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## About me.

I am a passionate Junior full stack Developer with a background in event management and marketing, who values writing quality, fully tested, extensible code with TDD and ODD in mind. I strongly value inclusivity, feedback, communication and agile methodologies.

I graduated from Makers Academy, a highly selective 16 week coding bootcamp. My experience at Makers has instilled me with the confidence to follow best coding practices, effectively collaborate with others, and produce full-stack web apps. I have documented my learning journey at the academy, so if you are interested, please feel free to click here.

I am excited to bring my passion, enthusiasm and curiosity to a new role, where I can both improve, learn and diversify my current skillset.

# **Technical Experience & Skills.**

Project	Description	Tech Stack
<u>Recipr</u>	A recipe app made with the MERN stack, allows users to sign up, login in, logout and perform CRUD operations on favourite recipes.	React, Node, Express, MongoDB, Mongoose,
Wormz	Group project at Makers Academy - A 2D browser game that imitates the nostalgic game Worms. Player controls a worm that can jump, switch weapons, and destroy terrain.	Node.js, Matter.js, JavaScript, p5.js, Express, Chai, Mocha
Acebook	Group project at Makers Academy - A Facebook clone that lets users sign up, log in, log out, write and like posts, comment, befriend users and create profiles.	Ruby on Rails, JavaScript, OAuth, Devise

Languages, libraries & frameworks: JavaScript, React, Node.js, Express.js, Ruby, Rails, Sinatra, Redux Databases & testing: MongoDB, PostgreSQL, Jest, Chai, Mocha, Rspec, Capybara, Travis Cl

## Makers Academy - Software Development Course - November 2021 to February 2022 - London, UK

- Required to be an extremely fast learner when working with different individuals and adapting to the needs of others.
- Used agile methodologies to effectively communicate with teams of 4-6 people to produce fully fledged web applications.
- Took ownership of my own learning and time management to fully cover a vast material during 16 weeks of bootcamp.
- Utilised emotional intelligence during stand-ups and pair-programming to assist fellow team members.
- Used attention to detail during debugging whilst relying on TDD.
- Demonstrated leadership skills during daily stand-ups when working on group projects
- Received and gave feedback using code reviews during group projects and pair programming.
- Solved and researched a variety of problems during weekly projects and weekend challenges.

#### Professional Experience.

#### Event Operations Coordinator at Active Communications International (Jan 2019 - Feb 2021) - London, UK

- Managed 45+ B2B events internationally per year across various industries.
- Sourced, appointed, liaised, and managed venues, event contractors and suppliers.
- Created promotional content such as: newsletters, brochures, and documentation packages for each event.

#### Marketing Coordinator at VTB Bank Georgia (Jan 2016 - June 2018) - Tbilisi, Georgia

- Launched a lifestyle program that rewarded customers with entertainment discounts and facilitated 220% jump in loyalty among existing customers.
- Implemented promotional marketing campaigns for various banking products that increased trust towards the bank by 19%, source: IPM Georgia)
- Managed Social Media channels and the internal communications platforms

## Marketing & Branding Executive at Georgian Tourism Board (June 2018 - Jan 2019) - Tbilisi, Georgia

- Developed and monitored marketing campaigns to position Georgia as a popular all-season destination.
- Organised travel exhibitions across Europe, North America, and Asia and held road shows to promote the country.
- Led and monitored both BTL & ATL marketing campaigns on CNN, BBC, Euronews, and National Geographic. resulting in increased inbound tourist traffic by 12% in the 3rd quarter of 2018.

## Education.

## Les Roches-Gruyere, University of Applied Sciences (Sep 2009 to Aug 2013) - Crans Montana, Switzerland

- Hospitality Management and Business Administration with Hons.
- Student Ambassador