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PERSONAL PROFILE

Junior .NET Software Engineer at **ASM-Assembly-Systems (Weymouth, UK)** and **graduated** with **Computer Science BSc (Hons) (1st)** including Placement Year degree at the **University of Essex, UK.**

From an early age I have been interested in Software development**,** spent most of my time and energy trying to grasp it under the hood. I am not interested in a specific language or framework; I prefer to spend my time implementing new designs, improving codebases, models, and algorithms. Computer science taught me how to face problems and find solutions, thus also built my character. Contradictory to the stereotype, I do believe, I have proper communicative and time management skills.

WORK EXPERIENCE

September 2020 – Today   ASM Assembly Systems, Weymouth, UK

Junior Software Engineer

Started as a placement student and currently working on surface mount technology (SMT). My job consists of solving problems and implementing new features to TQL machine. Codebase is written mainly in **C#**. We are using **.NET** for **desktop development** i.e., **WPF/WinForms/UWP**, **IoC Containers**, **unit testing** and so on.

In the first months, I implemented a standalone UI program used by engineers for easier debugging in case of machine crash, you can see more about the project in my GitHub, link above. Also, implemented variety of new functionalities towards the general improvement of the software.

CORE SKILLS

- 2 years professional experience in **C#/Unit testing/IoC Containers.**
- Frameworks & Projects worked with **.NET/Prism/WPF/UWP/ASP.NET.**
- 3 years academic experience in **Java**.
- 1-year academic experience in **Python/SQL.**
- General knowledge in **React** and similar front-end frameworks (portfolio link above).
- IDEs/Platforms used to work with **VS/Rider/IntelliJ/Jira/Bitbucket/Git/SourceTree**, etc.
- Able to work in **Windows**/**Linux**.
- Familiar with **Agile** software development.
- Obtained **CISCO** certificate: **Introduction to Networks**.
- Solid **mathematical** background.

EDUCATION

2018 – 2022   **Essex University, Colchester, England, <u>BSc Computer science including Placement</u>**

- **Degree Mark: 1.1 (First, GPA 72%)**
- Programming languages**: Java, Python, C++, SQL.**
- Core modules: **Data Structures and algorithms, AI, Operating Systems, Advanced Programming, Compilers, etc.**

2012 – 2017   **High School of Commerce, Burgas, Bulgaria**

- Result and Achievements: Attained graduation certificate with overall grade 5.63 out of 6.00 (**Excellent**) 5.74 out of 6.00 (**Excellent**) in **English Matriculation Exam**; Obtained certificate of professional qualification in **Office Management** and **Business Administration**.
- Core modules: **Advanced English Language**, **Mathematics** and **Management**.

INTERESTS

- **Sports** – Constantly jogging in my spare time.
- **Finance** – regularly read and listen to Audiobooks about finance.
- **Others** include playing chess.

Reference available upon request