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Junior Full-Stack Developer, London

A foodie who has a knack for puzzle-solving and creating innovative solutions to problems. Since childhood, the world of creating has always fascinated me - I'd always be annoying my mum by cutting things out from her magazines, scribbling onto them, or creating collages to make something of my own.

Learning some python in high school briefly taught me how to do this digitally, whilst also solving problems; this brought me so much joy but I never had the courage to pursue it. Now, I've taken the leap and left my job to revisit my love of coding and pursue a career where I can apply my logical problem-solving skills! :)

★ Experience

*Full-stack Developer, School of Code
(Bootcamp)
March 2023 - July 2023*

I was selected from over 8,000 applicants and completed an intensive 16 week full-stack software development bootcamp.

This bootcamp involved gaining expertise in front and back-end development, API and data management, and testing and debugging as well as agile methodologies, critical thinking, and professionalism.

★ Toolbox

JavaScript, TypeScript, HTML, CSS, Git, GitHub, Figma, React, Node.js, Express.js, PostgreSQL, Jest, Playwright

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★ Projects

*NUDGE, an app that
distracts you from your distractions!*

[FRONT-END REPOSITORY](#)

[BACK-END REPOSITORY](#)

Over the course of 5 weeks, myself and my team of 6, came together to address real-world issues that impact our society.

Through brainstorming and discussion, we identified students' lack of motivation to study. In response, we developed an app to empower individuals and prompt them to revise consistently and implementing the social aspect of competing with friends, in attempt of making revision more fun!

The app gamifies getting started with your work by sending a 'nudge' at random, where the user has a short time to respond to the NUDGE notification. By responding to this notification, you'll be taken to a quiz and if completed in time, you'll earn some points!

We managed daily team stand-ups, clear branching strategies with GitHub, along with pair programming and team collaboration. We designed this project keeping UI and UX in mind.



★ Education

St Dominic's Sixth Form College

September 2019 - May 2021

3 A-Levels

Sacred Heart Language College

September 2014 - May 2019

9 GCSEs, including English Language (9),
English Literature (8), Maths (6) and Science
(7)

★ Other Experience

Sales-Assistant, Lush

Cosmetics (Oxford Street)

December 2021 - February 2023

In my role at Lush, I excelled in creating positive customer experiences through personalised consultations, product demonstrations, and sales.

Working in a fast-paced environment has taught me the importance of balancing high-quality service with efficiency. I developed effective communication skills and a knack for understanding customer needs.

These experiences have equipped me with valuable skills for the world of tech, such as problem-solving, adaptability, collaboration, attention to detail, and a customer-centric mindset.

Moreover, my time at Lush has imbued me with a special talent for infusing cheerfulness and positivity into every customer interaction, creating memorable experiences and fostering lasting brand loyalty.

We also had the amazing opportunity to talk about our final application on the Binance webinar, where we discussed our journey of learning and getting to know each other!

<https://www.binance.com/en/live/video?roomId=2150403>

My Website/Portfolio

<https://aislingbsmith.netlify.app/>

Built with React.js and designed using CSS. I'm currently creating another application using Next.js and Tailwind CSS to understand the benefits of these languages.

