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I am a creative and driven Software Developer with an eye for detail. During my time at Northcoders I have pair-programmed with many individuals from various backgrounds, this has encouraged me to be a keen listener and made me express my views with clarity and precision. I have learnt the value of patience and diplomatic communication after becoming a parent. Living in different parts of the world has taught me to value diversity.

SKILLS

Languages: *Javascript | JAVA*

Back End: *Node.js | Express |*

Database Management: *PostgreSQL*

Hosting: *Heroku*

Front End:

Testing: *Jest, Supertests*

Other: *Pair programming | Test-driven development | GitHub*

Educational Background

- **An introduction to arts** Lasalle College of Arts, Singapore 2009-2010
- **Bachelors of Engineering** VTU, Bangalore India 2002-2006
- 'A' Level from Vijay Composite, Bangalore India 2000-2002
- 'O' Level from SKCH, Bangalore India (Graduated in 2000)

Coding Bootcamp at NorthCoders

Manchester UK in March 2021- June 2021

- Able to understand Object Oriented Programming
  - git clone https://github.com/bavsac/fun-pokemon-battler
- Able to set up the back end program
  - git clone https://github.com/bavsac/be-mitchs-rare-treasures
- Comfortable with using PostgreSQL and node-postgres.
  - git clone https://github.com/bavsac/be-rated-restaurants
- Able to build REST API
  - git clone https://github.com/bavsac/be-pg-theme-parks
- able to build full stack programs
  - Backend: git clone https://github.com/bavsac/be-nc-news
  - Hosting: https://samachara.herokuapp.com/api
  - FrontEnd:
- Experience in Pair programming

Stone Aura,
Singapore Aug 2010–present, Founder and Sole Proprietor

- Regularly set up trade shows and had an online presence
- Established a consistent clientele of 100+ customers via word of mouth marketing and setting up pop up stalls
- Traveled to Jaipur to purchase carnelian, agates and other semi-precious stones directly from the mining company
- Effective communication with clients and venders to enable sales and procure materials
- This involves evolving, researching and acquiring new skills as needed and to be creative with available resources.
- Conducted a workshop for secondary students about setting up and running small scale enterprises.

Managed Moves
(Moved to Dallas, TX in Feb 2016 and Moved to UK in June 2016)

- Handled the logistics of the move and setting up of our home both times.
- Finding the right place for us as a family and handling the application for the home loan in UK

June Rose Webb,
Singapore Aug 2012- Jan 2013, Special Needs Educational Coach

- Supported one of her students who was completing their 'A' level in mathematics

Ergo Spaces Ptv Ltd,
Bangalore, India 2007–2010 http://www.ergospaces.net

- Co-ordinated different internal departments and external IT vendor during Enterprise
- Resource Planning software deployment
- Negotiated purchases from Chinese and Singapore suppliers for the company

Mudra Infotech Ptv Ltd,
Bangalore, Nov 2005–Sept 2006 India Intern http://mudrainfotech.in/

- Worked in a team of 5 interns to design, code and deploy an internal communication system in Java

Volunteering

- *Regularly support the PTA at Hartford Primary School for the events they host.*
- *Volunteered at an old age home to help distribute food and essentials in Bangalore, India.*
- *Volunteered to teach young kids from less aided backgrounds at a small government school in Bangalore,India*

Hobbies

- *Love working with my hands, this helped me expand my creativity and has always been a part of my life. Also gave me the confidence to try new things*
- *Painting and creating art for my family, friends and self. Worked on different mediums like charcoal on paper, water paints on paper, acrylic on canvas, acrylic on wood and really enjoy experimenting with other mediums*
- *Making Pottery, hand building asian teapots, cups, vases, dishes and other ornamental pieces*
- *Enjoy cooking different cuisines and like experimenting with baking and new flavour profiles.*

Other

- *Conversent in Kannada, Hindi and Telugu.*