# JOE ROBSON

#### CONTACT

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#### **SKILLS**

- Java
- C++
- Python
- C#
- C
- Unix
- Windows
- Quantum Computing (Qiskit)
- Problem Solving
- Planning
- Organizing
- Leadership
- Responsibility
- Positive work ethic
- Diligence
- Self-confidence
- Fundraising techniques
- Creativity
- Excel
- PowerPoint
- Word

### **HOBBIES AND INTERESTS**

- I am greatly interested in and motivated by coding and making video games.
- I created and published a productivity app called 'Paws and Progress'.
- I have been in contact with Dr Uraz Turker at Lancaster University, and have completed a number of Quantum Computing programming challenges to enhance my skillset.
- I excelled in the creation of Poker for my Computer Science NEA.
- Football is one of my main interests.
- I like going to the gym, keeping fit and working out.

I am a polite, confident and pro-active person looking for an internship over the summer while I complete my Computer Science degree at Lancaster University. I am reliable, self-motivated, and good at taking responsibility to get the job done. I have a passion for programming and will do whatever it takes to get a working solution for any problem thrown at me.

#### **EXPERIENCE**

February 2025 - March 2025

## Telephone Fundraiser Lancaster University

- Telephone fundraiser in Lancaster University's annual telethon, fundraising for the Lancaster University Opportunity Fund.
- Part of a team of callers that raised over £160,000 for students from weaker financial backgrounds, enabling them to attend higher education.
- Smashed the campaign's initial goal of £100,000 by £60,000 and became Lancaster University's best ever fundraising team.
- Developed a strong understanding of the fund's priority projects, enabling passionate and informed discussions with potential donors.
- Recorded personalised thank you messages for donors, encouraging long-term support for the fund.

## October 2022-

## **CREW MEMBER** KFC, Basingstoke

- I gained experience in the working world through employment at KFC in the Malls shopping centre, where I improved my interpersonal skills and ability to remain composed in stressful situations in the workplace.
- Presented myself in a positive and professional manner when interacting with customers and colleagues.
- Drove team success by completing allocated tasks quickly and accurately.

### August 2018 - June 2021

## Academy footballer *Aldershot FC*, Aldershot

- In 2018 I was lucky enough to be scouted and invited to play for the Aldershot FC Academy.
- This was a great opportunity, during which I learnt the importance of reliability, diligence, teamwork and a self-driven work ethic, and had the chance to play against top-league academies, such as Fulham and Watford.
- After the first year I was made captain, which helped me to develop my leadership skills and lead a team of talented footballers while continuing to play at a high standard myself.

## **EDUCATION**

2028 (In Progress)

## MSci Hons Computer Science

## LANCASTER UNIVERSITY, Lancaster

• Includes a first year minor in Mathematics

### 2024

### A-Level

## PETER SYMONDS COLLEGE, Winchester

- Computer Science A\*
- Biology A\*
- Mathematics A

## 2022

### **GCSE**

## Testbourne Community School, Whitchurch

• Computer Science- 9 Biology- 9 Chemistry- 9 Physics- 9 Mathematics- 9 English Language- 9 History- 9 English Literature- 8 French- 8 German- 7