## Yip Mun Allen

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#### **WORK EXPERIENCE**

### **CLOUDTRADE TECHNOLOGIES LTD**

(Full time from 11/2017– Present)

#### **Senior Technical Analyst**

- Coding: Using a bespoke rules-based coding language built on Prolog on a daily basis in order to electronically capture information from documents. This also includes building environments in Prolog for new clients from the conception of projects.
- Account Management: Responsible for overseeing several of the more complex services, responding to customer queries and engaging with new clients.
- Training: Writing training courses and providing support to both internal and external rules

#### DC ALLEN LTD

(Part time from 06/2015 – 09/2017)

#### **Administrative Assistant**

- General bookkeeping: included producing invoices, purchase entry, petty cash, VAT returns and generating reports (monthly balance sheet and P&L) using Page software
- Attention to detail: Developed editing skills by proof-reading documents and reports in Microsoft Word and LaTeX. Rewrote existing Word documents using LaTeX.
- Auditing: Conducted monthly internal audits of the company quality system

#### **EDUCATION**

#### SOAS, UNIVERSITY OF LONDON - BSc Economics Achieved 2:1

(09/2013 - 06/2018)

- Creative thinking: Cultivated a unique understanding of both orthodox and heterodox approaches to economic theory and their application in the real world, with a particular focus on emerging economies
- Problem solving: Established capability in applying an evidence-based approach to problems, drawing own conclusions and making recommendations
- Data analysis: Handled and analysed qualitative and quantitative data from a variety of sources, before presenting findings in a concise manner. Effectively used STATA.
- Written and verbal communication: Completed numerous academic essays and presentations, achieving 1:1s and 2:1s in all final year assignments

#### **BEIJING NORMAL UNIVERSITY**

(08/2014 - 06/2015)

- Language: One year course in Mandarin. Reading (69%), oral (71%)
- Sinology research project: (68%). Conducted interviews and extensive research on rising HIV/AIDS cases in China in order to produce a 7000 word essay
- Tutoring: Privately tutored children aged 10-15 in English which involved lesson planning and time management
- Adaptability: Quickly adjusted to an unfamiliar environment, embracing Chinese language and cultural practices

#### PARKSTONE GRAMMAR SCHOOL

(09/2011 - 06/2013)

**A-levels:** Maths (A), Further Maths (A), Economics (A), Physics (C)

#### **TALBOT HEATH SCHOOL**

(09/1998 - 06/2011)

**GCSEs:** 7 A\* and 2 A grades (including Maths, English and Science)

#### OTHER EXPERIENCE

## SOAS ABACUS SOCIETY Publicity Officer

(06/2016 - 05/2017)

- **Communication:** Engaged with students at fairs and events in order to promote collaboration between University of London students with an interest in Chinese culture
- **Teamwork:** Worked with the rest of the committee to organise and sell tickets for internal and external events for up to 1500 people, all of which sold out
- **Negotiation skills:** For our Chinese New Year event, negotiated with the venue to receive 10% commission on their revenue for the evening
- Creativity: Used Photoshop to design the membership cards that were chosen to be used by all London ABACUS societies

# YOUNG ENTERPRISE SCHEME (hosted at JP Morgan Bournemouth) Finance Director

(08/2011 - 04/2012)

- **Entrepreneurship:** Set up and ran a business alongside peers, fundraising locally and pitching our product idea to a panel of investors
- Organisational skills: Managed the accounts and budgeting for the company. A clear understanding of company accounts was necessary in order to keep the team up to date with accurate financial information at weekly meetings
- Decision making: Responsibility over setting business and financial strategy

#### ADDITIONAL QUALIFICATIONS AND SKILLS

Languages:

Mandarin (HSK Level 4 / Intermediate) and Cantonese (Basic)

Music:

Diploma of the London College of Music in Pianoforte Performance (DipLCM) Viola Grade 8 - ABRSM Singing Grade 8 - ABRSM