

WORK EXPERIENCE

Leeds United

Recruitment Analyst

London, United Kingdom

February 2024 – Present

- Identify and shortlist position specific player profiles by leveraging in-house metrics; coordinate and assign scouting responsibilities across the team to ensure efficient coverage and workflow management.
- Drive the development, validation, and implementation of new scouting metrics and analytical tools, significantly enhancing the department's analytic capabilities and decision making processes.
- Conduct video scouting assignments across multiple European leagues and live match assessments throughout the London area, delivering in depth, first hand evaluations of potential transfer targets.
- Act as the bridge between the recruitment and data science teams, facilitating the integration of insights into the scouting workflow and leading collaboration on analysis projects, leveraging video review to validate and enhance the reliability of new metrics.
- Screen agent recommended players, exercising data driven judgment to assign further evaluation or dismiss profiles, optimising the scouting workflow.
- Design and deliver impactful, data rich presentations and reports for senior stakeholders, including club ownership, executives, and targeted players, to support informed recruitment decisions.

SIS Ltd

Junior Competitive Gaming Trader

London, United Kingdom

October 2023 – January 2024

- Expert in live trading for NBA and FIFA, with dynamic price adjustments during matches.
- Proficient in analysing sports trends and player performances to inform and optimize trading strategies.
- Demonstrated quick decision-making abilities under pressure for optimal trading outcomes.

Pafos FC

External Partner / First Team Data & Performance Analyst

Pafos, Cyprus

December 2022 – August 2023

- Supported recruitment with data-driven insights, resulting in the successful signing of eight players.
- Contributed to the club's historic best finish by delivering comprehensive data-driven analyses, from league performance to pre-match strategies.

Chesterfield FC

First Team Performance Analyst

Chesterfield, United Kingdom

November 2022 – May 2023

- Contributed to a 3rd place league finish and a playoff Wembley final by analyzing matches through coding footage and presenting, directly impacting strategic planning and performance.
- Crafted data visualizations with Tableau, aiding the coaching staff in data-driven decisions.
- Maintained high-quality stats databases and produced comprehensive reports, elevating team analytics.

EDUCATION

Barcelona Innovation Hub, Spain

2023 – 2024

- Professional Diploma in Football Tactical Analysis (Part-time, Distance Learning).

Leeds Beckett University, United Kingdom

2022 – 2023

- Master of Science (MSc) in Sports Performance Analysis.

University of Cyprus, Cyprus

2018 – 2022

- Bachelor of Science (BSc) in Computer Science.

ACHIEVEMENTS & OTHER EXPERIENCE

Data Science and Analytics in Football Courses

- Expanded my knowledge in the field of data analytics in football through courses: Mathematical Modelling of Football by Uppsala University and Introduction to Football Analytics by Statsbomb.

Coaching License and Football Certificates

- Elevated my expertise in football by completing the UEFA C diploma, and Talent ID 1, EE Playmaker, Safeguarding Children/Adults, First Aid from The FA, along with all Level 1 courses from PFSA.

Animations and Performance Analysis

- Improved my football analysis skills with courses in Klipdraw, Coach Paint, Focus, and Once software.
- Proficient with performance analysis software like FOCUS, Sportscore, and Nacsport.

SKILLS

Languages: English (Proficient/Fluent), Greek (Native), and Spanish (Basic Communication Skills).

Other Skills: Microsoft Office, Apple iWork, Programming (Python/R/Java/.NET/SQL), APIs, Data Visualisations.

PROJECTS & ACTIVITIES

Data Scouting Platform (Opta data) & Set-Piece Analysis Tool (Tableau & Wyscout API)

- Developed a scouting platform using R, offering free insights on leagues and players with Opta data.
- Created a Streamlit app for visualizing event data of specific players and teams.
- Constructed a cost-effective set-piece analysis tool for data-driven insights on set-piece preparations.