RESUME

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Harvard University's CS50 Certified (Computer Science) | Microsoft Certified Azure Solutions Architect Expert |
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Professional Summary:

Recent Harvard University CS50 certified. Certified Microsoft Azure Solutions Architect Expert, Neo4J Developer, Dataiku ML Practitioner; MongoDB Associate program completion.

Physics Graduate. Business Administration NVQ Level 3. Focused, target driven and creative self-starter with comprehensive ability to meet deadlines. Work well alone, in team, and under pressure. Knowledgeable about sales & marketing fundamentals, along with business strategy – as demonstrated throughout studies, employment, and business.

Communicate effectively & native French fluent.

Aspirations:

Looking for ideal career opportunity best fitted with skills, drive, ambition, and potential. Open to suitable, varied, and challenging positions in line with skills and experience – temporary, contract, full-time, or freelance. Willing to relocate.

Core Skills: (please visit www.aubinbakana.net for more)

- Azure Development, Operations, Maintenance, & Monitoring
- Cyber Security Operations
- Data Storage, Transformation, Back Up & Disaster recovery
- laaS/SaaS/PaaS, etc integration
- Windows PC/Servers Administration, Engineering & Networking
- Creativity. Leadership. Organisation. Problem solving. Teamwork

Professional Development:

Microsoft Azure: Certified Solutions Architect Expert

Start date: Dec 2019 End date: On-going

Neo4J: Certified Professional

Start date: May 2023 End date: On-going

MongoDB: Developer Start date: May 2023 End date: On-going

Dataiku: Certified Machine Learning Professional

Start date: 6th February 2023

End date: On-going

CISCO: CCNA

Start date: 15th May 2019

End date: 15th December 2021(Discontinued)

JBC Computers: ICT Secondment

Windows XP & Server, PC Engineering, & Networking Administration, Maintenance & Troubleshooting

Start Date: -

End date: Oct 2013

Education:

2023

CS50, Computer Science

Harvard University, School of Engineering & Applied Science

2013

City & Guild/Microsoft ICT Level 3, Windows XP & Server, PC Engineering, & Networking

Coventry College

2008 - 2009

NVQ Level 3, Business Administration

Thomas Danby College

2004 -2005(Discontinued)

BSc Computing

University of Leeds

1998

Physics Degree

Marien Ngouabi University, Faculty of Science. R of Congo

1995

Bachelor's degree in engineering science, Terminal S (Formerly known as E series)

Lycée premier 1er Mai, R of Congo

Work Experience:

Entrepreneur, Founder & Editor, 05/2020 - 04/2021

Happy Fruit Co

Duties include the following:

Managing Internet Marketing Campaigns, Content Creation, SEO, Google AdWords, Email Marketing, Social Media & General Business Administration. Reporting to Clients & Interacting with Customers via phone, email & chat. Host & Manage website. Happy Fruit Co was founded as direct consequence of global pandemic. Company run as online magazine - Posted online blogs/articles covering science, technology, entertainment, health & fitness; occasionally running webinars. Affiliate marketing was main source of income.

Achievements:

- Started business with no starting fund, systematically using free online trials to successfully kickstart. Business
 run for nearly a year.
- Earned just over £10,000 worth in commission in start-up week.
- Built company website: Azure App Service, VMs, Storage Account & WordPress (Website now discontinued end of business.)
- Used Security Centre, Azure Monitor, Cost Management to manage security, cost, and efficiency among other things.
- Learned & effectively applied knowledge for affiliate marketing from Amazon & other online resources.
- Built relationship with similar businesses & partners.

Complications with Facebook advertising resulted in income steady drop, leading to eventual termination.

Tech Hub Dept Lead ICT Support Engineer, 05/2019 - 07/2019

NHS Digital - Austin Fraser/MCSA, Leeds

- Tech Hub Department Lead Technician.
- 1st, 2nd & some 3rd Line Support.
- Provide hardware and software/application support and resolution for HQ and customer sites' Surface Pro, laptops, and mobile phones, and BYODs with corporate VMware profiles.
- Occasional Desktop support for local HQ.
- Asset return administrative duty for staff leaving company.
- Maintain and manage spares stock onsite and liaise with company customer logistics systems.
- Organise daily workloads with no supervision. BAU. Use of Azure, Remote Windows Server management, including AD DS, Group policy, etc. SharePoint, VMWare, Hyper-V, M365, MDM/ADM, Cherwell (CRM), ISE, etc.
- Face to face ICT support for staff members.
- Trained 3 replacements and ensured smooth transition from existing to new NHS contractor agency.
- Managed department staff, training, and professional growth during transition between agencies.
- Survey of nearly 600 staff indicated 99% positive customer satisfactory feedback. Dealt with over 2000 staff members, from junior to senior, including IT operations & management.
- Tech Hub outsourced to MCSA/Austin Power. MCSA/Austin Power's contract with NHS Digital ended.
- Proved successful working within tight deadlines and fast-paced atmosphere.
- Offered friendly and efficient service to customers, handled challenging situations with ease.
- Worked within applicable standards, policies, and regulatory guidelines to promote safe working environment. 3-month contract

Bilingual IT Desktop Support, 01/2018 - 07/2018

PC Specialist Ltd, Wakefield

- Support bespoke computer configuration & related duty, for France, Belgium, Switzerland, and UK French speaking customers and related administrative duties ranging from data input, tracking deliveries and returns, building quotes, internal administrative duties, Purchase Orders, etc...
- Duties included 1st, 2nd & 3rd line IT support over the phone, email, webmail, and live chat for part/equipment
 delivery, technical support for related software and hardware problems on PC, Laptops, AiO, & MiniPC (including
 remote support) in line with assurance/insurance policy, & all administrative duties involved such as RMA,
 following the company's guidelines.
- SQL Server Administration
- Routinely, visit warehouse and/or factory to collaborate with PC/AiO/Laptops build technicians to help resolve
 orders issues, sometimes involving faulty computers repair.
- Also built PCs and Laptops from parts picking to assembly.
- Dealt with individuals and corporations such as universities, laboratories, small/mid and large enterprises, and related issues, including complaints.
- In time, duties extended to UK and other English-speaking countries also.
- Quickly learned new skills and applied them to daily tasks, improving efficiency and productivity.
- Carried out day-to-day duties accurately and efficiently.
- Demonstrated respect, friendliness, and willingness to help wherever needed.
- Worked flexible hours.

6-Month contract.

Brand Ambassador/Active Seller for Dell, 10/2017 - 01/2018

Dell Col - REL Agency - at Curry's/PC World, Harrogate

- Duties include Active Selling, staff training & support, stock survey & analysis, Dell hardware & software expertise, and reporting.
- Target & commission driven.
- Mostly face to face interaction with customers.
- Staff and customers Product demonstration and training.
- Continuous products knowledge update.
- Daily report to London-based manager.
- Developed and maintained positive customer relations and coordinated with staff to maintain high standard of customer service, achieving own targets, and positively affecting staff KPI.
- Helped improve sales by 1000% at times.
- Dell outsourced this section of business to REL.
- Worked at Harrogate Curry's/PC World.

Representative/Expert & Brand Ambassador/Active Seller, 01/2017 - 09/2017

Microsoft Co. - McCurrach agency at Curry's/PC World & John Lewis, Leeds, England

- Duties included staff training & support, stock survey & analysis, Microsoft Surface hardware & software product consultation/expertise.
- Reporting and active selling.
- Staff and customers Product demonstration and training.
- Commission & target driven.
- Involves mostly face to face interaction with customers.
- Worked across John Lewis and Curry's PC World stores.
- On-going online and classroom-based Microsoft hardware and software products training; including training for Microsoft products such as Windows 10/10S, Office 365, Microsoft Surface Pro/Book/Laptop and Surface Studio, Skype for Business, MS Team, Windows premium devices & others.
- Occasional travel to Microsoft Headquarter in Reading for training.
- Training & Development on Microsoft ExpertZone (an online training & development forum for Microsoft technicians, clients, representatives, and associates).
- Developed and maintained positive customer relations and coordinated with staff to main high standard of customer service, achieve own targets and positively affect staff KPI.
- Helped triple sales and sometimes increasing by up to 1000%.

3-month renewable contract

ASUS & Seinheiser Brand Ambassador/Active Seller, 04/2016 - 09/2016

ASUS & Seinheiser - Retail Profiling Agency at PC World & HMV, Leeds, England

- BA for ASUSTek at Curry's/PC World and part time Rep for Sennheiser headphones (weekends only) at Doncaster HMV.
- Self-employed.
- Target & commission driven.
- Developed and maintained positive customer relations and coordinated with staff to maintain high standard of customer service, achieving own targets, and positively affecting staff KPI.
- Help increase sales by 1000% at times.
- Mostly face to face interaction with customers.
- Staff and customers Product demonstration and training on PC, Laptops & headphones.
- Continuous products knowledge update.
- Daily report to London-based manager.
- ASUS & Seinheiser outsourced this section of business to Retail Profiling.
- Worked at Curry's/PC World in Harrogate.

Pre-Christmas Contract only

Entrepreneur, 09/2013 - 05/2019

Bijou Bakson Entertainment, Nationwide

- Extensively involved in creation of music and videos. Studio equipment engineering. Planning, recording, editing, producing, and directing music & videos, and short movies. Live performance and acting. Also took business related career development trainings and qualifications.
- Also involved with side business activities and contract roles that include flyer distribution, promotion, marketing & varied brand ambassadors' contracts such as BA for ASUS computers, BA for Sennheiser headphone, credit card sales, flyer distributions and more.
- Managed day-to-day business operations.
- Consulted with customers, fans, musicians, and partners to assess needs and propose optimal solutions.
- Trained and motivated dancers & musicians to perform project functions.
- Enhanced operational efficiency and productivity by managing budgets, accounts, and costs.

Hobbies:

Computers, Reading, Fitness/Sport, Music & Socialising.