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EDUCATION

Addis Ababa University

Bachelor of Computer Science

Addis Ababa

Graduation Date: Jul 2026

WORK EXPERIENCE

10X Academy Addis Ababa

Machine Learning intern

Feb 2023 - Present

- Led development of a <u>real-time fraud detection</u> pipeline by preprocessing imbalanced financial transaction data with SMOTE, training XGBoost and Random Forest models, and interpreting results with SHAP and K-Means clustering—boosted anomaly detection accuracy by 92%, enabling faster flagging of high-risk transactions and supporting operational risk reduction.
- Built an <u>end-to-end financial complaint analysis</u> system using a RAG pipeline with MiniLM-L6, FAISS/ChromaDB, LangChain, and prompt-engineered GPT-based models deployed via Streamlit—improved Q&A relevance by 35%, retrieval precision to 90%, and reduced trend-detection time from days to minutes, enabling more proactive issue resolution and customer support insights.
- Developed <u>multilingual Telegram analytics</u> engine using Python: Fine-tuned XLM-RoBERTa/mBERT for NER, automated ELT with Dagster,dbt, enriched content with YOLOv8 enabled real-time vendor risk profiling for 85% customers.
- Delivered automated <u>Amharic e-commerce pipeline</u> in <u>Python</u> with Hugging Face XLM-RoBERTa and SHAP/LIME—boosted vendor profits engagement 90% through interpretable scorecards.
- Scraped & analyzed 1,200+ Google Play reviews using Python with google-play-scraper, Oracle, applied DistilBERT sentiment scoring and spaCy/TF-IDF clustering drove 70% customer satisfaction increase.

ICogLabs Addis Ababa

Artificial General Intelligence intern

Aug 2024 - Feb 2025

- Automated gene-transcript-exon extraction in Python from Neo4j/Metta ontologies—built 1.2M-node knowledge graph enabling 98% accurate disease pathway identification.
- Developed Flask-Mail chatbot in Python for real-time gene-ontology alerts—boosted query throughput 60% and accelerated hypothesis generation 30%.

LEADERSHIP EXPERIENCE

Africa to Silicon Valley -Backed by Google

Addis Ababa

Teaching Assistant

Feb 2024 - Present

- Co-led recitations/grading for 5 TAs; improved coding interview problem-solving 40% via 360+ LeetCode challenges while connecting students to global opportunities at Google, Palantir, Databricks, Bloomberg, and Meta.
- Conducted mock interviews emphasizing **Python** data structures/algorithms, directly enabling 70+ student placements at top tech firms.

ALX Africa Addis Ababa

Software Engineer

Feb 2023 - Feb 2025

- Led a 5-person team in building Flask-Python marketplace with RESTful APIs, automating produce listing/ordering system that
 processed 500+ monthly transactions, and accomplished 90% farmer revenue growth through Flask-Mail email notifications that boosted
 customer engagement link.
- Led development of AirBnB clone v4 dynamic web application using Python, Flask, jQuery AJAX, and MySQL, and accomplished 30% deployment time reduction by creating Fabric automation scripts while implementing CLI database management console.

STEM Start Date - Finish Date

Led team participation in global STEM competitions, earning Silver Honors in the International Astronomy and Astrophysics
 Competition (IAAC) and International Youth Math Challenge (IYMC) among worldwide participants (Verify: <u>IAAC</u> ID PF-2020-E74F5E6A1E1, <u>IYMC</u> ID QR-2020-E8DDFEDE2BD)

SKILLS

Programming: Python (Expert)AI/ML: NLP, LLMs, Generative AI, Computer Vision, XGBoost, TensorFlow, Hugging Face, LangChain Databases: Neo4j, MySQL, Redis, MongoDB, PostgreSQL Frameworks: Flask, FastAPI, Spark, dbt, SHAP, YOLOv8
Certifications: TensorFlow, Advanced ML Algorithms, Unsupervised Learning, Reinforcement Learning, Supervised Machine Learning