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## About Me

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I have an education background in Music Production, where I began in A-Levels and continued into University where I obtained a Bachelor's Degree in Creative Music Technology. I am however looking to change career paths and have recently taken up an interest in IT, including programming and software development. In my free time I enjoy playing music, socialising, and running.

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## Extra Studying

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I have recently been learning Python via online courses, specifically courses on Udacity, where I have been covering all kinds of topics on syntax, functions, classes/objects, string methods, the standard library, among other topics. In addition, I have also covered some modules on data structures and algorithms (i.e. trees/linked lists, and sorting algorithms) using python.

I have also very recently started a Web Development bootcamp course on Udemy, which has been covering HTML, CSS, and JavaScript.

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## Work Experience

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### Hydro Extrusion Ltd / Production Operative

NOVEMBER 2021 - PRESENT, CHELTENHAM

Currently working as a production operative at Hydro, which is an Aluminium Extrusion company. Since joining through an agency in November 2021, I started off as a member of the packing team before progressing to packing lead after 5 months, before becoming employed permanently in July 2022. From there I have received continuous training on other parts of the press, including being the main press driver, die man, and being in charge of the stretcher and saw. I am frequently moved around onto all these different roles, including occasionally standing in for the Team Leader of our press on sick days, shift changes, etc. The role has been a high pressure and fast paced environment which has greatly developed my problem-solving and leadership skills, as well as my organisational and decision making skills.

### Printwaste Recycling / Picker/Sorter

JANUARY 2021 - NOVEMBER 2021, CHELTENHAM

Worked in a recycling centre shortly after moving to Cheltenham. My main responsibilities were sorting through waste that would come through on a conveyor belt, and placing the items into the correct chutes or bins. This role was a very fast paced environment where attention to detail was crucial.

### **The Bull, Barkham / Bar/Waiting Staff**

SEPTEMBER 2020 - DECEMBER 2020, WOKINGHAM

Bar job I was working at after leaving University. My main responsibilities were waiting tables, running food, pouring and serving drinks, as well as general upkeep of the bar area. This role greatly developed my communication and customer service skills, as well the ability to work under pressure.

### **Spectacle of Light Festival / Steward**

NOVEMBER 2018 - DECEMBER 2021, WINCHCOMBE

Seasonal work over the festive period, where I worked for 4 consecutive years. My responsibilities were to help guide the public through the light trail, answer any queries the public may have, communicate any important information to the other stewards via the radios, and report any safety issues or accidents to the team leader. Customer service and attention to detail were both valuable skills gained from the role.

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## **Education**

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### **University of Gloucestershire / Creative Music Technology BA (Honour's) - Second Class Degree (First Division)**

SEPTEMBER 2017 - JULY 2020, CHELTENHAM

### **Highdown School & Sixth Form Centre / A-Levels**

SEPTEMBER 2015 - JUNE 2017, READING

4 A-Levels In Music Technology, Music, Computing, and Maths

### **Highdown School & Sixth Form Centre / GCSEs**

SEPTEMBER 2010 - JUNE 2015, READING

12 GCSEs Grade A-C, including Maths, English, and Science