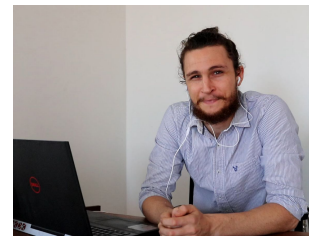# LEONARD VAN RIEL

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📍 Barranquilla, Colombia   Ⓢ Skype: lenny044

OBJECTIVE

To secure an entry-level position in a professional environment, to challenge myself, expand my knowledge and abilities and utilise my skills as a software developer, building websites and/or applications while learning the intricacies of working with a development team to contribute to the growth of the company.

EXPERIENCE

English Language Teacher

Likeshuo

📅 2018-present   🧑‍🏫 Remote

Teaching English via an online platform, assisting learnings with conversational fluency, grammar, vocabulary and pronunciation (levels A1-C2). Evaluation of student performance after classes, providing constructive feedback and suggestions for improvement.

English Language Teacher

GLN

📅 2017-2018   📍 Keangnam, Hanoi

ESL teaching of learners ranging from teens to adults. Involvement in the 2017 Summer programme.

English Language Teacher

American Academy (AMES)

📅 2016-2017   🧑‍🏫 Hanoi

ESL teaching of learners from age five to teenagers. A heavy focus on developing the key skills of speaking, listening and grammar, with a philosophy of learning through fun, engaging activities.

Elementary Classroom Teacher / Adult ESL Teacher

Singapore Helm Institute of Education (SHINE)

📅 2015   🧑‍🏫 Siem Reap, Cambodia

During the daytime, teaching students ages 9-11. Each evening, conducting adult conversational English lessons at the beginner-intermediate level.

EDUCATION

IELTS Practical Teaching Methodology

The British Council, Hanoi

📅 2017

TEFL 120 Hours

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📅 2014

Diploma Musical Performing Arts (Guitar)

The Campus of Performing Arts (COPA), Cape Town

📅 2013

Diploma Electrical Engineering

Boland College, Western Cape

📅 2006

ONLINE COURSES

Modern React Bootcamp (Hooks, Context, Next, Router) (40 hours)

UDemy

📅 In Progress

Complete C# Unity Developer (35 Hours)

UDemy

📅 In Progress

Complete Javascript (30 hours)

UDemy

📅 2019

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Elementary Classroom Teacher

Smart Kids International School

📅 2014-2015 📍 Siem Reap, Cambodia

An academic year spent as the international classroom teacher for students ranging in age from 9-11. Responsibilities extended to include teaching of math, science, arts and crafts, music, and health.

English Language Teacher (Part-Time)

Future Bright International School

📅 2014 📍 Siem Reap, Cambodia

Musician / Music Tutor

Various

📅 2011-2014 📍 Dubai / South Africa

After years of studying guitar independently, I became a professional musician, playing in numerous bands, mostly cover projects, from your everyday bar gigs to corporate functions. In 2011, travelled to Dubai for 6 months to play nightly at The Metropolitan Hotel as part of a house band, performing all genres of music in a formal setting. Upon returning to South Africa, performing with bands, building experience as a professional musician and tutoring young guitarists privately.

Electrical Technician & Audio/Visual Systems Installer

Chameleon Technologies

📅 2010-2011 📍 Cape Town, South Africa

Electrical Technician

Hermanus Electrical

📅 2008-2010 📍 Hermanus, South Africa

Apprentice Electrician

Island Electrical

📅 2007-2008 📍 Hermanus, South Africa

Javascript Algorithms and Data Structures Certification (300 hours)

Free Code Camp

📅 2019

Responsive Web Design Certification (300 hours)

Free Code Camp

📅 2019

AREAS OF EXPERTISE

Music
Guitar / Piano / Composition

Technology
IT literate / Web Development / Game Development

Lesson Planning
Differentiation / Assessment-aligned

Administration
Record Keeping / Databases / Parent Communication

Languages
English (Native)
Afrikaans (Proficient)
French (Elementary)
Spanish (Elementary)

INTERESTS

Music / Surfing / Photography / Travelling / Video Games / Computer Programming / Nature / Health and Fitness / Documentaries