

# Candidate Resumes — Senior Data & AI Consultant

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## Candidate A

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**Current Title:** Senior AI Engineer **Current Employer:** Meridian Technology Partners (management consulting, ~400 staff) **Years of Experience:** 7

### Professional Summary

Cloud and AI specialist with seven years in technology consulting. Focused on Azure-based machine learning and GenAI delivery for financial services and insurance clients. Has led teams of up to six on client sites.

### Experience

**Senior AI Engineer** — Meridian Technology Partners (2021–present)

- Led a three-person team deploying a retrieval-augmented generation (RAG) solution for a Tier 1 insurance client using Azure OpenAI Service, Azure Cognitive Search, and Python.
- Designed and delivered an LLM-powered document classification pipeline processing 12,000 policy documents monthly.
- Presented architecture recommendations and go-live readiness assessments directly to the client CTO and CFO.
- Managed engagement budgets ranging from \$180K to \$450K.

**Data Engineer** — Meridian Technology Partners (2019–2021)

- Built ETL pipelines in Python and Azure Data Factory for three concurrent client projects.
- Contributed to a firm-wide initiative to standardize Azure deployment templates.

### Certifications

- Microsoft Certified: Azure AI Engineer Associate (earned 2024)
- Microsoft Certified: Azure Data Engineer Associate (earned 2022)

### Education

BSc Computer Science, University of Waterloo, 2019

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## Candidate B

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**Current Title:** Machine Learning Engineer **Current Employer:** Vantage Data Systems (SaaS product company, ~1,200 staff) **Years of Experience:** 6

### Professional Summary

Machine learning engineer with six years building production ML systems. Deep Python and infrastructure expertise. Looking to transition into consulting to broaden client exposure.

### Experience

**Senior Machine Learning Engineer** — Vantage Data Systems (2022–present)

- Architected and deployed a real-time recommendation engine serving 2M daily active users on AWS SageMaker.
- Built custom Python training pipelines using PyTorch, reducing model iteration time by 40%.
- Led a cross-functional team of four engineers and two data scientists on the company's GenAI chatbot product (AWS Bedrock, LangChain).

**Machine Learning Engineer** — Vantage Data Systems (2020–2022)

- Developed feature engineering pipelines in Python and Spark for the company's fraud detection product.
- Contributed to internal ML platform tooling used by 30+ data scientists.

### Certifications

- AWS Certified Solutions Architect — Associate (earned 2023)
- AWS Certified Machine Learning — Specialty (earned 2024)

### Education

MSc Machine Learning, Carnegie Mellon University, 2020 BSc Mathematics, McGill University, 2018

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## Candidate C

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**Current Title:** Data Analyst **Current Employer:** Brightfield Group (boutique HR analytics consultancy, ~50 staff) **Years of Experience:** 4

### Professional Summary

Data analyst with a growing interest in AI and cloud technologies. Experience in HR data analysis and workforce reporting. Seeking a senior consulting role to accelerate career development.

### Experience

**Data Analyst** — Brightfield Group (2023–present)

- Built workforce planning dashboards in Power BI sourcing data from multiple HRIS platforms.
- Supported senior consultants on client deliverables for two mid-market professional services firms.
- Completed an internal Python training programme and started using Python for ad-hoc data cleaning.

**Junior Data Analyst** — Brightfield Group (2022–2023)

- Maintained recurring Excel-based reports for three client accounts.
- Assisted with data extraction from SAP SuccessFactors for client workforce audits.

**Intern — People Analytics** — (dates not specified on resume)

- Supported a summer project analysing attrition data in Excel and Tableau.

### Certifications

(none listed)

### Education

BA Business Analytics, University of Toronto, 2022

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## Candidate D

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**Current Title:** Principal Consultant **Current Employer:** Crestview Consulting Group (professional services, ~300 staff) **Years of Experience:** 9

### Professional Summary

Seasoned consultant with nine years advising mid-market and enterprise clients on data strategy and platform modernisation. Deep experience with Azure data services and a track record of managing complex client relationships.

### Experience

**Principal Consultant** — Crestview Consulting Group (2020–present)

- Leads the data practice for the firm's financial services vertical, managing a portfolio of six active client accounts.
- Directed a \$1.2M Azure Synapse Analytics migration for a mid-market bank, delivering on time and under budget.
- Designed a data governance framework adopted by three client organisations.
- Regularly presents quarterly business reviews to client C-suite stakeholders.

**Senior Consultant** — Crestview Consulting Group (2017–2020)

- Led Azure Data Factory and Azure SQL implementations for four clients.
- Mentored two junior consultants and contributed to the firm's internal training curriculum.
- Developed a Power BI reporting suite used across the financial services practice.

### Certifications

- Microsoft Certified: Azure Data Engineer Associate (earned 2021)

### Education

MBA, Schulich School of Business, 2017 BComm Information Systems, Concordia University, 2014

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*ATS note: Candidate D's resume was uploaded as a scanned PDF; some formatting may have been lost during text extraction. Candidate C's internship dates were not captured by the parser.*