

JUSTIN NAPOLITANO

Collaborative Data Driven Strategist Dedicated to Discovering Actionable Insights to Define Newsroom Strategy



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EDUCATION

BA, Political Science Aug 2018

University of Central Florida Orlando, Florida

TECHNICAL SKILLSET

Data Platforms

BigQuery ●●●●●●

Treasure Data CDP ●●●●●●

Snowflake ●●●●●●

Cloud Providers

GCP ●●●●●●

Azure ●●●●●●

AWS ●●●●●●

Analytical Tools

SQL ●●●●●●

Python ●●●●●●

SAS ●●●●●●

SPSS ●●●●●●

AI Development

OpenAI ●●●●●●

Azure AI ●●●●●●

RAG Application Design ●●●●●●

CORE PROFICIENCIES

Business Intelligence

Data Engineering

Stakeholder Education

Data Visualization

Executive Engagement

Vendor Evaluation

DIGITAL STRATEGY EXPERTISE

Search Engine Optimization

Social Media

CDP Development

Syndication Strategy

Customer Segmentation

Traffic Analysis

Targeted Advertising

Customer Journeys

Digital Subscriptions

Email Marketing

DIGITAL ANALYTICS TOOLBOX

Google Analytics

Google Search Console

SEMrush

Zuora

Piano

Swoogo

Comscore

Shareablee

Hotjar

Cxense

CDS Global

Moz

Dun & Bradstreet

EXPERIENCE

Data & AI Engineer

April 2023 — April 2024

Penske Media Corporation

LA, California (remote)

- Engineered and fine-tuned large language model (LLM) applications deployed on Azure to support generative AI integrations within WordPress.
- Identified AI-driven business opportunities by collaborating with executives and editors to inform strategic shifts in content creation and distribution.
- Conducted comprehensive evaluations of AI and data vendors to assess their technical capabilities, cost efficiency, and alignment with business objectives in order to inform executive decision-making.

Media Strategist & Analytics Engineer

April 2022 — April 2023

Penske Media Corporation

LA, California (remote)

- Established key performance indicators (KPIs) for audience marketing and subscriptions teams, developed an extensive reporting infrastructure in Google Cloud Platform (GCP), and provided executive-level training on their implementation and analysis.
- Collaborated with the Chief Editors of Rolling Stone, Fairchild Media, and Billboard Español to develop and refine social media, SEO, and publishing roadmaps.
- Acted as the lead liaison between the data and SEO teams, built robust reporting workflows to uncover news cycle trends, and advised the SEO team upon the impact of algorithm changes across the Penske portfolio.

Independent Consulting

May 2021 — April 2022

BTJN, LLC

Houston, Texas

- Optimized marketing strategy by developing and implementing Customer Data Platforms (CDP) to accurately identify and target high-value potential customers.
- Enhanced analysis pipeline efficiency by migrating legacy systems to Google Cloud Platform (GCP) resulting in improved data processing speeds and reduced operational costs.
- Automated email marketing initiatives, leveraged data-driven insights to create and distribute highly targeted newsletters, increased customer engagement and conversion rates.

Research Assistant

Jan 2018 — Aug 2019

University of Central Florida

Orlando, Florida

- Led a data team to track and document human rights abuses against civilians in conflict zones maintaining rigorous standards for accuracy and completeness.
- Developed an international human rights law rubric based on international treaties to enable research assistants to systematically code and analyze abuses.
- Prepared studies uncovering novel findings of abuse against women presented at The Hague and subsequently published by De Gruyter.

PUBLICATIONS

Turkish Kurdish Analysis Database

Peace Economics, Peace Science and Public Policy vol 25, no. 4, pp. 36

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