



# GERSON DE LA CRUZ

## • FULLSTACK DEVELOPER •

Creative, analytical and curious developer with a passion for user friendly tech. I have a strong drive to constantly learn and evolve, which has led me to try on new roles and projects in my professional life - and to reschool into tech from a background of teaching. I am motivated by being challenged, seeing clear results of my work and by creating value for others. I have great ability to run my work independently, while I really appreciate being part of a team and working together towards common goals.

### PROFESSIONAL SKILLS

Python, CSS3, HTML5, JavaScript, Git, GitHub, Django, Bootstrap, SQL Database, ReactJS, TypeScript, PostgreSQL, MongoDB, APIs using Django Rest Framework, AWS, Docker, PyCharm, VScode.

### PERSONAL SKILLS

Team player  
Quick learner  
Self Motivated  
Communicative  
Organized  
Natural Problem Solver

### ACHIEVEMENTS

Fluent in 6 languages.

Achieved a 2:1 on my Open University degree, with a full time teaching job and learning to code.

Won first prize in "Women in Tech" Hackathon in November 2021

### EDUCATION

#### Full Stack Software Development

#### Code Institute (in cooperation with Napier University, Scotland)

Sep 2021 - Sep 2022

- University credit rated remote bootcamp
- Focused on gaining skills in problem solving and delivering with high quality within a fixed time-frame.
- The students are examined based on 4 individual projects ranging from a static frontend site to a full stack e-commerce site - including the entire flow from UX and design to development and testing.
- Covers a wide range of technologies and frameworks, such as: HTML, CSS, Bootstrap, JavaScript, jQuery, API:s, Python and Django.
- Git is used for version control and Stripe for payment services.
- Developing in teams are practised through 'Hackathons' where the students work together on planning and building an application.

#### Bachelor's degree in Languages and business management

#### Open University

July 2017 - July 2021

- broad understanding of business organisation
- The program also cover areas such as markets, customers, finance, operations, information technology, business policy and strategy.

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## WORK EXPERIENCE

### Full Stack developer at WJEC

March 2021 - March 2023

- Developed multiple internal projects
- Invent new software to speed up the working process of the CMS
- Optimised performance of the internal projects.

### Freelancing

June 2019 - Now

- **Recipe website** requested for Bethan Karroumi

**Link:**

<https://www.allyourrecipes.co.uk/>

For this website I used:

Python, Django, PostgreSQL, AWS, CSS, HTML, JavaScript, GitHub, Git and Bootstrap.

- **Ou Calculator** requested for Orlando Balbuena Pérez

**Link:**

<https://www.allyourrecipes.co.uk/>

For this website I used:

Python, Django, PostgreSQL, AWS, CSS, HTML, JavaScript, GitHub, Git and Bootstrap.

- **Wedding Website** requested for Megan John

**Link:**

Working on this website currently.

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Python, Django, PostgreSQL, AWS, CSS, HTML, JavaScript, GitHub, Git and Bootstrap.

### It assistent Teacher and Supply at Llantwit Major School

June 2019 - 2021

- Instructing students on how to use different types of computer software or hardware and introducing them to languages like CSS, HTML, PYTHON.

### Spanish Teacher at Cardiff Steiner School

- Managing, Planning, preparing, and delivering lessons.
- Prioritizing tasks and self-managing