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EDUCATION

- 2013 – 2016 **BA Hons English, Balliol College, University of Oxford**
- First year exam results: 2.1 (65 average)
 - Researched and delivered on time twelve 3,000 word essays on new topics in each eight week term for discussion with peers and leading academics
- 2006 – 2013 **St John's School, Milton Keynes**
- A levels: French A*, English A*, Chemistry A, Geography A
GCSEs: 5 A*, 3 A, 1 B including A* in English and Maths

RELEVANT EXPERIENCE

- 2015 **Organic Farm WWOOF Volunteer, Haute Vienne, France (summer)**
- Independently planned and organised two months' work in France
 - Improved to near-fluent French, while learning food production chain process
 - Developed good working relationships with 22 colleagues from 12 countries
- 2015 **Team Leader, The Student Consultancy, Oxford University (8 weeks)**
- Led a team of five students to develop marketing strategy for local start-up
 - Designed and executed paper and phone surveys, engaging 250 participants
 - Presented recommendations to client; all implemented within 3 months and delivering 20% increase in sales within 6 months
- 2014 **Market Research Assistant, EGM Analysis (1 month internship)**
- Produced eight accurate data tables to summarise previous field activities using SPSS
 - Presented daily key data summary to managers with a colleague
 - Developed knowledge and interest in marketing and consumer goods
- 2013 **Customer Assistant, Pies-R-Us (part-time summer work)**
- Communicated in a professional manner with up to 80 customers per day
 - Maintained positivity in high-pressure service environment
- 2011-14 **Data Entry Clerk, Milton Keynes Hospital (part-time holiday work)**
- Developed administrative skills, and understanding of organisational processes
 - Ensured accurate classification of records and meticulous proof reading
 - Liaised with six hospital departments to compile datasets to tight deadlines

OTHER SKILLS AND INTERESTS

- Languages:** English – native; French – near-fluent; German – conversational
- IT:** Proficient in Excel and SPSS, WordPress, InDesign and MS Office
- Music:** Lead clarinettist in Milton Keynes Youth Band; member of National Youth Orchestra
Marketing Officer for Balliol College wind ensemble. Promoted concerts and managed ticket sales, increasing audience numbers by 30% in the first year
- Sport:** Balliol College football team; training twice a week
Captain of St John's School women's football team (under 18s)
- Travel:** Extensive travel throughout Europe, including organising work placement in France