# Phillip Watson

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### **PROFESSIONAL PROFILE**

A highly motivated, innovative, and experienced professional committed to delivering outstanding service and operating effectively across organisational and cultural boundaries. Extremely talented in building constructive relationships with diverse individuals and possesses a genuine passion for achieving the highest levels of workmanship and client satisfaction. Offers demonstrated experience in quality assurance, task management, team coordination and client engagement gained from over 14 years' professional employment history in the Construction industry. Possess strong leadership, organisational, communication and interpersonal skills, accentuated by a verifiable ability to exhibit confidentiality, discretion, diplomacy, and professionalism when dealing with internal and external stakeholders. A proven team player committed to service excellence and determined to leverage qualifications, transferrable skills, and past experiences to begin a new career in IT and support the overall objectives of an organisation

## **EDUCATION & QUALIFICATIONS**

Software Engineering Immersive | General Assembly | June 2022 Completed Certificate III in Construction | The Caterpillar Institute Completed Year 12 VCE | Warrandyte High School | 2007

## **LICENCES & CERTIFICATIONS**

- **Excavator Operator**
- **Loader Operator**
- **Grader Operator**
- **Dozer Operator**
- **Backhoe Operator**

- **Dump Truck Operator**
- **Roller Operator**
- **Heavy Vehicle License**

## **PROFESSIONAL SKILLS**

- **Excellent Understanding and Proficiency in Software Engineering**
- **Highly Experienced in Construction & Equipment Operation**
- **Plan, Organise & Prioritise Tasks**
- **Multitask & Perform Under Tight Deadlines**
- **Liaise and Collaborate with Internal/External Stakeholders**
- **Prepare Reports, Correspondence & Documents**

- **Organisational & Time Management Skills**
- **Think Logically & Critically**
- **Analytical & Project Management Skills**
- **Responsibility & Accountability**
- Work in a Fast-paced & Repetitive Environment
- **Workplace Health & Safety Standards**
- **Customer Interaction & Satisfaction Skills**

## **TECHNICAL SKILLS**

HTML **CSS** 

**SASS** 

**JavaScript** 

React.is

**Ruby On Rails** 

**Sintra** 

**PostgreSql** 

### **CORE COMPETENCIES**

Demonstrated professional and progressive work experience, encompassing ethics and integrity in equipment operation, task management, work health and safety and stakeholder engagement.

- Strong IT acumen and commercial awareness with superior aptitude to strategise, execute and deliver tangible, measurable results that support and enable the organisation to achieve its strategic objectives.
- Highly adaptable with the ability to quickly learn technical skills and a proven track record of achieving results in highly competitive work environments.
- Driven, highly disciplined and independent professional with strong communication skills.
- High level of organisation skills with proven ability to meet strict deadlines and to communicate on all levels.

#### PERSONAL ATTRIBUTES

- Detail oriented with strong critical/analytical thinking as well as authentic leadership qualities with a genuine sense
  of initiative, flexibility and accountability.
- Exemplary work ethics, high degree of diplomacy, integrity, patience, respectfulness and professionalism.
- Excellent organisational and time management skills with the ability to keep within timescales and budgets.
- Superior problem solving and decision-making abilities; self-motivated, consistent, resilient, and dedicated.
- Communicator, innovator, and motivator with the ability to collaborate with internal and external stakeholders.
- Highly analytical and detail orientated with continuous improvement mindset.
- Ability to flourish with minimal guidance in a fast-paced environment, be proactive and handle uncertainty.

#### **KEY PROJECTS**

#### **Tic Tac Toe**

Link: https://philwatson77.github.io/potential-disco/ |

A simple HTML/CSS/JavaScript game built using the essential fundamentals and logic of the languages.

#### **Game Database**

Link: https://games-database-2022.herokuapp.com/ |

• Crude application built with Ruby on Rails. Learned about database structures and key learning using API databases and created a website where one could enter the name of the game, and it would then generate the cover art for you.

#### **Portfolio Website**

Link: https://philwatson77.github.io/legendary-system/ |

Created the portfolio website to gain better understanding of HTML/CSS JavaScript.

### **EMPLOYMENT HISTORY**

#### **MACHINE OPERATOR**

Mick Matto Excavation's/Mick Matto - All Over Victoria | January 2020 - March 2022

- Maintained and operated the Excavator and Skid Steer and expertly manoeuvred motorised heavy equipment to ensure the accurate removal and placement of materials.
- Read plans and excavated earth to the right levels as well as loaded and offloaded rocks, debris, and other materials from heavy equipment.
- Observed stipulated safety codes at all times and reported injuries and other accidents to the line manager.
- Advised the line manager of requisite upgrades, repairs, and replacements.
- Communicated with co-workers to elucidate project specifications, as needed and aiding co-workers to ensure that the site was clean and organised at the end of each shift.
- Provided suggestions to refine workflow and boost efficiency.

## **Key Achievements:**

- During the years working in Construction, picked up many different skills in building and operating machinery and developed excellent communication and interpersonal skills. Developed good work habits and a great work mentality, demonstrating ability to try the hardest to get the job done no matter how big the task may seem. Never one to shy away from a challenge and always eager to learn and deliver work on time.
- Performed duties as machine operator to high company and industry standards whilst concurrently and successfully completing Software Engineering/Development course from General Assembly.

#### MACHINE OPERATOR/LABOUR/TRADE ASSISTANT/VARIOUS

Indigenous Links - Cyp-Metro Tunnel Parkville Station | March 2019 - December 2019

WorkPac - YanYean Road Upgrade | February 2019 - March 2019

Inside Out Landscaping Constructions | October 2018 - February 2019

Career Break - Lived Overseas | February 2016 - October 2018

CPB Contactors/Leighton Contractors - Citylink Tullamarine Widening | May 2015 - February 2016

CPB Contactors/Leighton Contractors - Airport Upgrade Melbourne | March 2015 - May 2015

Ichthys - CVL3 Gas Plant Darwin | September 2013 - December 2014

CPB Contactors/Leighton Contractors - Regional Rail Link Package F Werribee | September 2009 - September 2013

CPB Contactors/Leighton Contractors - MacArthur Wind Farm | May 2012 - September 2012

CPB Contactors/Leighton Contractors - Ring Road Upgrade M80 | November 2011 - April 2012

John Holland – South Morang Station | November 2010 – September 2011

John Holland - Sugarloaf Pipeline | May 2009 - October 2010

CPB Contactors/Leighton Contractors - Deer Park Bypass Victoria | January 2008 - April 2009

- Under general supervision, operated various equipment including excavators, graders, tractors, backhoes, front end loaders, dump trucks, and trash trucks and other equipment as needed to achieve construction objectives.
- Assisted in leading, guiding and training trade assistants, interns, and/or volunteers performing related work.
- Performed routine inspection and maintenance on vehicles and equipment such as checking oil, water, and tires.
- Operated graders for leveling and tractors to load materials such as dirt and rocks.
- Operated backhoe and front-end loaders, forklifts and dump trucks including hydraulic equipment such as tail gates, hoppers, and packers to transport trash and materials.
- Operated various equipment for general site preparation, landscaping, materials removal and related assignments.
- Ensured proper care in the use and maintenance of equipment and supplies as well as promoted continuous improvement of workplace safety and environmental practices.
- Performed miscellaneous job-related duties as assigned.

#### **HOBBIES & INTERESTS**

Video Games • Board Games • Reading • Building Lego • Rock Climbing (Bouldering) • Gym • Puzzles

#### REFERENCES

**Robert Colombani** Leading Hand CPB Contactors **Jesse Porter** Leading Hand John Holland