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Professional Profile:

An enthusiastic and eager individual who is looking to translate their valuable skills into a career in software development. Skills of which have been obtained through years of dedication to education and working experiences. A creative thinker who takes on in-depth research to strategically overcome problems with a user-centered approach. Doesn't shy away from pressure and isn't afraid to put in work, out of hours to learn/ and achieve a more than satisfactory end-product.

Qualifications:

The University of Manchester Coding Boot Camp | University of Manchester, 2020 – Present

Upon successful completion, I will have gained real-world developer experience by covering several programming languages during the program. Throughout, I'll have been exposed to robust tutorials with the latest web development technologies and frameworks that include but are not limited to:

- HTML5
- CSS3
- Node.js
- JavaScript
- MERN Stack
- Java Back-End Design
- React.js

BSc Transport Product Design, Upper Second-Class Honors (2:1) | Aston University, 2016 – 2019

An application led program that uses a provision of Core case studies and projects, majority of which are team based that simulate the actual work of product development. Gaining a thorough understanding of fundamental engineering principles as well as practical skills. The program is a mixture of both basic engineering and product design.

A- levels: IT (D*) Graphic Design (D) Applied Science (C) | King David Sixth Form, 2013 - 2016

10 GCSE's: Grades A-C including English & Mathematics | King David High School, 2011 - 2013

IT Skills:

Proficient in Microsoft Office

Proficient in Adobe Creative Suite

Work Experience:

September 2020 – Present ITPS | Head of Digital

June 2019 – September 2020 ITPS | Graphic/Web Designer

Completed the companies rebranding, self-teaching myself html and CSS in order to convert designs into responsive, user friendly interfaces. Simultaneously communicating with a Magento developer to achieve the director's vision, as well as carrying out administrative tasks.

Sept 2018 – Sept 2018 Orbit Group | Competition Winner

During my undergraduate studies I participated as part of team to address the affordability crisis of housing by developing alternative 'homes' for first time buyers; answering the question, 'what does 'zero-based' living look like?'. The solution was to create a modular block of apartments, with removal wall panels and set plans for desired size, furniture and appliances. Throughout the week we worked with Orbit Groups Head of Design Standards gaining valuable feedback on our work, leading to my team winning the competition.

June 2018 – September 2018 Dukes 92 | Waiter

May 2017 – September 2017 Victoria Warehouse | Hospitality

August 2015 – September 2016 YO! Sushi | Waiter

Honing my interpersonal skills, working both solely and within a team to surpass targets. Demonstrating excellent customer service and satisfaction by exceeding guests' expectations.

September 2013 – May 2015 TK Maxx | Sales Associate

Kept on after Christmas temp employment having proven my commitment to carrying out the role to the best of my ability. Responsible for training new staff members as well as taking control of various areas in order to ensure sales targets were met.

Interests:

- All things design
- Gym and fitness