My name is Atinuke Akindiya, I am currently doing my masters at King’s College of London, studying Political Economy of Emerging Markets. I gained an interest in tech, after completing my internship at a business and technology firm. This motivated me to expand my technical/software skills, so I signed up to the Code First Girls Web Development course. Likewise, as a student in the International Development department, I am a strong advocate for investing in education and sustainability. I believe technology is a great platform to enhance both areas. Therefore, I hope to pursue a career in tech which enables me to use the skills and expertise to improve areas in the developing world.

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