

# Steve Van

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## EDUCATION

### University Of Sheffield

*Computer Science (Artificial Intelligence) with an Industrial Placement Year BSc*

### Solihull Sixth Form College

*Maths, Computer Science, IT (A,A\*,D\*)*

South Yorkshire, England

*September. 2023 – Current*

West Midlands, England

*Sep. 2020 – June 2022*

## EXPERIENCE

### Social Secretary For Filipino Society

*University Of Sheffield*

June 2024 – Present

*South Yorkshire,England*

- Managed event promotions,outreach, and member engagement across various social media platforms, achieving a 15% increase across platforms
- Played a key role in enhancing the society's presence on campus by planning social gatherings, and collaborative events with other student societies
- Strengthened my organizational,communication and leadership skills through active coordination of team efforts and planning

### Global Engineering Week, EWB Engineering for People Design Challenge

*University Of Sheffield*

Feb. 2024 – Feb. 2024

*South Yorkshire,England*

- Led a multidisciplinary team of six members to develop a solution, addressing deforestation in the Pu Ngaol region, utilizing sound sensors to detect illegal logging.
- Achieved 90% grade through collaboration with team members from various STEM fields, providing constructive feedback and shared accountability
- Improved my public speaking skills, ensuring smooth communication between my colleagues during the duration of the project
- Gained valuable real-world experience in project management and cross-functional collaboration, offering a preview of the dynamics and challenges faced in the industry

### Fujitsu WorkX Virtual Experience Program

*Fujitsu, SpringPod*

Feb 2022 – Feb 2022

*Birmingham*

- Simulated real-life work scenarios, strengthening my knowledge in certain practices like Cybersecurity and Quantum Computing
- Effectively managed time to balance academic responsibilities with the demands of the program
- Applied Knowledge from different webinars by completing interactive exercises and quizzes

### Customer Service Receptionist

*Rosa Nails And Beauty*

Mar. 2018 – July 2023

*Birmingham*

- Addressed and resolved customer inquiries, ensuring a high level of service satisfaction
- Scheduled appointments and coordinated dates for incoming customer requests efficiently
- Managed customer requests and facilitated smooth business operations during working hours.

## PROJECTS

### Story Sharing Platform | *Ruby, Sinatra,Git, HTML, CSS, SQLite3*

Feb. 2024 – June 2024

- Developed a full-stack web application, allowing users to share and read stories using *Ruby* with the *Sinatra Framework*
- Implemented SQLite for database management, handling user data,story content and comments.
- Used **Git** as the version control system to collaborate with fellow team members
- Designed and implemented key features such as **user authentication**, **story submission** and **commenting** using routes

### Aim Trainer | *Unity,C#,MySQL,PHP*

Sep. 2019 – May 2020

- Developed a 3D aim training game using Unity and C#, designed to improve players' accuracy and reaction time through interactive, point-based tasks

- Created 3D models for in-game objects that players interact with to accumulate points, improving gameplay engagement
- Engineered the back-end using PHP and MySQL to handle user authentication and log player performance data.
- Stored end game results in a MySQL database, utilizing this data to provide personalized training recommendations aimed at improving player performance

#### **Spotify Chart/Dashboard** | *Java, JUnit, Gradle*

Feb. 2024 – June 2024

- Created a UI which displayed the top 500 most listened too songs on Spotify
- Implemented various tests using **JUnit** to ensure functionality of the program

#### TECHNICAL SKILLS

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**Languages:** Java, Python, C/C++, SQL, JavaScript, HTML/CSS, Ruby

**Frameworks:** React, Sinatra, JUnit, WordPress,

**Developer Tools:** Git, VS Code, Visual Studio, PyCharm, IntelliJ, Eclipse, Gradle

**Libraries:** pandas, NumPy, Matplotlib