JAMES MALVERN

PROFILE

Recent interactive Journalism MA graduate from the City University of London, focusing on data, health and tech. International background with experience living and working in tech and education in Australia, Germany, France and the UK. Regular Journocoder at the News Building. Contributor to Hackney Post and Interhacktives.com. Spent 2018 in the United States and travelling through Colombia, and two months in 2019 in Mexico City.

JOURNALISM EXPERIENCE

SOCIAL MEDIA MANAGER, CITYJS2020 CONFERENCE, LONDON, UK

JUNE 2020 - PRESENT

Organising the five-day virtual JavaScript conference, liaising with speakers and sponsors, planning the online platform format, managing the Twitter account, updating the website (NuxtJS) with content (JSON files), interviewing the speakers for website and social media content. Trello, Slack, Zoom, git + GitHub.

RESEARCHER, ITV NEWS, LONDON, UK JAN 2020

Worked as a researcher for the ITV news programmes Tonight and On Assignment, as well as the Harry & Meghan: A Royal Crisis? until Covid-19. Responsibilities include:

- Researching and fact-checking
- Organising locations for shoots
- Collating data in Excel

BUSINESS ENGLISH TRAINER, NATIXIS INVESTMENT BANK, PARIS, FRANCE – 2013-2014

The business English trainer at Natixis, Paris 13 (47 Quai d'Austerlitz). Helping prepare negotiations/presentations in English for international clients. Working on all floors.

KART MAGAZINE AUSTRALIA 2005/2006

Full-time staff journalist and assistant editor for the national monthly karting magazine (with an international motorsport section), running the website and forum too.

990 6RPH INFORMATION RADIO 2003-2005

Technical producer and on-air announcer whilst also doing my degree.

EDUCATION

CITY UNIVERSITY OF LONDON – INTERACTIVE JOURNALISM MA, 2019/2020 (DISTINCTION)

UNIVERSITY OF WESTERN AUSTRALIA - COMMUNICATION STUDIES, 2003/2005 (2:1)

RUGBY SCHOOL, 1993/1997

SKILLS

Fluent in French, with intermediate German and Spanish.

JOURNALISM

Interviewing

Sub-editing

Radio technical production

Data journalism

SOFTWARE

Audition

Excel

R Studio

TEMI logging software

JavaScript/Python/Ruby coder

Twitter bot creator

HOBBIES & INTERESTS

Politics, education, coding, technology, health, outdoor swimming, languages, surfing

REFERENCES ON REQUEST