

# Busiswa Khumalo

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## SKILLS

- Analytical and Statistical analysis skills (Data Analytics)
- Quantitative Analysis
- Research and analysis
- Programming skills (Fortran, R, and Python)
- Measurement (Psychometrics)

## EXPERIENCE

### GRADUATE RESEARCH ASSISTANT – University of Missouri

Columbia, MO, August 2024 - Present

- I am working on the CoSME grant where I primarily assist with a large simulation study about model complexity.
- Utilizing problem-solving techniques to address challenging issues related to research.

### GRADUATE TEACHING ASSISTANT – University of Missouri

Columbia, MO, August 2023 - May 2024

- Designing and developing an online section for Quantitative Methods (Statistical Methods), and grading assignments.

### SCIENCE EDUCATOR – Teaching Services Commission of Eswatini

Mbabane, Eswatini, March 2020 - December 2021

- Design and prepare physics and mathematics assessment and notes
- Data collection and organizing students' temperatures.

## EDUCATION

### DOCTOR OF PHILOSOPHY (PH.D.) IN STATISTICS, MEASUREMENT AND EVALUATION CANDIDATE

– University of Missouri

Columbia, MO, US, Expected graduation Jul 2029

### MASTER OF ARTS (M.A.) IN STATISTICS, MEASUREMENT AND EVALUATION

– University of Missouri

Columbia, MO, US, May 2024

### BACHELOR OF SCIENCE (B.S.) IN PHYSICS AND MATHEMATICS

– University of Eswatini

Matsapha, Eswatini, Oct 2019

## ACTIVITIES

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2018-2019: President of the University of Eswatini(Swaziland) Mathematics Society

2018-2019: Volunteer for the NextEinstein Forum.

2023: A volunteer for the STEM Cubs initiative by the University of Missouri System Academic Access & Leadership Development

## AWARDS

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- Fulbright Scholarship Grantee 2022-2024