/2530428

Mack, R., & Spake, G. (2018). *Citing open source images and formatting references for presentations* [PowerPoint slides]. Canvas@FNU. https://fnu.onelogin.com/login

Schaeffer, K. (2021, October 1). *What we know about online learning and the homework gap amid the pandemic.* Pew Research Center. https://www.pewresearch.org/fact-tank/2021/10/01/what-we-know-about-online-learning-and-the-homework-gap-amid-the-pandemic/

World Health Organization. (2018, May 24). The top 10 causes of death. https://www.who.int/news-room/fact-sheets/detail/the-top-10-causes-of-death

University of the Cumberlands

School of Computing and Information Sciences

Certification of Authorship

Submitted to: (Your professor's honorific and name, i.e., Dr. Zadok Hakim)

Course: (i.e., MSDS-532)

Student's Name:

Date of Submission:

Purpose and Title of Submission:

Certification of Authorship: I hereby certify that I am the author of this document and that any assistance I received in its preparation is fully acknowledged and disclosed in the document. I have also cited all sources from which I obtained data, ideas, or words that are copied directly or paraphrased in the document. Sources are properly credited according to accepted standards for professional publications. I also certify that this paper was prepared by (me or by my group #) for this purpose.

Student's Signature: