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# Jade Rickerts

## Data Analyst and Software Developer

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### EXPERIENCE

#### **Executive Information Officer** - *Metro Namibia*

DECEMBER 2023 - PRESENT

- Managed and optimised IT systems and data infrastructure to support business objectives.
- Led ERP system enhancements, ensuring accurate data analysis and reporting.
- Developed custom SQL scripts and reports to extract and analyze data from multiple sources.
- Provided technical guidance and oversight to a team of software developers.
- Implement process improvements and automation initiatives to enhance operational efficiency.

#### **Corporate Services Executive** - *Metro Namibia*

AUGUST 2021 - DECEMBER 2023

- Conducted in-depth data analysis to identify areas for improvement and strategic opportunities.
- Advised executive teams on achieving strategic objectives and improving performance.
- Implemented automated reporting processes for accurate and timely data presentation.
- Collaborate with finance and other departments to develop forecasts and set business targets.
- Conducted benchmarking and cost-reduction initiatives to optimize business operations.

#### **Business and Data Analyst** - *Metro Namibia*

NOVEMBER 2016 - AUGUST 2021

- Set up an intranet server using LAMP and WordPress for internal communications.
- Created SQL scripts for data extraction and integration into new ERP systems.
- Developed a mapping tool for stock migration and implemented new stock variance reports.
- Analyzed sales and purchase data to support business decision-making.

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## EDUCATION

### Management Development Programme - Stellenbosch Business School

APRIL 2024 - SEPTEMBER 2024

**Coursework:** Marketing and Customer Service Management, Leadership Competence, Business Environment, Managerial Finance, Economics, People Management and Coaching Performance.

### Bachelor of Computer Science (NQF 7) - Namibia University of Science and Technology

JANUARY 2015 - DECEMBER 2017

**Coursework:** Object-Oriented Programming, Distributed Systems Programming, Data Structures & Algorithms, Software Engineering, Database Programming & Techniques, Data & Web Mining.

### Namibia Senior Secondary Certificate - Jan Möhr Secondary School

JANUARY 2005 - DECEMBER 2007

## PROJECTS

### Personal Finance Power BI Report

A financial dashboard and detailed monthly cash flow report in Power BI using data from GnuCash, that's optimized for mobile as well.

**Utilized:** PowerBI, PowerQuery, GnuCash and PostgreSQL

### PriceBook

Manage product prices by capturing invoices and categorizing products.

**Utilized:** Winforms, C#, .NET Framework, SQLite, Dapper, Fluent Validation, Git, Trello.

## SKILLS

### Data Analysis

- **Tools & Technologies:** Power BI, QlikSense, Jupyter Notebooks, Pandas, SQL scripting
- **Core Competencies:** Data extraction, transformation and loading, report creation, KPI creation and dashboards

### Software Development

- **Languages & Frameworks:** .NET Framework, C#, HTML, CSS, JavaScript, Python, Flask
- **Specializations:** Custom applications, ERP systems (Arch Retail, Arch Enterprise, Sage Evolution), software project management, ERD Design, MVP Design