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Profile

Sustainability professional with 3 years of ESG reporting experience across multilateral, banking, and ESG rating agency settings, combined with hands-on data analysis (R, Power BI). Certified in CSRD, GHG Protocol Scope 3, and Life Cycle Assessment (LCA).

Experience

Ecosystem Activation Coordinator | GRL (Geneva Research Lab for Digital Impact)

Feb 2026 – Present

- Support the end-to-end coordination of Geneva-based events, mobilizing the local ecosystem around digital and social innovation.
- Draft and coordinate event-related communications.
- Optimize data architecture and automate reporting workflows, migrating processes from Excel to Airtable.
- Manage content calendars to keep event communications on schedule.
- Translate the research behind each event into accessible content for its audience.

Project Officer | UN Sustainable Stock Exchanges Initiative (UN SSE)

Nov 2022 – Jul 2024

- Coordinated international initiatives with regulatory bodies, stock exchanges, and private firms to promote sustainable finance and advance ESG adoption.
- Contributed to the development of the document "How Exchanges Can Maximize the Opportunities of Carbon Markets."
- Led data collection and analysis for the 2024 report on gender equality in corporate boards.
- Delivered training sessions on sustainability frameworks (ISSB, GRI, TCFD) to private-sector professionals.
- Oversaw ESG data systems for 100+ stock exchanges; automated reporting via SharePoint and Power BI with IT support.
- Coordinated the high-profile campaign "Ring the Bell for Gender Equality" with UN Women, IFC, and UN Global Compact, fostering cross-sector partnerships to promote diversity.
- Organized and promoted international events, including COP28 and the World Investment Forum 2023 in the UAE.
- Coordinated the migration of the organization's website from WordPress to Drupal.

CSR Graduate Intern | Banque Cantonale Vaudoise

Feb 2022 – Oct 2022

- Coordinated CSR data collection, including GHG emissions reporting, in collaboration with consultants and auditors.
- Analysed ESG ratings (MSCI, Inrate, ISS) and prepared strategic recommendations for executive leadership.
- Contributed to the budget and timeline planning for a solar panel project proposal presented to the CSR committee.
- Conducted benchmarking of CSR communication strategies to align practices with industry standards.
- Evaluated sustainable development policies to ensure compliance.
- Managed the implementation of the bank's mobility plan, promoting sustainable employee transportation solutions to reduce Scope 3 emissions.
- Raised employee awareness through internal content creation and training development.

ESG Analyst Intern | Covalence SA

Sept 2018 – Dec 2018

- Conducted data collection and coding on companies' ESG impacts, using criteria inspired by GRI principles.

Certifications

Life Cycle Assessment: Quantifying Environmental Impacts, MIT Professional Education

Feb 2026

Foundations of Data Science, EPFL

Jun 2025

Corporate Value Chain (Scope 3) Standard, GHG Protocol

Dec 2024

Double Materiality Assessment & CSRD Reporting, Greenomy Academy

Nov 2024

EU Taxonomy and Sustainable Finance, Greenomy Academy

Aug 2024

Education

M.A. in Standardization, Social Regulation & Sustainable Development, University of Geneva

2019 – 2021

Master thesis: How do France and the UK bring women on 'board'? A transition theory approach (Grade: 5.5)

B.A. in Sociology, University of Geneva

2015 – 2018

Skills

- **ESG Reporting:** CSRD, EU Taxonomy, GHG Protocol, GRI, ISSB, TCFD
- **Data Analysis & Research:** Python, R, Power BI, Excel
- **Project Management:** event and multi-stakeholder project coordination
- **Communication Tools:** WordPress, Drupal, Canva, Airtable, Monday.com, Make, Microsoft Suite
- **Languages:** French (C2), Spanish (C2), English (C1), German (B2)
- **Affiliations:** Member, Association des Spécialistes en Durabilité (ASD), since March 2026