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Personal Description

I maintain a high standard of work and value what is right above my own success.

You should find me to be a fast learner, honest, adaptable, direct, and responsible.

Qualifications and Skills

I hold a Bachelor of Science majoring in biochemistry, which I obtained from the University of Otago. I then acquired laboratory experience for about 9 months.

I did a few university papers in computer science, including software engineering, advanced web development, and others. More recently, I have upskilled in my free time in a variety of programming disciplines.

Please see my personal website to view some of the projects I have completed: https://ifoulidis.vercel.app/. They showcase the following:

Web development—Next.JS, React, HTML, CSS, Python, etc.

Data analysis—Python analysis.

Mobile development—React Native and Typescript frontend.

You can also visit my GitHub page to see some of my code directly: https://github.com/ifoulidis?tab=repositories (the data analysis code is on my website).

Employment History

I held a position at Sociable as a ghost writer. In that role I produced a novel single-handedly, and edited co-worker's material. Sociable went into hiatus after the founder became CEO of the Queensland Writer's Institute.

For the past few years, I have worked as a Freelance English Editor and Specialist Editor at MDPI.

This requires careful compliance with strict company standards, broad knowledge of scientific and archaic terminology, a meticulous eye, detailed understanding of my specialties (biochemistry, microbiology, chemistry), and quick thinking (productivity-based work).

While in this job, I created a VB macro in my own time to speed up the paper submission process for all other editors, along with simple macros to catch common errors in Word and LaTeX.

I have an excellent record of feedback from my manager, as I have been both a careful editor and 'very reliable' in her words.

Awards

I received a Summer Studentship research scholarship with Sigurd Wilbanks.

In 2018, I was welcomed into the Otago University Biochemistry Department's Honours programme due to my grades.

At school, my team won a national competition, and I won several academic trophies.

Hobbies/Interests

They include reading, writing, playing guitar, Brazilian Jiu Jitsu, and exercise.

References

Please note that I have been a contractor for an overseas company for several years, and I have little contact with others working for the company (highly autonomous work). Hence, these are old references, but they should all have nice things to say about me!

Keerti Shekhawat: 0210311991 (Owner, Subway Grey Street).
Sherree Mead: 0211779716 (Team Leader, Inghams).
Lori-Jay Ellis: lorijay_ellis@yahoo.com (CEO, Queensland Writers Centre).