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Profile

- Qualified and hard-working programmer with the ability to work expertly as part of a team.
- Strong knowledge of object-oriented programming, languages include C++, C#, Java, JS, HTML5 and Python.
- IDE's I am proficient in include Android Studio, Intellij, WebStorm, PyCharm, Microsoft Visual studios, Visual Code and Unity.
- Extensive knowledge of version control using **Github** and **Bitbucket**.
- I have been trained to code software using a problem solving, agile approach.
- I have worked abroad, countries include England, United States and the Netherlands, all while studying at IT Carlow.

Work History

July 2017 – Present Digisoft.tv (Junior Developer)
Key Duties and Responsibilities:

July 2017 - February 2018 Company - AT&T

I worked with a US Company on a development team of 11 as QA. The product was backend api's that handled metadata to help Directv handle heavy traffic and down times of their product.

- Worked mostly with **DevTest Lisa** while testing code for various microservices. Both front end UI and back end API testing.
- Used **JMeter** to test performances of our microservices.
- Have a lot of experience with Jenkins, Kubernetes and QMetry.
- Have some experience with Couchbase, Spring-boot and Swagger.
- As well as QA I also worked on some code both front and back end. Languages included Java,
 Node.js and Polymer.

February 2018 - June 2018 Company - IDS

- Worked as a Python developer on 2 backend API's using Flask framework (Python 2.6)
- API's would handle (CRUD) commands that would remove, update or delete TV shows from a database.
- Worked with setting up Nomad clusters and Docker containers to run the API's.
- Learned about asynchronous python requests to maximise data transfer.
- Learned how to document my code using **Swagger** docs.
- Finished work on both API's in June 2018 and moved onto inhouse Android Development.

June 2018 - Present Inhouse work

- Currently Working on Android products coding in Java using Android Studio.
- Good working knowledge of Gradle library.
- Confluence and Github documentation of modules.
- Working closely with **Bitrise** to build APK's for deployment to playstore.
- Application available on the playstore will be an audio tour guide made for the FAI. Released on the 30th of November 2018.
- The tour guide also contains **beacon** technology to allow users to walk through a museum and receive feedback with audio pop ups on their phone. App also pulls down information (images and audio files) from a content management system.

Education

2012 - 2017 (BA Hons) Computer Games Development Institute of Technology Carlow

This honors degree provided me with the skills I needed to become a professional developer. I have acquired skills in software design, programming, game design, graphics programming, modelling, simulation, animation and Android Development.

Final Year Project- 2D Bullet Hell Game (Android) coded in C++ while using the cocos2dx library. Scope: 2D Bullet Hell game where the purpose of the game is to avoid obstacles and kill enemies to progress through the levels. Some of the games features included sprite manipulation, touch controls, Al and AABB collision detection.

2011 Leaving Certificate (425 points) De La Salle Presentation College Carlow

School Achievements

Senior Sport Star 6th year Achieved Bronze Gaisce Award 6th year School Prefect A member of our schools debating team

Placed last 40 to represent Ireland in Math's Olympics 6th year

Hobbies

I'm a very active person and from a young age I was very sporty I found playing sport from a young age gave me great discipline and showed me that making small improvements every day can amount to great things down the line.

I played Soccer, Gaelic football, basketball, rugby and hurling.

I am also an avid gamer I have a League of legends Team that enters in national tournaments in Ireland.

References available upon request