



CHERISE BASSON

MSC(AGRIC) ANIMAL SCIENCES STUDENT

PROFESSIONAL PROFILE

I pursued a BSc (Agric) degree in Animal Sciences at Stellenbosch University, graduating in 2022. Presently, I am in the process of pursuing an MSc (Agric) degree in Animal Sciences at Stellenbosch University on research conducted at Outeniqua Research Farm.

As an individual, I embody a strong sense of professionalism, presenting myself in a well-organized manner. My work ethic is marked by diligence and a constant drive to achieve excellence in all endeavors. My eagerness to learn and grow motivates me to acquire new skills and continuously develop myself.

My approach to tasks is characterized by efficiency and precision, ensuring that I complete them professionally and in a timely manner. With a positive outlook and an open mind, I foster curiosity and adaptability in all aspects of my life. My profound passion for animals and agricultural production further fuels my dedication to making a meaningful contribution in this field.

EDUCATION

Secondary education

2014 - 2018

Welkom Gimnasium High School

Tertiary education


2019 - 2022

BSc(Agric) Animal Sciences

2023 - 2024

MSc(Agric) Animal Sciences

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SKILLS


- Team Work
- Communication
- Time management
- Computer literacy
- Laboratory skills
- Research
- Animal Nutrition
- Dairy Science

LANGUAGE

- English
- Afrikaans




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ACHIEVEMENTS

Achievements: Secondary School

- First team hockey (2016-2018)
- Expo: Obtained a silver medal on national and international level at the International Science Fair (2017)
- Attended the SASOL Science Convention at the NWU Potchefstroom campus - awarded the most original project. (2017)
- Voortrekkers (2014-2018)
- Public Speaking (2014-2017)
- Matric council (2018)
- Journalist of School newspaper (2017-2018)
- First Aid Level 3 (2014-2017)
- Full colors for Academics (2017-2018)

Achievements: University

- Class representative (2019-2020,2022)
- First Years Committee (2019)
- Aurora Residence Hockey team (2019)
- PIC Pig artificial insemination course (2021)
- Wool classification course (2021)
- Junior Dohne Merino Classifier (2022)

WORK EXPERIENCE

Assistant (Volunteer work)

Toronto Animal Clinic, Welkom

2019-2020

Throughout my university holidays, I assisted a veterinarian at Toronto Animal Clinic, a role that provided me with diverse skill sets. This invaluable experience offered me a firsthand understanding of the crucial interplay between Veterinary Science, Animal Health, and welfare, highlighting their integral roles in Agricultural production.

Laboratory assistant


Tiger Milling, Hennenman

Nov 2020 - Jan 2021

As a part-time laboratory assistant at Tiger Milling Hennenman, I had the valuable opportunity to expand my knowledge within the food industry and enhance my proficiency in laboratory procedures.




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WORK EXPERIENCE

Student Researcher

Outeniqua Research Farm

2023 - Present

Research on the following topic: The effect of *Aspergillus oryzae* fermentation product on production parameters, rumen environment, and fibre degradation of Jersey cows grazing ryegrass/kikuyu pasture.

REFERENCES

Dr L. Steyn

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