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Professional Summary

I have applied for a Deck Cadetship because I thrive off of adventure and I believe that being in the Merchant Navy is the perfect way to see the world whilst pursuing an interesting and challenging career. I am a recent graduate from the University of Strathclyde with a bachelor's degree in Computer Science. I am currently working as a software engineer at a small education technology company developing online courses. Whilst my degree has provided me with some invaluable skills, I do not want to work at a desk for the rest of my life and I think joining as a Deck Cadet will let me use my skills in a fulfilling way.

Employment History

May 2020 -Present

Klik2Learn

Software Developer

- Designing and developing online English courses for ESOL learners using the latest technology like React and PHP.
- Liaising with the graphic design team and content production team to ensure that the product being developed meets the specification.
- Adhere to strict standards to ensure that all documentation and code can be easily worked on by other members of the team.
- Test all possible use cases for a piece of software to ensure the best experience for an end user.

June 2017 -July 2021

Morrisons

Customer Assistant

- Helped customers to ensure the easiest and most enjoyable shopping experience was achieved.
- Handled transactions at the checkouts and made sure to follow all legal protocols in place like Challenge 25.
- Worked in the busy, high pressured cafe kitchen to ensure food was going out quickly, presented well and cooked safely.

Education

June 2017 -July 2021

B.Sc. (Hons) in Computer Science

University of Strathclyde, Glasgow

Grade Achieved: 2.1

Voulteering Experience

June 2017 -July 2021

Scout Leader

28th Giffnock Glasgow Scouts

- Worked with a team of volunteers to create and deliver an interesting program to young people.
- Achieved the Chief Scout Platinum Award.
- Extensive leadership skills training and situations that are transferable to other groups and activities.
- The ability to frequently learn new skills and earn awards like the RYA Level 2 Power boating qualification.

References

• References are available upon request.