

# Sergiu Tripon | Curriculum Vitae

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*"You miss 100% of the shots you don't take."  
Wayne Gretzky*

An ambitious and enthusiastic Computer Science graduate with core strengths including a strong analytical ability, excellent communication and organisational skills, and an interest for the way effective digital solutions evolve. Currently seeking new opportunities in web-related roles following the completion of a BSc in Computer Science from City University London (now City, University of London) and an MSc in Web Science and Big Data Analytics from University College London.

## Education

### University College London

London, UK

*MSc in Web Science & Big Data Analytics*

*Sep 15' – Sep 16'*

Modules taken throughout the course: Complex Networks and Web, Statistical Natural Language Processing, Understanding Usability and Use, Distributed Systems and Security, Web Economics, Information Retrieval and Data Mining, Interaction Design, Multimedia Systems, MSc Thesis Project

### City University London (now City, University of London)

London, UK

*BSc in Computer Science, Upper Second Class (2:1)*

*Sep 11' – Jun 15'*

Modules taken throughout the course: Computation & Reasoning, Mathematics for Computing, Software Engineering, Systems Architecture, Programming in Java, Business Systems, Data Structure & Algorithms, Functional Programming, Language Processors, Networks & Operating Systems, Object-Oriented Analysis and Design, Professional Development in IT, Team Project, Human Computer Interaction, Management of Information Technology, Cognition and Technologies, Theory of Computation, Project Management, Individual Project

### Barnet College (now Barnet and Southgate College)

London, UK

*BTEC National Diploma IT Practitioners, Triple Distinction (DDD)*

*Sep 09' – Jun 11'*

## MSc Thesis Project

**title:** Clustering of EPSRC research topics and researchers: *using a network analysis approach based on grant data*

**supervisors:** Dr. Shi Zhou, Senior Lecturer, University College London

**description:** A novel approach based on graph theory employed to identify coherent clusters of research topics and researchers in historical and current grant data collected from EPSRC

## BSc Individual Project

**title:** Student Portal: *an application for student access to university-related resources*

**supervisors:** Dr. Vladimir Stankovic, Lecturer, City, University of London

**description:** A fully responsive web application which allows university students to access university-related resources

## Experience

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### Arsenal F.C.

*Casual Matchday Steward*

**London, UK**

*Oct 15' – Present*

Key Responsibilities:

- manage, monitor and control crowds safely;
- monitoring exit gates, lifts & staircases;
- manage conflict and queue management;
- offer fans and guests exceptional matchday experience;

### PSI2000 Limited

*Support and Software Testing Apprentice*

**London, UK**

*Jul 13' – Apr 15'*

Key Responsibilities:

- creating a number of email-based workflows which radically improved the efficiency of opening and closing support calls and responding to client requests within Microsoft Dynamics CRM;
- creating a number of reports using the Telerik Reporting module within Visual Studio;
- installing and configuring software applications;
- prioritising and managing many open cases at one time;

### PSI2000 Limited

*Marketing Assistant Apprentice*

**London, UK**

*Mar 14' – Jul 14'*

Key Responsibilities:

- full re-design of the PSI2000 public website using Microsoft SharePoint;
- created branding materials for a number of applications using Adobe Photoshop;
- created a number of animated videos that were used on the website and for marketing purposes using PowToon and Camtasia Studio;

## Volunteering.....

### Interact Magazine

*Writer and Photographer*

**London, UK**

*Jan 12' – Apr 12'*

Key Responsibilities:

- working as part of a team to produce, a popular magazine that is distributed across London;
- visited the Olympic Site in Stratford, and took a number of photographs of different tourist attractions;
- conducted extensive research relating to the London Olympics;
- demonstrated organisational skills by attending team meetings and participated in another charity side project of the magazine regarding photography;

## Technical skills

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**Programming Languages:** PHP, JavaScript, HTML, CSS, Sass, SQL, MySQL, Python, Java, Scala, C, Visual Basic, Ruby

**IDEs:** JetBrains (PhpStorm, WebStorm, PyCharm, IntelliJ IDEA), Microsoft Visual Studio, Eclipse

**Software Development Methods:** Scrum, Agile, Waterfall

**Version Control:** Git, GitHub, Bitbucket, Visual Studio Online

**Cloud apps:** Microsoft (Dynamics CRM, Office365, SharePoint)

**Desktop Applications:** Microsoft (Word, Excel, PowerPoint, Outlook), Gephi

**Operating Systems:** Linux, Microsoft Windows, Apple Mac OS X

**Graphic Design & Video Animation:** Adobe Photoshop, Gimp, Flash, Powtoon, Camtasia Studio

**Other:** Bootstrap, Jekyll, GitHub Pages, Grunt, Disqus, Google (Analytics, Webmaster Tools, Search Console), LaTeX, Telerik Reporting Tools

## Projects

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- PSI2000 Public Website
- PSI2000 Marketing Videos
- Graphic Design Portfolio
- Photography Portfolio
- Student Portal (BSc Individual Project)
- Coach Me! Promotional Video
- Interact Magazine Article

## Languages

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**Romanian:** Native proficiency

**English:** Full professional proficiency

**Spanish:** Elementary proficiency

## Interests and activities

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**City University London (now City, University of London):** Computer & Games Society, Men's 1st and 2nd Football Team, Romanian Society

**University College London:** Technology Society

**Extracurricular:** Learning anything new, technology, video games, sports, music, film, photography, history, politics, travel, world's cultures & cuisines

## Links

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- LinkedIn
- GitHub
- Behance
- Stack Overflow
- Facebook
- Twitter
- Youtube
- Vimeo

## References

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