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About Me

I am a young professional with **two masters degrees** and a **1+ year experience** as a **Market Intelligence Analyst** at a commodity intelligence SaaS start-up/scale up. During my interdisciplinary studies and work experience, I acquired hands-on experience in **data analysis with statistical methods** along with relevant computer packages and **programming languages**. I can comfortably apply this knowledge to businesses and think beyond the numbers to **provide answers to complex business questions with innovative solutions**.

Academic Background

2019 - 2021

MSc Spatial, Transport and Environmental Economics

Vrije Universiteit Amsterdam, Netherlands

+Collected **data** utilizing stated preference methodology, where a **self-written script** was used to limit the response number.

+Acquired knowledge on **supervised (classification, regression)** and **unsupervised (clustering)** learning methods during **advanced machine learning** course.

+Managed a project, where I was responsible with **data analysis** to find **statistical relationships and causality** with **descriptive statistics** on a dataset containing around **10,000 data points** with a **logit model** achieving **96/100**.

+Trained a **regression model**, with the help of **Python** to perform **exploratory analysis, data wrangling, visualisation and modelling**, utilising packages such as **numpy, scipy, pandas, matplotlib, seaborn** and **sklearn**.

Thesis: Effect of Covid-19 on Bike Sharing Demand

2018 - 2021

MSc Economics

Eastern Mediterranean University, Cyprus

Thesis: Are Islands Allowed to Announce EEZ or Continental Sea Shelves? (Energy securitization and international economy)

2013 - 2018

BA Economics (with Foundation Year)

Manchester Metropolitan University, United Kingdom

Graduation Project: Role of Euro as a Major Reserve Currency

Technical Skills and Languages

English: Fluent / Turkish: Fluent / Dutch: A1



Professional Experience

December 2021 - Current

Market Intelligence Analyst, Vesper, Amsterdam

- + Work on **market research, data analysis** and **hypothesis validation** and **independently developing strategies end to end**
- + R&D of forecasting methods and identifying data patterns
- + Querying database with SQL and analysing & visualising data with Python
- + Experienced working in an **agile/scrum** way

October 2021 - Current

Part Time Freelance Analyst, Statica, Cyprus

- + STATICA is a research and analytics consultancy start-up in Cyprus, aiming to provide information on social, economic and regional development through data
- + As a freelancer, I support projects at STATICA where necessary by **conducting research, collecting data, cleaning data** and **graphical design**

May 2017 – October 2017

Accounting Intern, Cyprus Central Bank, Cyprus

- + Prepared accurate and timely processing of financial assets to customer accounts up to 300.000€ monthly
- + Analysed 100s of transactions from various accounts daily to individually locate and diagnose abnormally high activities and prepared reports to higher management

Additional Information

- ✓ Through attending countless presentations and open discussions, I can confidently **showcase actionable insights**.
- ✓ Received the EU scholarship for the Academic Year 2019-20 from British Council.
- ✓ Dutch level A1 and working towards A2
- ✓ Do not require sponsorship.