

Leon Dixon

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Personal Statement

A Software Engineer based in Manchester using TypeScript/JavaScript, CSS/SCSS, HTML5, C# and a bespoke framework. In my spare time I am learning React while looking for a Software Developer position that is using React/VueJs and creating new applications with new emerging technologies along with a team who all share a passion for clean code. I am inquisitive as well as being resilient when issues arise.

Education

2018 - 2021 Manchester Metropolitan University, Software Engineering

Grade - 2:1

In my first year and second year, I achieved a 1st, in my 3rd year the units were enterprise programming, web development (using VueJS, Firebase and NodeJs), programming languages using different paradigms and my final year dissertation which was an application that used tools to crawl websites and process webpages. This was implemented using JavaScript (NodeJS and Express) and Python (Flask) using a microservices architecture.

2016 - 2018 Aquinas College

CTEC Sport - D*

Computer Science - C

Applied Business - Merit

2011 - 2016 Stockport Academy

10 GCSEs A-C including Maths and English

BCS Level 2 ECDL Certification in IT Application Ski - Dist.*

Work Experience

Bet365, Junior Full-stack Developer - 2021 July - Present

Currently, I am working in a fast pace environment creating new solutions for customers to enhance the user experience. I have worked on the League of Legends solution along with the Dota 2 in which I took a large responsibility and acquired vital skills such, sprint planning, cross-department communication, adaptability and much more.

Manchester Metropolitan University, IT Helpline Rover - 2019 September - 2021 June

The IT Helpline gave me experience in an office environment. I dealt with customers who needed assistance with software, account and a range of other issues in which I troubleshot for them.

David Lloyd, DL Kids Team Member - 2018 January - July

Working at David Lloyd I was in the children's department where I was responsible for delivering lessons as well as setting up/tidying the equipment. I also worked in sales for a month detailing membership queries, I had to deal with a range of ages as well as being able to adapt to a brand-new environment in a short period.

English and Brindley Plastering, Labourer - 2016 May - September

Working at English and Brindley Plastering I was responsible for rendering mixes which had to ensure that the mixes were the correct thickness as well as moving heavy loads around which required me to ensure that I was always paying attention to detail. Toward the end, I was responsible for cleaning up all the equipment and loading the van. Being a labourer familiarises me with a good work ethic as you must be on time every day for the job at hand as well as good habits such as always wanting to get the job done before anything else.

Key Skills & Interests

I thrive in challenging situations; I have adopted a do it ethos which has allowed me to work for longer and harder by going out of my comfort zone. I will work on new technologies.

I am a laser-focused individual who thrives when working in teams. I have played Football and American Football winning two titles; I can work on my own when required as I also have trained in MMA, Boxing and current BJJ where I had to tackle obstacles on my own.

I regularly go to the gym while also training for a half ironman; this makes me very motivated in terms of always being busy as I am used to high expectations meaning that I can handle busy times and loads. I am now conditioned to work at a high work rate.