# Charlie Brooker

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### Education

**Aston University**Birmingham, UK

BSc Computer Science

September 2022 - Present

• Predicted Degree Classification - 1:1

#### **Clacton County High School**

Essex, UK

Sixth form September 2019 - August 2021

• A-Level Mathematics (B), A-Level Computer Science (C), BTEC IT (A\*)

### **Professional Experience**

Macquarie London, UK

Software engineer - Intern

June 2024 - Present

- Data visualisation dashboard Enhanced trader data available in custom models by 10% using Python for data parsing and React
- Email Excel automation script Improved email alert and storage efficiency by 30% by using python libraries with AWS lambda for automation
- Reduced Front-end load times: Reduced help desk webpage load times by 20% by implementing progressive hydration
- $\bullet \ \ \text{Adjusted pod resources to save cloud costs: Reduced CPU Utilization by 35\% from optimizing resource limits}$
- · Hackathon confluence scraper: Improved Confluence searching by over 50% by scraping for similarity with the OpenAIs Embeddings
- Soft skills Organised 6 networking lunches between fellow interns and software engineers
- Technical Skills: Java, Python, PostgreSQL, Spring Boot, Kafka, Docker/Kubernetes, Jenkins

JP Morgan London, UK

Technology - Summer work experience

June 2022

- · Created webpage which imports, parses and converts tables within files into excel sheets to win Hackathon as a team of 4 out of 14 teams
- Presented our project demo for 3-day hackathon to junior, mid and senior engineers
- Technical Skills: BROADER CONCEPTS E.G. Back-end development, Front-end development, Cloud computing, etc.

#### InvestIn

Investment research - Summer work experience

May 2022 - June 2022

- Created and refined Excel sheets on investment assets in the fastest time out of 8 teams
- · Planned and debated against other students on the state of the financial markets to an audience of staff
- Skills: Team work, public speaking, research, data analysis, etc.

#### PWC

Consulting - Summer work experience

May 2022

- · Created Presentation on sustainability of wind power to come 2nd in a competition about renewable resources as a team of 2 out of 20 teams
- Presented research on long-term cost effectiveness of wind farms to an audience of senior engineers, VPs and other technical staff
- Skills: Team work, public speaking, research, data analysis, etc.

## **Collaborative experience**

Paid employment: McDonalds (Aug 2019 - Sep 2021), Iceland (Sep 2021 - Sep 2022), Diesel Selfridges (Nov 2023 - May 2024)

University: BJJ competitor (FearlessMMA/All stars), Aston university Mixed martial arts society, Aston university Computing society

### **Projects**

#### **Gains - Gymwear marketplace**

Full-Stack application

Full-Stack gym ecommerce website with admin functionality.

Present

• Technical Skills: Laravel, Vue3, TailwindCSS, Pinia, MySQL

• Conceptual Skills: System architecture, Database Design, API Design, Authentication

# Technical Skills\_\_\_\_\_

**Programming:** Java, Python, TypeScript/Javascript, R, Git

Web technologies: Spring/Spring Boot, React.js, Next.js, Express.js, HTML5, TailwindCSS

**Database technologies:** SQL (PostgreSQL) | NoSQL (MongoDB)

**CI/CD:** Docker, Kubernetes, AWS