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About me

I am a fourth-year Software Engineering student at Victoria University. Some of my other passions include: yachting, canoe polo, skiing, and gaming. As well as spending a large amount of time completing university projects I have undertaken and worked on some of my own personal projects and balance this with spending time training for national and international regattas as part of the Wellington Youth Sailing Trust Match Racing Squad.

Skills

Angular



Firebase



HTML



CSS



React



Git



Java



CSharp



Language & Frameworks



Education

- 2016 - 2019 **BE(Hons) converted to B.Sc in 2019** Victoria University
Majoring in Computer Science
- 2010 - 2015 **NCEA: Level 1, 2, and 3 with Excellence** Rongotai College
Web Technology and Programming, Calculus, Physics, Chemistry, Geography, English, Economics

Work Experience

- 2019 - present **Development Squad Coach**
Wellington Youth Sailing Trust
- Coaching a group of 6 teenagers
 - Setting out a season training plan for the squad
 - Adapting trainings for the conditions and what the sailors will find the most beneficial
- 2018 **Software Development of Employment Website**
Pihinga
- Designed and developed a job search platform for solo parents
 - Managing development of the project from start to finish as part of a group of six
 - Requirement gathering through client interaction
 - Balancing client wants with what is feasible with the given time constraints.
- 2018 - present **Web App Development For the Following Yacht Clubs**
Tup Radford Intercollegiate Yachting Academy, Queen Charlotte Yacht Club, New Plymouth Yacht Club
- Adaptation of a previously developed web app to the requirements of a different set of clients
- 2017 - present **Yacht & Power Boat Maintenance Technician**
Wellington Youth Sailing Trust
- Maintenance of small keel boats and a rigid inflatable boat
 - Identifying what work is most important and allocating time accordingly
 - Prioritising work around upcoming events the boats will be used in
 - Purchasing spare parts and reporting to monthly trust meetings
- 2017 - present **Web App Development For Youth Sailing Program**
Wellington Youth Sailing Trust
- Designed and developed a web and mobile accessible app for tracking boat maintenance issues, and health and safety documentation
 - Researching existing tools and frameworks to help the development of a web app
 - Understanding Maritime New Zealand's requirements and the Marine Operators Safety System (MOSS)
 - Identifying and communicating the benefits introducing the system would have on the trusts processes
- 2013 - present **Junior and Adult Learn to Sail Coach**
Worser Bay Boating Club
- Coaching students of all ages and skill levels
 - Tailoring sessions to the students and how they learn, practical and theory
 - Catering for what the student wants from the course: confidence in a boat, ability to race, just having fun

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Volunteer Work

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| 2017 | Blind Foundation - 'Have a go sailing day' |
| 2017, 2018 | Wellington Marathon - Drink Stations |
| 2015, 2016 | Wellington Marathon - Marshal |

Awards

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| 2017 | Faculty of Engineering Deans List | Victoria University |
| 2016 | Excellence Scholarship | Victoria University |
| 2015 | School Prize Digital Technologies | Rongotai College |
| 2013 - 2015 | School Honours Awards for Yachting | Rongotai College |

Other Qualifications

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| 2018 | NZTA - Advanced Driving Skills |
| 2017 | Yachting New Zealand - Learn to Sail Coach |
| 2016 | St John - CPR & Basic First Aid |
| 2013 | Yachting New Zealand - Assistant Learn to Sail Coach |

Sporting Achievements

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| 2019 | NZ Youth Match Racing Worlds Trials - 2nd (crew of 4) |
| 2019 | Centre Port International Youth Match Racing Regatta - 3rd (crew of 4) |
| 2018 | Centre Port International Youth Match Racing Regatta - 2nd (crew of 4) |
| 2017 | Harken International Youth Match Racing Regatta (Sydney) - 6th (crew of 5) |
| 2016 | Nespresso Youth Match Racing - 3rd (crew of 5) |
| 2016 | Centre Port International Youth Match Racing Regatta - 3rd (crew of 4) |
| 2016 | Musto International Youth Match Racing Regatta (Sydney) - 5th (crew of 5) |
| 2016 | Harken International Youth Match Racing Regatta (Sydney) - 6th (crew of 5) |
| 2014 | NZ Youth Match Racing Nationals - 1st and National Champion (crew of 4) |
| 2014 | Nespresso Youth Match Racing Regatta - 1st (crew of 5) |
| 2013 | College Sport Wellington Regional Canoe Polo Champion (team of 7) |
| 2013 | NZ Laser 4.7 Nationals - 1st and National Champion |