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OBJECTIVE

I am an earnest, dynamic, and enthusiastic individual with 4 years of research experience in the field of Geographic Information Systems (GIS), Geography, and Demographic Studies.

My academic journey has allowed me to acquire the following knowledge and experience: GIS, Remote Sensing, Town Planning, Land Use Mapping, Strategic Planning, Project Management, Collating, and analysing quantitative and qualitative data, conducting research, and cartography.

SKILLS

Excellent writing and communication skills with experience in producing work of high quality.

MS Office: Word, Excel, PowerPoint, Outlook, and Access

EXPERIENCE

UNIVERSITY OF JOHANNESBURG • ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT JAN 2023 – JUNE 2023

Carry out administrative duties and complete operational tasks such as scheduling and assigning administrative projects, providing lectures with administrative support, compiling progress reports, and drafting operational plans for the unit.

UNIVERSITY OF JOHANNESBURG • GEOGRAPHY TUTOR FEB 2020 • NOV 2022

Providing practical support to students regarding Geographic Information Systems, Remote Sensing, and Geography practical and non-practical assignments.

PLUS 94 RESEARCH • TEAM LEADER MAR 2015 – NOV 2016

Conducting fieldwork for different research projects, reviewing qualitative data such as responses from interviews and questionnaires. Validating and quality-assuring acquired data and reports.

EDUCATION

MSC IN GEOGRAPHY • 2021 - PRESENT UNIVERSITY OF JOHANNESBURG

My research focuses on the process of urban renewal which is aimed at rectifying urban decay. In an attempt to address the above research needs, the aim of this study was to investigate the processes of urban renewal in the South African context using the township of Kliptown, Gauteng as a case study. GIS techniques were utilized to analyse changes in urban development over time.

GIS Software: ArcGIS, QGIS,
Google Earth Pro

Remote sensing software:
ERDAS IMAGE

Programming languages: R
and Python

Problem-solving and critical
thinking

Good report-writing skills

Attention to detail & output
consistency.

BA (HONOURS) • 2020
UNIVERSITY OF JOHANNESBURG

Majors: Geographic Information Systems (GIS), Remote Sensing,
Philosophy and Methodology, Urban Sociology, and Research
Project.

BA (GEOGRAPHY AND ANTHROPOLOGY) • 2017-2019
UNIVERSITY OF JOHANNESBURG

Majors: Developmental Studies, Anthropology, Geography,
Sociology, Historical Studies, Geographic Information Systems
(GIS), and English.

ACADEMIC ACHIEVEMENTS

Global Excellence Stature (GES) Postgraduate Scholarship (2021)

National Research Foundation (NRF) Freestanding Honours
Scholarship (2020)

Top achiever: 3rd-year Geo-informatics (2019)

REFERENCES

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