James Hirst

D.o.B. 07/11/1998 (age 24) Address 37 Twyford House, London,

N5 1AG

Email <u>hirst.jj@googlemail.com</u>

Phone 07504 456577

Degree:

MMath Mathematics Degree Course at Cambridge (2021-22)

o Pass with Distinction (79%)

Mathematics BA at Cambridge (2018-2021)

1st Class in third year (position: 14/222, percentage: 86%)

Jesus College Mathematics Award in second year for being top performer

1st Class in first year (position: 61/232, percentage: 72%)

Academic Qualifications:

A-Level: 5x A*- Maths, Further Maths, Additional Further Maths, Physics, Chemistry

AS- Level: 1x A- Economics

- IGCSE/ GCSE: 14x A*'s and an A (including Maths and English)

Employment and Experience:

- 1. Software Engineer at Microsoft, (Sep 2022-Present) working on Azure to deploy tooling for large telcos to store and manage data in the cloud. Previously, used Java and Javascript to maintain a messaging app sold to small businesses that integrates with users phones.
- 2. Software Engineer at Microsoft, 8-week virtual internship writing python scripts to improve the automation of deployment and management of products in the telecoms sector.
- 3. Data collection and entry using an international particle accelerator at CERN. Lead to a published scientific paper in IOP Journal and on the CERN website about an experiment investigating Einstein's Special Theory of Relativity.
- 4. Machine Learning Ecology project using Detectron2 to predict the location of tree crowns to improve estimates of carbon store in forests and other locations.
- 5. Restaurant manager with Hotelplan during a winter season, managing 20 staff of varying ages. Achieved 'Mountain Spirit Award' in an area of 500 employees for performance.
- 6. Data input and IT assistant at The Oaks Hospital Colchester.
- 7. Private tutoring for Maths as well as Explore Learning Colchester Tutor.

Volunteer Work:

- 1. Kids Inspire- raising awareness for mental instabilities and disabilities in children.
- 2. Oxfam- general shop work in the Colchester branch.
- 3. Chelmsford Boys Club- painting and renovating youth rooms.
- 4. Youth Enquiry Centre Colchester- gardening and maintenance of the centre.

Personal Qualifications:

Vice School Captain
BPO Round 1- Gold Award (Top 50 Nationally)
BPO Round 2- Bronze Award
UK Senior Maths Challenge- Gold Award

Headmaster's Head of Year Award

Proficient in a variety of coding languages
PADI Open Water Certified
Cambridge University Ski Freestyle Captain
Wado-Ryu Karate- 2nd Dan Black belt
National Citizenship Service Award