




Philip Allen

Full Stack Software Developer

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I am Phil, an aspiring software developer making a transition from a career in accounts. This is driven by a lifelong passion for technology.

I have recently completed the Full Stack Track course at iO Academy in Bath, where I have gained a comprehensive understanding of the industry's best practices. My experience in finance brings a strong analytical mindset and attention to detail. It also brings experience collaborating with teams across the business, as well as an understanding of business operations.

I am particularly interested in back-end developer jobs, as solving logic problems is my favourite aspect of programming.

In my spare time I enjoy PC & retro gaming, working on my 'hobby' car as well as embracing my passion for House music.

THE FULL STACK TRACK COURSE

iO Academy


Coding Bootcamp

(Mar 2023 – Jun 2023)

During the 16-week course, we worked in an Agile environment, implementing Scrum for the group projects. It taught us industry & coding best practice, as well as pair programming & code reviews. Examples of both my solo work, and group projects I worked on, are available on my portfolio linked above.

We covered the following languages, frameworks and databases;

- HTML
- CSS & SASS
- PHP – including Object orientated
- JavaScript – React – Node
- TypeScript
- MySQL
- MongoDB

 <https://io-academy.uk/>

WORK HISTORY

Space Engineering Services

Finance assistant

(Sep 2009 – Feb 2023)

Space Engineering Services manufacture and maintain commercial refrigeration and HVAC.

In this role, I performed and achieved;

- Invoicing of large corporate clients.
- Produced reports for management.
- Reconciled and moved data between different systems.
- Managed a small team for periods.
- Improved efficiency in reporting and invoicing, principally using Excel.
- Instigated the move to paperless for my team.
- Worked with teams across the business to improve interdepartmental communication.

Space Engineering Services

Finance assistant

(Oct 2007 – Jun 2009)

Mulberry

Credit Controller

(May 2007 – Oct 2007)

University of Bath

Accounts Adminstrator

(Oct 2006 – May 2007)

Manchester Evening News

Accounts Adminstrator

(Apr 2005 – Aug 2006)

CERTIFICATIONS

Agile Professional Certification

iO Academy

(Mar 2023)

AAT Technician

Association of Accounting Technicians

(Oct 2018)

EDUCATION

Bristol Catherdral School

A-levels Maths, Physics & Chemistry GCSEs 9 including Maths and English