Cole Maguire

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Education

The University of Auckland - (2015 - 2019)
Bachelor of Computer Science (1 paper remaining which will be completed Nov 19)

Aquinas College - Tauranga - (2008-2014)
Excellence Endorsement for the 2012 and 2013 years, Merit Endorsement for the 2014 year

Personal Statement

I am currently completing my Bachelor of Computer Science and I'm looking to establish a career in the Software Development industry; solving interesting problems in exciting ways, using both new and established technologies.

Skills and Experience

- *Experienced in:* Git, Python, SQL, JS/CSS/HTML, VBA
- *Knowledge of*: C#, Java, Kotlin, C
- Bronze in 2018 Mega.nz Competitions
- Personable and effective communication
- Ability to manage a project from conception to completion
- Quick learner, with an interest in developing further
- Proven customer service experience with internal and external customers
- Ability to decipher the business needs of multiple stakeholders
- Good listening and problem solving skills
- Committed and hardworking
- Recognised leadership
- A keenness to continue learning

Work History

Developer - Chemical Solutions Ltd
October 2017 - July 2018 (Fulltime)
July 2018 - Present (Maintenance contract)
Designing and building an internal product database, gathering business requirements and directly supporting users. Structured as an SQL Server backend, regularly synced with an SAP B1 instance, accessible to users with a heavily customised Microsoft Access frontend. Creation, maintenance and troubleshooting of other assorted scripts, business intelligence dashboards and data sources, both new and legacy/inherited.

IS Support - Compass Group
September 2017 - September 2017 (4 Weeks) (Fixed Term)
QA testing of an upgrade to the Saffron menu app for hospitals and rest homes around the

country

Service Assistant - Farmers Home Albany
November 2016 - January 2017 (Fixed Term)
General customer service, processing sales, store upkeep and restocking

Team Member - The Warehouse, Birkenhead
November 2016 - February 2017 (Fixed Term)
General customer service, processing sales, store upkeep and restocking

Device Start Up Specialist - Noel Leeming
September 2015 - October 2015 (Fixed Term)
Customer facing role, helping customers set up their newly-purchased items, answering questions and solving any technical problems

Volunteer Work - The Salvation Army Store
December 2015 - February 2016
Working the register, assisting customers with any queries they may have and restocking the store

Interests & Hobbies

- Judo – Brown Belt, Member of Tauranga Judo Club for 7 years
- Debating
- Theatre

References

Verbal referees available on request

Excerpts from written references
"Cole developed a comprehensive database to handle our 1200 SKUs and all the technical, QC, marketing and pricing. He started from a blank slate and over 3 months built us an excellent system that is in daily use across our Sales, Admin, Marketing and Operations teams."