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ABOUT ME

My career has woven two major strands since graduating from college. One strand has been providing training and the other has been providing technology related services in the area of web, mobile and its other applications such as blockchain and artificial intelligence.

SKILLS

- Startups
- English Language and Literature teaching.
- French Language teaching
- Web Programming in PHP/MySQL, Javascript, Java.
- Blockchain Development.
- Currently learning Machine

EXPERIENCE

FOUNDER, Konzaltant Services Ltd

Nairobi, Kenya – January 2021 to date
Kigali, Rwanda — 2012 - 2020

Konzaltant Services Ltd was initially founded as Byose.com Ltd. The company underwent a name change so as to reflect its shift to a more regional presence in East Africa.

Accomplishments:

- Built a language services business that is now on course to make its first KES 1 million in revenue from the start of operations in January 2021.
- Completed the editing/proofreading of a series containing 15 volumes with each volume averaging 600 pages.
- Provided transcription services to law firms, and completed more than 200 pages of transcripts.
- Provided training services for clients including RUMA and Linkage Outsourcing Services. These training services saw the company training staff in manufacturing, banking, insurance and professional education.
- Introduction of e-learning platform development as a service to companies wishing to introduce on-demand and life-long learning systems at their work places.

WEBMASTER, Contact FM

Kigali, Rwanda — 2010 – 2011

Management of web and social media accounts for the radio station.

Accomplishments:

- Mentoring of colleagues who worked with me and have now moved on to assume more responsibility in other companies.
- Growth in the number of users and visitors to the radio station’s website and social media pages.

ADMINISTRATOR, Virunga Holdings Ltd

Kigali, Rwanda — 2009

Teaching English language courses and managing a startup learning institution.

Accomplishments:

- Approaching corporate clients to offer group English language classes to their staff.

WEB COPYWRITER, 3Mice Interactive Ltd

Nairobi, Kenya — 2005 to 2008

Writing content for web development projects.

Learning and Artificial Intelligence.

- Graphic Design / Illustration.
- Video Production
- Music Composition.

Accomplishments:

PROOFREADER, LawAfrica Publishing Ltd

Nairobi, Kenya — 2005 to 2008

Proofreading of the East African Law Reports as well as several legal textbooks authored by leading jurists in Kenya.

EDUCATION

BACHELOR OF ARTS – LANGUAGE & LITERARY STUDIES

Moi University, Eldoret, Kenya — 1999 - 2003

The major course of study covered linguistics in English, Kiswahili and other African languages. As part of the course we also learned French, Arabic, international law and relations as well as management.

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