

## **DETAILS:**

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## **ONLINE RESUME:**

<https://richardjohnnowell.github.io/Resume/index.html>

A four page website showing different aspects of my life in a much more rewarding format. Built & designed by me, it offers a much improved overview than 'paper CVs'. Original template from The Code Institute on GitHub.



## **MY SKILLS:**

**Front end:** HTML5, CSS3, JavaScript ES6, Python3, C#, COBOL.

**Back end:** Python3 Flask and Django using ElephantSQL and Postgres, AWS Cloud Practitioner Essentials certificate.

**Various:** Microsoft VSCode, GitPod, GIMP, Heroku, Linux, Python IDLE, Steinberg Nuendo and Wavelab, Magix Soundforge, Libre Office, DB Browser for SQL.

## **EMPLOYMENT:**

2013 – 2020:

Self-employed woodworker for a variety of clients, mainly domestic.

2008 – 2012:

English Language Teaching at Oxford Intensive School of English (OISE). Similar at Bristol Language Centre (BLC).

2001 – 2007:

Music producer and record company head for Feel The Quality Records and Dub Direct Records. Released 6 cds.

1993 – 2001:

Studio Design and Build.

1988 – 1992:

Woodworking business. Set up Dragon Decorative Crafts with bursary from Princes Youth Business Trust (£1500).

1984 – 1987:

Various woodwork jobs including Willsbridge Mill, a Bristol nature reserve.

## **EDUCATION:**

April 2024 – ongoing:

Skills Network – Level 3 Cyber Security Technician.

September 2022 – September 2023:

Student at City of Bristol College studying Code Institute Full Stack Diploma.

April 2022 – May 2022:  
Student on Open University course:  
“Introduction to cyber security – stay safe online”.  
Awarded an OU badge.

January 2022 – March 2022:  
Student at City of Bristol College studying beginner’s Python  
(evening class).

October 2021 – December 2021:  
online course in C# from Destin Learning.

January 2008 – April 2008:  
Student at City of Bristol College.  
studied Certificate in Teaching English to Speakers of Other  
Languages.  
Passed as a TEFL teacher.

September 1992 – February 1993:  
Student City and Guilds Bristol Training Centre  
studied COBOL and BASIC.  
Passed City & Guilds.

June 1987 – December 1987:  
Student City and Guilds Bristol Training Centre.  
Carpentry and Joinery.  
Passed City and Guilds.

September 1982 – January 1983:  
student City of Norwich Technical College.  
‘A’ level courses - left after 2 terms.

September 1979 – July 1982:  
pupil at the Norwich (King Edward VI) School.  
Left with 6 ‘O’ levels.

September 1974 – July 1979:  
Pupil at Town Close House Preparatory School, Norwich.  
Left with Common Entrance to the Norwich School.

September 1971 – July 1974:  
Pupil at primary school in Wymondham, Norfolk.

## **INTERESTS:**

### **Astronomy:**

35 Supernovae discoveries.  
<https://ui.adsabs.harvard.edu/>  
author: Nowell, R.

### **Scientific acknowledgements:**

Galaxy Zoo Green Peas: discovery of a class of compact extremely star-forming galaxies.  
<https://ui.adsabs.harvard.edu/abs/2009MNRAS.399.1191C/abstract>

Gems of the Galaxy Zoos – A Wide-ranging Hubble Space Telescope Gap-filler Program.  
<https://iopscience.iop.org/article/10.3847/1538-3881/ac517d>

Reinventing Discovery: The New Era of Networked Science  
Michael Nielson, Princeton University Press, 2011.  
ISBN 978-0-691-14890-8.  
<https://press.princeton.edu/books/paperback/9780691160191/reinventing-discovery>

### **Music:**

I play the piano and the guitar. I have played professionally and can use and program a large range of synthesisers. I am at home in a recording studio environment and have recorded, produced and released the contents of 5 cds.

I continue to play in a duo with a saxophone player but we haven't gone out post-COVID.

**Wikipedia:** I've started half-a-dozen articles and made over 4000 edits:  
[https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/User:Richard\\_Nowell](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/User:Richard_Nowell)