

## **Gareth Paul Breeze**

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Date of Birth 30/7/1993

### Personal Profile

A resourceful, proactive, extremely resolute individual with extensive time management and prioritisation skills. Able to multi task and work well within a team I am able to coordinate resources and workload, to be able to achieve targets with strict deadlines. A problem solver who takes an objective overview and generates workable solutions. Enthusiastic, determined and dynamic. I relish challenges and am a perceptive communicator who leads by example. I also encourage cohesion and dedication through the identification and development of potential. I thoroughly enjoy being part of a successful professional team and thrive in highly pressurised and challenging working environments.

### Additional Skills and Attributes

- Planning, auctioning and evaluating both short and long term programmes and tasks.
- Forward planning and strategy formulation to handle a wide variety of academic tasks and practical work for my degree
- Experienced team worker who has worked as part of a number of teams to work toward a single project
- Proven to meet strict deadlines with constant determination to achieve objectives

### Employment History

September 2015 – Deck Officer Cadet in the Merchant Navy.

This role included working towards the Officer of the Watch (OOW) Certificate of Competency according to the STCW 95 Regulations II/I. This was a structured course which included times at both a maritime college and actually working on board a vessel. The college phases of the course included completing a Foundation Degree in Marine Operations while at a nautical college, this was to learn and to showcase that I understood the job from a theoretical perspective. Also as part of my training at nautical college I had to complete a number of practical short courses which are a requirement to gain a certificate of competency, these included a relevant Fire fighting and First Aid course. Finally as part of

the sea-going phases of the course, I had to complete a Training Book by the MNTB, to show that I had learnt the relevant practical skills required to work on board as an officer on a merchant vessel.

May 2015 – June 2015 Diligenta Postal, Scanning and Records Clerk.

Working for a company that specialises in the provision of business process outsourcing (BPO) for the Life and Pensions industry. This role includes opening and sorting all incoming mail, preparing paperwork so that it can be scanned on to a computer system and other general administration tasks. This role is enhancing my organisational skills, teamwork and problem solving skills. The role also involves a great deal of responsibility as you are dealing with peoples' sensitive documents.

August 2014 – May 2015 Primark Retail Assistant

Worked at Primark (Major retail store) as a retail assistant. This involves serving customers on the tills, helping organise the displays in the store, checking stock levels and handling money. This role enhanced my skills in teamwork and problem solving, and is allowing me to gain skills in customer service and proactive customer communication.

## Education

- South Shields Marine School 2015-2018  
FdSc Marine Operations - Distinction as part of Deck Officer Cadetship
- 120 hour TEFL course by ITTT completed December 2014 -March 2015
- Hull University 2011-2014  
BSc (Hons) Biology (2.1)
- A levels Sawtry Community College 2009-2011  
Biology – C  
Chemistry – C  
Government and Politics – B
- AS Levels 2009-2010  
General Studies – D  
History - D
- FSMQ Maths E Sawtry Community College
- GCSEs Sawtry Community College  
Maths A, English literature C, English language C, Biology A, Chemistry A\*,  
Physics B, History A, Business studies Double Award BB, I.T CLAIT Plus Two  
Passes, Citizenship B

### Hobbies and interests

Learning new skills such as programming

Attending a gym to keep fit

Travelling, sightseeing and walking in the countryside.

Enhancing academic knowledge by reading and researching in general especially history.

Joined the Hull University Ice Hockey Club (HUIHC) in my 3<sup>rd</sup> year at university, and got involved with all aspects of the club.

### References

Available upon request