Sonny Bell

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Second-year Computer Science student at York St John University with strong programming, software testing, and IoT experience. Passionate about **software engineering, embedded systems, and automation**, with hands-on experience in **C#, Python, and Java**. Seeking a **placement** to apply technical skills.

Education:

BSc Computer Science with placement | York St John University | 2023 – 2027 **Average grade for first year high 1**st

Key Modules: Maths and Problem Solving, Programming 01 (Python) Programming for the Web (HTML, CSS, JavaScript, PHP, GitHub), Operating Systems (Linux, Shell Scripting), Software Engineering (SQL, UML and DML). Programming 03 (C#, .Net)

Level 3 extended BTEC | Calderdale College | 2021 – 2023 Business and Marketing DDM

Level 2 Qualifications | Calderdale College | 2019 – 2021 English language, mathematics, Level 2 BTEC Hospitality and Catering

Technical Skills and Experience

- Programming Languages: Python, C#, Java, HTML, CSS, JavaScript, PHP, SQL.
- Tools & Frameworks: .NET, Linux (Ubuntu, Kali), Bash, GitHub, Bootstrap, React.
- Software Development: Embedded systems, software testing, debugging, Agile Development.
- IoT & Al Automation: Hands-on experience with Bluetooth hardware, Open-Al API (Al-driven automation).

Relevant Experience:

Al Support & Delivery Intern | Immersive Networks, Leeds | 2023 (3 months, paid)

- Developed a grant-funded IoT-based heritage audio tour for Kirkstall Abbey using Bluetooth Low Energy (BLE) to track user locations without GPS.
- Created software for the Echo mobile app, integrating Al automation tools (OpenAl).
- Software testing & debugging of IoT systems for real-time interaction.
- Liaised with stakeholders, explaining technical solutions in simple terms.

Coffee Shop Management System (GitHub Project)

- Developed a **full-stack web application** using PHP, Bootstrap, and SQL for managing orders and payments.
- Integrated **secure database handling**, improving real-time order processing.

Employee Registration System (University Project)

- Developed testing solutions for the system using the Xunit framework.
- Collaborated as a team to develop the full-stack C# .NET Registration system.

Digital CV and portfolio (Personal Netlify project)

 Developed a professional personal portfolio project using Bootstrap and JavaScript hosted on Netlify.

Other Experience:

Student Ambassador | York St John University | 2024 – Present

- Developed public speaking skills to present to large groups of prospective students.
- Helped manage events on campus involving up to 300 people.

Barista | Mannetti's, York | 2024 - Present

- Managed cash transactions and handled high-pressure situations efficiently to ensure smooth operations.
- Processed payments accurately using an EPOS system and balanced the till at the end of shifts to maintain financial integrity

Chef | Yakumama, Todmorden | 2020 – 2023

Worked under pressure in a fast-paced environment, improving teamwork skills.

Hobbies and Interests

PC Building – Experience assembling and troubleshooting custom-built computers.

University Boat Club – Novice Vice Captain – Leadership, coaching, and mentoring experience.

References available upon request https://sonnybell.netlify.app/
https://github.com/Dualboi