Luke Wood

Computer Science Graduate | Software & Technology Enthusiast

Profile

First-Class Computer Science graduate with a passion for solving real-world problems through technology, whether by building user-focused software or uncovering insights from data. I bring hands-on experience across front-end and back-end development through academic, freelance, and client-based projects, such as developing a professional website for a local accountancy firm and building an effective AI-powered eLearning platform.

In addition, my experience as a bookkeeper has strengthened my interest in financial data and inspired a growing focus on data analysis. I enjoy working with large data sets, identifying trends, and supporting decision-making through clean, structured insights.

Proficient in modern tools and languages including JavaScript, C#, Java, SQL, HTML/CSS, and Excel, with practical knowledge of .NET, Git, and Agile methodologies. Detail-oriented and highly adaptable, I'm seeking a graduate role where I can contribute as a developer, analyst, or all-round tech professional, bringing value through both code and data.

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TECHNOLOGIES / TOOLS

Programming Languages

C#, Java, JavaScript, Python, PHP

Markup & Web

HTML, CSS, Responsive Design

Frameworks

.NET, React

Development Tools / IDEs

Visual Studio, VS Code, Eclipse

Version Control

Git, GitHub

Databases

SQL Server, MySQL, PostgreSQL, MS Access

Testing & QA

Manual Testing, Test Planning, Functional Testing

Soft Skills

- Problem Solving
- Collaboration
- Communication

Adaptability

- Attention to Detail
- Critical Thinking

Creativity

- Work Ethic
- Time Management

Client Relations

Experience

BOOKKEEPER & TECHNICAL CONTRIBUTOR | 01/02/2023 - 15/09/2024

Clearwater Accountants, Wilsden, Bradford, BD15 ODX

- Maintained financial records and supported bookkeeping with attention to accuracy and compliance.
- Liaised with clients regularly to ensure smooth data collection and adherence to GDPR regulations.
- Designed and built company website using HTML, CSS, JavaScript, and PHP.
- Deployed website independently, managing hosting, domain, and Go-Live process.

GRAPHICS DESIGNER | 03/11/2021 - PRESENT

Freelance

- Created logos, banners, and branding assets for small businesses.
- Utilised Adobe Photoshop to create visually appealing and professional designs.
- Collaborated with clients to align designs with business goals.
- Delivered print-ready and digital designs for various platforms.
- Improved branding and design skills through ongoing freelance work.

FISHMONGER & RETAIL ASSISTANT | 29/09/2024 - PRESENT

Morrisons, Skipton, Bradford, BD23 1FL

- Provided customer service in a fast-paced, team-based retail environment.
- Prepared fish products, following hygiene and food safety standards.
- Operated fish counter independently, ensuring smooth daily operations.
- Balanced stock management with customer service and multitasking.

Education

09/09/2024 - 13/06/2025

University Centre Leeds, LS3 1AA

- Qualification: BSc (Hons) Computer Science
- Grade: First Class Honours (1:1)

12/10/2023 - 15/05/2024

University Centre Leeds, LS3 1AA

- Qualification: Foundation Degree in Computer Science
- Grade: Distinction

06/09/2021 - 06/06/2022

Keighley College, BD21 4HQ

- Qualification: BTEC National Diploma in Games Design and Development
- Grade: Distinction

07/09/2020 - 04/06/2021

Keighley College, BD214HQ

- Qualification: BTEC Extended National Certificate in Digital & IT
- Grade: Merit