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ABOUT ME

Earlier this year I was looking for a new career, after a recommendation from a friend I decided that a career in tech would be right for me. As soon as I started working on the practice materials for the Northcoders course I was hooked, I loved solving the problems that were provided, as I was learning new things, I was refactoring my code to incorporate these new methods. I enjoyed it so much I decided to join the march bootcamp instead of waiting until after university to join the may cohort.

Technical Skills

Languages: JavaScript
Frontend: Html, CSS, ReactJs
Backend: Express, SQL, NodeJs
Testing: Jest

Experience

Junior Developer | Northcoders

March 2023-June 2023

- Full stack JavaScript bootcamp, for people aiming to career change into tech
- Used test driven development and paired programming
- Created and hosted a backend project using PSQL and Express (Hosted link)
- Used React to create a board game reviews website
- Worked together as part of a small team to create a final project, an app that was designed to match hobbyist developers with passion projects. During this time we tried a new tech stack including: React Native, Firebase Authentication and Cloud Firestore

Trading Assistant | Sainsburys

June 2022 – March 2023

- Using teamwork and communication to ensure all customers had the best experience possible
- Managing time effectively and prioritizing the most important tasks
- Worked flexibility doing a variety of different roles throughout the store

EDUCATION

Finance| University of Manchester

2019 – 2023
Studied towards an undergraduate degree in finance
Including a module on fintech and cryptocurrencies

A Levels | Holy Cross Sixth Form College

2015 – 2018
Mathematics- A, Further Mathematics- B, Physics- A

Hobbies and interests

Gaming is a major hobby of mine; I love all kinds of gaming including board games and gaming with friends online. My favourite genres are strategy and management games, as these allow me to be competitive and come up with a plan and execute a plan to defeat them.