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I am a full stack web developer passionate about my work. I love the process of programming and I am driven by a desire to constantly improve my skills. I am highly motivated to learn through working in an environment where the product of the development team is important to the business.

Coming from a background in finance and management consulting, I've just completed the General Assembly [Web Development Immersive](#) and I am looking for a full stack developer role in an organisation where I can continue to learn and produce high quality work.

Core Skills

Front End	Back End	General
Semantic HTML5	Ruby - Ruby on Rails, Sinatra	Git
CSS3 - Sass, various libraries	Nodejs	User experience design
JavaScript - core, various libraries & frameworks	Databases - postgres, SQL	Testing incl. TDD

Throughout my career I have also developed excellent soft skills including stakeholder and client management, team building and conflict resolution.

Employment History

The University of Melbourne

Apr 2013 to Jan 2015

Strategy and Business Analyst

In this role my primary focus was on extracting data from a variety of systems, developing interpretive financial models and providing high quality financial analysis to the local executive.

- ▶ Designed and implemented a budget monitoring framework, operating across automated Excel spreadsheets and synthesising multiple data sources into a single dashboard view. Communicated to 16 budget managers and stakeholders, this initiative improved the consistency of budget management across the division and was responsible for an annual surplus in excess of \$5.4m, versus financial targets of \$4.4m.
 - ▶ Refurbished a Workload Allocation Model constructed in Excel using VBA and integrating information from the student information system, Oracle HR, and internal spreadsheets. Due to
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operational differences between divisions it was necessary to modify elements of the back-end of the model. The final result was a model quantifying workload levels for local academic staff.

- ▶ Worked with Advancement Office to build financial modelling for a major bid for philanthropic funding. The bid was successful in a competitive pool, securing \$600k for 15 new scholarships.

KPMG

May 2012 to Jan 2013

Management Consultant

With offices in 155 countries and annual revenues in excess of \$27 billion, KPMG is one of the largest advisory and professional services firms in the world. At KPMG I was exposed to best practise in quantitative modelling techniques across a range of industries and functions.

- ▶ Developed an internal business development and sales management model linking data from three systems to providing dynamic reporting and executive dashboard functionality. The model provided analyses and interpretation of data previously limited to independent systems, driving new insights into effective business development and sales strategy.
- ▶ Cooperatively reviewed and analysed a KPI benchmarking methodology used by each state and territory office of a government department. This project extended my Excel skills under the guidance of a senior modelling and VBA expert in KPMG. Our team recommended revision of several aspects of the process and provided metrics determined to better fit the technological capability and broader context of the departments commissioning the review.

SC Financial Group & Castiglione Securities Trading

Aug 2009 to Jul 2011

Co-founder & Managing Director

I co-founded and managed two boutique investment businesses, raising more than half a million dollars in seed capital and managing investor and stakeholder relations.

The University of Western Australia

Jul 2005 to Mar 2009

Senior Accounts Officer

Over a period of four years, I was promoted from Purchasing Officer, to Accounts Officer, then Senior Accounts Officer. I managed a team of 6, running the accounts department within a school.

Education

General Assembly

Mar 2015 to May 2015

Web Development Immersive

- ▶ Bootcamp style accelerator course: full stack web development focused on Javascript and Ruby

The University of Melbourne

Mar 2009 to Feb 2012

Bachelor of Commerce (Finance)

- ▶ 85% average
 - ▶ CPA Management Accounting Prize for top grade
 - ▶ Sothertons Prize for Business Forensics for top grade
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