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## EXPERIENCE

**JUNE 2020 – NOW**

### **JUNIOR SOFTWARE DEVELOPER, PAGESUITE**

Software developer at PageSuite working within the Backend and Client teams creating custom digital publishing software solutions sold to clients on a global scale. Daily I encounter client calls, writing SOWs, leading the planning of projects, training new employees, coming up with innovative ideas, and a variety of development tickets. These included creating automations, integrations, feed wrappers, new article system, new generic desktop login system, management of IAPs, a variety of support tickets, and so much more. My technology stack was AWS, .Net Core, .Net Framework, Web Forms and C#. Sadly, this job involved working a lot from home, and I do miss working an open-plan collaborative office.

**AUG 2018 – SEP 2019**

### **SOFTWARE DEVELOPER, AXA PPP**

Software developer at AXA PPP designing, analysing, building, testing and deploying technical solutions as part of the PACE and PWA workstreams. Day to day role involved using the Microsoft stack of technologies C#, .Net Framework, .Net Core, Visual Studio and Azure. Front end development involved Angular JS, React JS, jQuery. Worked in a collaborative environment and was always willing to learn and help others, whether that was demoing automated unit testing to all work streams, presenting the productivity and efficiency of React JS or safety features in Azure.

**SEP 2015 – APRIL 2018**

### **SHOW ROOM HOST, CAFFYNS VAUXHALL**

The key roles I played at the busy Vauxhall showroom in Ashford were to ensure the efficient and professional atmosphere of the reception. Meet and greet all visitors and direct them as required. Deal with all calls quickly and efficiently and passing customers to the relevant department. Maintain a high standard of cleanliness in the hospitality area.

**MAR 2015 – MAY 2015**

### **TELEPHONE INTERVIEWER, FACTS INTERNATIONAL**

## EDUCATION

**2016 – 2020**

### **BSC COMPUTER SCIENCE WITH A YEAR IN INDUSTRY, UNIVERSITY OF KENT**

**1<sup>st</sup> Class Degree**

Final year

**Final Year: Distinction (73%)**

Modules: Kent IT Consultancy (Final year Project), Theory and practice on concurrency, Internet of Things, Computer law and professional responsibility, Programming languages implementation, Introduction to intelligent systems, Computing in the classroom

Industrial placement (Software developer at AXA PPP)

**3<sup>rd</sup> year: Distinction (81%)**

Second year

**2<sup>nd</sup> year: Distinction (74%)**

Modules: Software Engineering, Web development, Algorithms, Correctness and Efficiency, Theory of computing, Database development, Functional and concurrent programming, Architecture and operating systems

First year

**1<sup>st</sup> year: Distinction (72%)**

2009 – 2016

## **SIXTH FORM AND SECONDARY SCHOOL, JOHN WALLIS ACADEMY, ASHFORD**

- 3 A Levels: Computing (C), Geography (C), BTEC ICT Distinction\* Distinction\*
- 12 GCSE and 2 BTEC from A\* - C

## **SKILLS**

**Languages:** C# (including LINQ), JavaScript, Java, Python, SQL, Go

**Libraries and Frameworks:** Angular, React, Vue, .Net Core, .Net Framework, Web Forms, Entity Framework

**Cloud:** Azure, AWS and GitHub (Actions and hosting)

**Tools:** Visual Studio, VS Code, LINQ Pad, Net Beans, IntelliJ, Postman, Git, Git Fork, Node

**Methodologies:** Agile (favorite), Spiral, Waterfall

## **HOBBIES AND INTEREST**

### **ARCHERY, 9+ YEARS**

I have competed in the sport of archery for 9 years and winning over 60 trophies and medals. I have taken part in a variety of competitions at club, county, regional, national and international. The type of Bow I shoot is a Compound Bow which is a more technically advanced bow than the more traditional Recurve Bow that most archers shoot. I hope to one day represent Great Britain as part of the Archery Team

### **SPORT SCHOLARSHIP AND PRESIDENT OF THE ARCHERY SOCIETY**

It was a huge honour to get this scholarship in my second and third year at University. I have strength and condition training once a week, and I represent the University of Kent at all SEAL (South East Archery League) and BUCS competitions. I won SEAL indoor league four years in a row (12 competitions), SEAL outdoor championships, 5th at BUCS indoor final and in 2018 I won Sports Man of the Year at University. In my first and second year of University, I was President of the Archery Society and Vice President in my final year. This role comes with many tasks. Leading the Society, running committee meetings, running the shoots (creating a coaching schedule), running competitions, communicating with our Sport Executive and Vice President of Sport, and so much more.

## **REFERENCES**

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