# Jamie D. Pitts

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First-class honours Computer Science graduate from the University of Birmingham; is experienced in Java, has effective team-working skills, and is highly motivated to develop a career in computing, whilst utilising the latest technologies.

## Personal Information

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#### Education

2011 – 2014

BSc (Hons) in Artificial Intelligence & Computer Science 1:1 (First), University of Birmingham

First class classification in first, second, and third years, achieving a final average of 80%. Modules including;

 $\begin{array}{l} {\rm Machine~Learning~-~87\%} \\ {\rm Introduction~to~AI~-~92\%} \\ {\rm Logic~Programming~-~89\%} \end{array}$ 

Software System Components (Java) - 94%

2009-2011

Sixth Form - Fearnhill Mathematics & Computing College

A Level: Mathematics - Grade A A Level: Computing - Grade A A Level: Physics - Grade B

As Level: Further Mathematics - Grade A

2004 - 2009

Fearnhill Mathematics & Computing College

GCSEs: 9 A\*'s and 3 A's including Maths and English

# Work Experience

2014-present

#### Graduate Developer at British Broadcasting Corporation

Various software development roles, rotating around various areas of the corporation, allowing me to experience different software systems and to learn new skills. Teams worked on:

- $\diamond$  News Back End Systems: Developing the cloud-based back end system that processes all data used by online and red button for the BBC's General Election 2015 coverage
- ♦ News Apps: Team set up to create and maintain the BBC news mobile applications. I worked as part of the Android development team, where I created and integrated Android Wear functionality into the main app, and also helped to fix bugs, and add features on to the main app.

2010-2014

#### Customer Advisor at Argos

Working at different positions in the store, including; till work, stock picking, customer service, handing out catalogues, and deliveries.

2006–2008 | Student ICT Technician (Volunteer)
Helping students and staff with any computer related problems, general computer maintenance.

2004–2010 | Paper Round

# **Technical Skills**

Android, Amazon Web Services, Cucumber, Continuous Integration, CSS, Espresso, Git, Gradle, HTML, Java, JavaScript, Jackson, JAXB, JSON, JUnit, LaTeX, MarkLogic, Maven, MySQL, OCaml, PostgreSQL, Prolog, RESTful APIs, Scala, Spring, SVN, Unix, Visual Basic, XML, XQuery

#### Achievements

- Recognition Award General Election 2015: Special recognition award for work done on the general election 2015 project
- Best GCSE and AS results in my year at school
- Silver CREST award in engineering and science (2009) for my electronics project at school
- Silver award in the UK mathematics challenge (2009)
- Joint first place in my schools 'national mathematics cipher challenge' team (2010)
- Becoming a Scout young leader
- Receiving my drivers license after passing the test first time, and also gaining the Pass Plus certificate.

### **Hobbies and Interests**

- Strong passion for music; attend many concerts and festivals each year. In university, I was in both the rock and metal societies which I attended meet-ups for weekly
- Have a shared ownership with a horse, which I ride and look after on a regular basis
- Currently learning to play both the drums and guitar
- Learnt the basics of flying an aeroplane whilst in Air Cadets
- Was a member of the 'Computer Science Society' at university, and have a keen interest in technology and the latest technological advances
- An interest in the world of space
- Enjoy watching football; I am a fan member of a Premier League football team, and so attend the stadium frequently to watch matches

### References

References available on request.