Alex Kingsley

PERSONAL STATEMENT

A Computer Systems Engineering Graduate that gained a passion for technology at a young age. Looking to push my problem-solving abilities to their limits and searching for positions that provide opportunities to do so. My hobbies include piano, video editing, graphic design, and gaming. I am a creative, driven programmer who is always looking for new ways to learn and tackle challenges.

TECHNICAL SKILLS

Java, JavaScript, Python, C, C#, HTML/CSS, MATLAB, BASH/Linux, LaTeX, Verilog, Object Oriented Design Principles, Unit Testing

EDUCATION

University of Warwick

Sept 2018 – July 2021

Computer Systems Engineering (BEng) 2:1

Forest School

Sept 2011 – July 2018

A Levels (A*A*A*AA): Maths, Physics, Extended Project Qualification (Full Marks), Computer Science, Further Maths. 10 GCSEs including Maths, English, and Sciences (5A*s, 5As)

PROJECTS

Al that competes in Super Smash Bros. Melee (3rd Year Project)

- Built an Artificial Intelligence system that plays the game at human expert level
- Developed a suite of **Unit tests**, tested different AI frameworks to implement in **Python**

Derivative trading system

- Programmed using react.js. Produced an intuitive user-interface.
- This project required communication, organisation, and management skills to ensure a
 healthy development cycle and an excellent interface between front and back-end systems.

Space Invaders designed on an FPGA

- Programmed a Space-Invaders variant using Verilog for an Nexys4DDR FPGA Board.
- Clock synchronisation, pixel management, image translation, look-up table manipulation.

2D Multi-Player Capture the Flag Game for Android Devices

- Designed and implemented the levels and game environment as part of a 2-person project.
- Achieved good customer communication to ensure project success.

EXPERIENCE

IT Consultant for SAMAFAL

June 2018 – Present

- Managed and upgraded the systems and business software used through:
 - Analysing the needs of the client and their software's performance demands.
 - o Isolating key devices that were responsible for business productivity bottlenecks.
 - o Balancing the budget provided to the system and software upgrades necessary.
- Trained employees to recognise, prevent and handle cyber threats. This included:
 - o Phishing email identification, password safety, handling social engineering attempts.
- Strengthened business cyber security by
 - o Monitored workforce information channels for malicious activity.
 - o Identified and sourced the best cyber security tools for the client's needs.
 - o Handled the security of company backup systems, data and network access.

Freelance Video Editor and Graphic Designer

May 2019 - Present

- Created videos which have garnered 50,000 social media impressions.
- Commissioned to design graphics and edit videos for multiple streamers.
- Designed weekly tournament graphics