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Work Experience

Pharmaceutical Dispenser 07/2019 – 08/2019

Guildhall Pharmacy – Folkestone KEN

Volunteered at a local pharmacy, working in a small team to swiftly carry out prescription orders. Learnt the importance of accuracy to ensure that customers received the right prescription, and the value of teamwork to help carry this out.

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Keyholder/Sales Assistant 02/2022 – 06/2022

WHSmith's – Saltwood/Eurotunnel KEN

Balanced customer service with managerial duties. Assisting customers with inquiries, product recommendations, and purchases, while also handling inventory management, cash handling, and store opening/closing procedures. In my keyholder role, I ensured smooth daily operations, supervised new staff, and maintained store security, contributing to efficient business performance.

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Restaurant Waiter and Food Courier 08/2022 – Ongoing

Kashmir Tandoori – Canterbury KEN

As a waiter as well as food courier, I provided excellent customer service in taking orders, delivering food, and ensuring a positive dining experience. I managed multiple tasks efficiently, communicated with kitchen staff and customers, and maintained health and safety standards. I demonstrated strong time-management, problem-solving, and teamwork skills in fast-paced environments.

Contact: [0191 454 0465](tel:01914540465)

About me ~

I express myself through my love of running; I was a top 100m sprinter in high school competing in numerous races, which then transitioned into an addiction to long distance running where, in my first year of university as part of my boxing society, I completed my first marathon in a run from Durham to Darlington. I currently enjoy tennis and volleyball, having been to Portugal as a part of my volleyball team and competed in friendly tournaments, as well as being a continual member of Durham Spaceflight; a weekly society where I have worked in a team to learn how to design hardware needed to fly rockets and tackle various practical challenges that the project entails. I enjoy travelling and exploring, having been to 30+ countries across 5 continents. I was fortunate enough to have been brought up abroad, living most of my childhood years in Nigeria and India where I got to experience deeply different cultures and meet people from all walks of life. I am fluent in English and can understand Spanish and Bengali to an intermediate level. I also enjoy chess, photography, hiking and I am self-taught on the ukulele.