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Summary

I am a confident, driven and pragmatic individual who aims to achieve his goals with the utmost energy, passion and dedication. I take initiative and strive to go above and beyond the call of duty wherever possible. I am a good communicator and work well as part of a team whilst also having experience leading small teams in both the fitness and hospitality industry.

I started learning to code in February 2017 and have been developing my skills since then to get into web development. I am excited by the prospect of working with more experienced developers to gain more knowledge, become familiar with industry best practices and learn about the hurdles involved in larger projects. I aspire to be a Full Stack Developer, preferably working with the MEAN/MERN stack as I really enjoy working with Javascript and have dedicated a substantial portion of my time to understanding its inner workings. For a more comprehensive description of my coding journey, please see the bio section on my portfolio website.

Skills & Expertise

HTML5, CSS3, Sass, Javascript (ES6), MySQL, PHP, NodeJS, Bootstrap 4, APIs, Git/Github.

Work Experience

Gym & Spa Supervisor - Motive8 (One Tower Bridge, August '16 - September '17)

In the supervisory role I collaborated with contractors, senior management and the estate director to ensure the health club at the prestigious One Tower Bridge site was run smoothly and effectively. Amongst a variety of other responsibilities, I was expected to conduct internal health & safety audits, hire and train new staff, complete weekly sales reports, order stock and equipment for the site and compose monthly rotas and payroll.

Gym & Spa Operative - Motive8 (Beaufort Park, April '15 - August '16)

My duties included ensuring the upkeep of the entire facility, promotion and running of classes, conducting pool tests, completing inductions for new members and approving new membership requests.

Restaurant Team Leader - Greene King (North London Tavern; August '14 - February '15)

I helped run the restaurant section with the assistant manager. Along with waiting duties, I took bookings, created fortnightly rotas, delegated nightly duties to the waiting staff and cashed up for the restaurant section.

Cocktail Bar Supervisor (Feral Cat Bangor; February '14 - July '14)

In this role I was expected to add variety to the existing cocktail menu as well as provide training for less experienced staff members. I had a great opportunity to work with an architect who was creating a new bar for the owner of Feral Cat. I assisted and advised on topics such as spatial awareness and bar efficiency/functionality (i.e. positioning of sinks, bar taps, bottles etc.)

Other Experience

Voluntary Goalkeeping Coach (Dynamo Youth Football Club; January '15 - August '15)

Research Assistant (Bangor University; September '13 - February '14)

Education & Achievements

- Haverstock Business and Enterprise College, London:

10 GCSEs and 4 A-levels, '02 - '09.

- Bangor University, Wales:

Applied Sport and Exercise Psychology MSc, Merit, '13 - '14.

Sport Science BSc, First Class Degree, '10 - '13;

Blues Award (Competing for Great Britain University Handball Team).

- Udemy, Online:

HTML & CSS for Beginners

Javascript Essentials

Javascript - Understanding the weird parts

The Complete Web Developer Course

Learn and Understand NodeJS

The Complete Node.js Developer Course (In progress)

Advanced CSS and SASS (In progress)

Hobbies & Interests

I try to live an active lifestyle by dedicating a few evenings a week to training or playing sports such as football and handball. I love to play video games with my friends online and have very recently developed a passion for cooking and baking. I also enjoy reading psychology books and articles.