

CURRICULUM VITAE

I am a dedicated and motivated tech professional with a strong foundation in data analytics, programming, and full-stack development. My career transition into technology began with training in Data Analytics, where I developed skills in SQL and Python, but my passion for programming led me to focus on software engineering. I have gained hands-on experience creating websites and applications using Python-based frameworks like Django and Flask, as well as honing my skills in JavaScript and PHP through an intensive coding bootcamp.

Having successfully completed a comprehensive Coding Traineeship, I am now a certified full-stack developer, with a proven track record of delivering real-world projects to specification. My expertise is complemented by excellent customer service, communication, teamwork, and organizational skills, coupled with a strong work ethic. I am eager to contribute as a software developer, leveraging my technical skills and problem-solving abilities to deliver innovative, user-focused solutions.

PERSONAL DETAILS

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CODING TRAINEESHIP

IT Career Switch Ltd
Coding Traineeship – Full stack developer
1-year program

During the traineeship I had to demonstrate a very competent level of the following programming languages and technical skills

- HTML5, CSS3, JavaScript
- PHP, SQL, React, jQuery
- Python, Node.js, Bootstrap
- Command line Git, Github
- Remote API access

ADDITIONAL TECHNOLOGIES:

- Java, Django, Flask, REST APIs, Async Programming, Celery, Web Scraping, Selenium, BeautifulSoup, Svelte, Data Analysis, Numpy, Pandas, Data Visualisation, Seaborn, Matplotlib

DEVELOPMENT EXPERIENCE:

Below are the two briefs of development projects I completed with IT Career Switch which can be found in my bio: <https://olijwood.co.uk/>

Portfolio Project #1: "Gazetteer"

The specification was to reply to a website specification for a map-based app to provide information on countries, with a focus on a “mobile-first” development. Preferably using a framework, to then develop HTML, CSS and JavaScript with JQuery modules that use PHP server-based components to source data from third-party APIs (Geonames, OpenWeather). The solution is assessed on its delivery to specification, functionality, and usability.

Portfolio Project #2: “Company Directory”

A more rigorous reply to this specification was required as a user requirements document was needed to be prepared which, when signed off, triggers the release of SQL allowing to develop a “mobile-first” application to maintain a company personnel database (MySQL). Sign off is only achieved upon the student supplying an independently witnessed document providing confirmation of the system’s ability to perform error-free.

CAREER HISTORY:

Jul 2023 – Current

POSITION HELD:

Sainsbury’s

Online Shopper

- Order Fulfillment and Processing - Managing online orders and ensuring accurate order handling for Click & Collect customers.
- Inventory Management - Stacking and organizing delivery orders efficiently.
- Logistics and Coordination - Loading vans and preparing orders for timely delivery.
- Attention to Detail - Conducting "Check 25" to ensure compliance with legal and safety standards.
- Workplace Maintenance - Maintaining a clean and tidy hub environment for smooth operations

Sep 2022 –Jun 2023

Career Break

During this time I focused on completing a few coding courses that I began through Codecademy and completed self-directed projects to gain practical experience with these technologies.

Mar 2022 – Aug 2022

POSITION HELD:

Peppered Pear Pantry

Retail Assistant / Barista

- Barista Skills - Preparing and serving high-quality beverages and maintaining coffee-making equipment.
- Leadership and Responsibility - Acting as a keyholder with duties such as opening and closing the store.
- Cash Handling and Transaction Management - Operating tills and managing financial transactions accurately.
- Merchandising and Pricing - Pricing items and ensuring proper display of products.
- Store Operations - Supporting daily retail operations and ensuring smooth workflow.

EDUCATION:

2020 – 2022

University of the Arts London (LCF)

BSc Hair & Makeup for Fashion (Incomplete)

2018 – 2020

Godalming College

A-Levels

2013 – 2018

Royal Grammar School Guildford

GCSEs