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Personal Summary

I am a hardworking individual with strong problem-solving skills qualified with a BSc (Hons) in Computing from the University of the Highlands and Islands. I am passionate about development, creating, and testing. I love the continued learning process tied in collaborating and helping others.

Technical Skills

JavaScript, PHP, HTML, CSS, Tailwind CSS, React.js, Node.js, MySQL, GitHub, AWS, Microsoft Windows, Linux, Microsoft Office, Adobe Photoshop, VMware.

Experience

Digital Support Service Volunteer - Connect Perth (Feb 2021 - Present)

- Responsible for providing digital and tech support to the local community.
- Delivered a presentation that convinced management that cyber security was a topic worth teaching due to users having common problems with fraud and other related issues.
- Designing and producing training guides for users with Microsoft Office and Adobe products.
- Handling personal data while meeting the guidelines of the Data Protection Act
- Scheduling appointments and other admin duties.

ESOL Tech Support Volunteer - Perth College UHI (May 2019 - Apr 2020)

- Helping with technical support that the lecturer and students required.
- Teaching how to use PCs and Laptops, configure settings and solving any technical issues.
- Helping with how to use Microsoft Office.
- Patience and understanding are required due to students not being fluent in English.

IT Support Volunteer - Perth & Kinross Library (May 2018 - Jan 2019)

- Provided Tech support on a weekly basis to a group that consists of children and the elderly.
- Introduced children and adults to coding using Scratch and other resources.

Customer Team Member - The Co-op Food (Jan 2015 - Feb 2018)

- Providing excellent customer care while working quickly and efficiently.
- Helped store to exceed sales targets & generate profit.
- Proceeding all transactions accurately and in a timely manner.
- Answering Customer queries and addressing customer complaints.
- Proven ability to work under pressure and within a team.

Freelance Web Developer - Greigac (Nov 2012 - Dec 2014)

During and after College I developed several websites for local businesses. These ranged from static, dynamic to ecommerce with mobile and social media support. In total I had 4 clients and would help with site maintenance when needed.

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Education

PDA Office Administration & Bookkeeping: Perth College (Sep 2021 to present)

AWS: Solutions Architect; micro-credential; The Open University. (2021)

BSc (Hons) Computing; 2:2; The University of the Highlands and Islands - Perth College. (2008 - 2013)

- Modules included: Database: relational, objects and the web, Web programming, Theoretical computer science, Advanced multi-user operating systems, Designing Web Based Applications, Network Server management, Team project.
- Dissertation: Created a database normalization website application with HTML, CSS, PHP, JavaScript, JSON and database support. The web app was tested by NC, HNC/HND and Degree students who found it useful to helping them learn database normalization.

Activities while studying:

While studying I provided technical support to local clients to earn income during university. This included such things as: Setting up hardware/software, configure software, drivers, and maintaining / repairing equipment.

St Columba's High School, Perth (2001 – 2006)

References - References available on request

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