# Dan Higgins

Software Developer

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## PROFILE

Since graduating last year, I have been a software development consultant using full-stack technologies, primarily using React within AEM. I see myself as a confident and hardworking individual who is passionate about the IT industry and highly motivated to learn. I have a very broad skillset and have experiences using skills ranging from back-end (Java) & front-end development (React, ES6, SASS) to project management. I aim to pursue further opportunities within the industry to enable me to constantly learn and specialise my skills further.

## EDUCATION

### Teesside University
BSc Digital Forensics, 1st Class Honours

### Open University
Introduction to Cyber Security

## SKILLS

### Front-end
ReactJS
AngularJS
Javascript (ES6)
HTML5 & CSS3
SASS & Less
Bootstrap
Styleguidist

### Testing Frameworks
JEST & JUNIT
Cucumber
Gherkin
Selenium
Postman
React Test Utils

### Back-end & Scripting
Java 8 & Java EE
Mulesoft
VBScript
Bash

### Databases
MySQL
Oracel SQL
MongoDB

### IDE's
Visual Studio Code
IntelliJ
Eclipse
PyCharm

### Others
Git
Agile Scrum
Waterfall
TDD

## EXPERIENCE

### Santander, 2020 – Back-end Developer

Lorem Ipsum is simply dummy text of the printing and typesetting industry. Lorem Ipsum has been the industry's standard dummy text ever since the 1500s, when an unknown printer took a galley of type and scrambled it to make a type specimen book. It has survived not only five centuries, but also the leap into electronic typesetting, remaining essentially unchanged.

### BT, 2018-19 – AEM Developer

After learning AEM in my first month at NETbuilder, I put the skills into practise in 2 projects across BT developing components for the support & mobile feature management/usage section of the BT Business site. I began developing components in Angular JS using HTL and then shortly moved to a react implementation. I was personally the first individual to use this implementation across the company and learnt a lot in the process. I then moved onto a single page application implementation within React, where I was producing components end-to-end, documenting each component utilising styleguidist and ensuring high test coverage by writing unit tests for each component using jest. I was also following agile methodologies and ceremonies daily and became very familiar with this process.

### QA Consulting, 2018-Present – Consultant

During my 3 months training at QA, I gained a vast amount of technical & soft skills and had many opportunities to put them into practise. I carried out many different projects in multiple technologies, such as a Bank GUI Application written in Java 8 and using MySQL to store users, a CV management system written in React and connected to a MYSQL database using spring boot and many others. I learnt a huge amount during my training and not only developed technically, but also developed my soft skills significantly.

### Graphite Capital, 2018 – Private Equity Internship

I carried out this internship to learn something new and delve into a sector which was majorly unknown to me. During this week-long Internship, I gained knowledge within the Private Equity Industry, such as the logistics of deals, the different categories of due diligence as well as learning about the partnerships that encapsulate a deal. I also worked a case study within a team throughout the week to produce a presentation for the executives at the end of the week.

## INTERESTS

Football    Technology

Travel    Gaming

## SOCIAL MEDIA

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## Ford Motor Company, 2017 – Project Manager

During this 3-month summer placement as Project Manager at Ford, I was involved in multiple different projects, responsible for holding meetings with world-wide clients, working with large amounts of capital. I personally solely managed a pilot project for the company and brought a project from Red status to Green in my time at Ford. During this time, I got very accustomed to using software such as WebEx and developing my ability to make relationships over the phone.

## Civil Service, 2016 – Cyber Security Placement

I gathered great knowledge during this 6-week summer placement, both practical and theoretical, including Network Management, TCP/IP, OSI model and cyber security etc. I learnt Python during my time here and got familiar with IDE's such as PyCharm. I also was given a Rubber Ducky and began to learn the simple language to perform different actions