

**Core Skills:**

- HTML5
- JavaScript
- React
- Node.js
- CSS4
- Bootstrap5

**Strong Soft Skills:**

- Customer focused
- Passion for code
- Fast-learner
- Determined
- Self-driven
- Excellent team player
- Identify code-based solutions to customer problems

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**About Robert Saunders**

Since completing a bootcamp in Front-End Development, which focussed on CSS, HTML, JavaScript, Node.js and React.js, I have become passionate about coding, programming and logic. In the months following graduation my desire to make coding my future career has grown exponentially.

Described as 'contagiously enthusiastic' by my friends and colleagues, I am a lover of the great outdoors, and have a hunger to develop my front-end (and programming) web development skills.

I achieve what I put my mind to and can persevere through uncertainty not being afraid to put in hard-work and dedication to understand and achieve the desired outcomes.

**Career Summary***Front-End Development Internship – Digi Pharm*

September 2023 – December 2023

I snapped up the opportunity to complete a 12-week (10 hours per week, but I did more) intern for a large company to gain real-life development experience where I need to manage an employer's expectations. I was one of 2 applicants accepted out of over 100. I worked with a fellow intern to develop a react.js based contracts management portal where users of differing roles can log in and see several contract and financial related data.

**Key Achievements:**

- Collaboration and sharing of tasks with another intern
- Use of React, Node, Tailwind, Bootstrap and gaining further development experience especially with components and minimising/reusing code
- A very impressed and happy employer

*Front-End Development Bootcamp Graduate (Trilogy Skills)*

November 2022 – March 2023

I embarked on this full-time intensive course to gain enough coding experience to help me step into this industry which I have developed a passion for. My cheerful disposition and enthusiasm was infectious amongst my cohorts and my positive attitude, determination and self-discipline helped me dedicate 4 evening classes on Zoom 6-9pm per week plus between 20-30 hours study time on top of this for 16 weeks, on top of my full time Mon-Fri job.

**Key achievements:**

- 99.7% Score

**Qualifications:**

- Front-End Development Bootcamp
- Maths
- English
- Level 3 CAVA
- Level 3 Hospitality Supervision & Leadership
- Vocals Grade 4
- Fire Marshal exp.2024

**Hobbies & Spare time**

- Hiking – Long distance, multi-day and short
- Wild camping
- Surfing
- Running, Gym, Swimming
- Musical Shows (singing & acting)
- Learning Piano
- Building code-based apps

- My own REACT-powered portfolio: [rob-saunders.com](https://rob-saunders.com)
- 2 x Project Pitches
- Recognised my learning potential when I put my mind to something
- Realised this is the career I want for the rest of my life
- 100% Attendance

*Commercial Account Executive (Watson Fuels)*

February 2022 – Present

My role here is a hybrid of account management and sales; looking after a portfolio of up to 600 commercial customers (farms, small to medium businesses) who require bulk fuel (diesel, burning oil and several other oil related products) and ensuring all aspects of their account is looked after. This involves developing trusting relationships and adapting my approach to individual customers to maximise profits, while not losing orders. I must communicate effectively with almost every department in the wider business including artic and rigid lorry planners, dispatch, accounts and supply to ensure the timely and profitable delivery of fuel.

**Key achievements:**

- Learnt the job in a few weeks during 'fuel-crisis' as 1 of 4 staff of what should have been a team of 8
- Growing and maximising portfolio profitability
- Representing Watsons at Royal Cornwall Show 2023
- Singled out for my contagious enthusiasm
- Trained as fire marshal

*Senior Client Manager / Digital Marketing – morphsites web development agency*

April 2017 – January 2022

I first developed my interest in code / programming in this role where I sold websites and digital marketing services to new and existing customers while looking after a small portfolio. This job required me to visit clients or take their calls to discuss their requirements. After I had discussed their business, goals and plans, I liaised with various developers, designers and other specialists so that I could write detailed website specifications and proposals in jargon-free 'English' so non-tech savvy people could understand it.

**Key achievements:**

- Sale of many projects including websites up to £50k
- Digital Marketing
- Clients bought into my positivity, enthusiasm and honesty
- Over £360,000 in sales over 2 years