# MIHIR THAKKER

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## **SUMMARY**

I started computer programming from my interests in technology as a teenager and want to pursue a career in Programming. I have gained experience in programming for 3 years, worked on various projects using major programming languages and want to challenge myself further. I am extremely passionate, have great interpersonal skills and a resilient problem-solver. I am eager to work in a competitive environment and showcase my technical skills.

#### **EDUCATION**

BSc in Computing and Management | Loughborough University

09/2017 -

- First year in University with high 2:2 overall 57%
- Second year in University with low 2:1 overall 60%
- Predicted to secure high 2:1 at graduation

High School Education | Our Own High School, Dubai

04/2002 - 05/2017

- 80% in AISSCE Year 12 and 92% in AISSE Year 10
- Majored in subjects such as Computer Science, Mathematics, Physics, Chemistry and English

## **WORK EXPERIENCE**

Volunteer | Hassan Event Management, Dubai

06/2017 - 08/2017

- Started as a volunteer and worked my way up to be in charge of managing a team of volunteers and coordinating with the event manager
- My job was to constantly communicate with my colleagues to keep all the operations organised
- I learned to keep up with the fast pace environment, keeping up with demands during the event and keeping everyone coordinated with all changes
- The skills from this work experience helped me gain more soft skills in Software Engineering

## **TECHNICAL SKILLS**

Programming Languages:

Intermediate: VB.Net, Java, Visual Basic, PHP Advanced: Python, JavaScript, MySQL, HTML, CSS

• Database Management Tools: Oracle RDBMS, SQL Server, MS Access, phpMyAdmin

Design & IDE Tools: Jupyter Notebook, Sublime Text, Atom, Eclipse, IntelliJ IDEA

#### **KEY SKILLS**

- Team Player High motivated to work in a team, can contribute my skills and attributes to the team
- Adaptability The ability to quickly adjust to new situations whilst maintaining a high level of performance
- Leadership Through my experience in team projects, I have been the leader of my team to
  make a software based on helpdesk operator service and kept my team organised and on
  track with our objectives through the course of our project.
- Client Management My role in our university project was to talk to client and make sure
  the team gets all the information and requirements they need of the user and system. If
  there were any changes in requirements from the user, it was my duty to keep my team
  updated.

## INTERESTS AND ACHIEVEMENTS

#### **Sports**

- Football: I have participated in tournaments, won trophies with my high school football team and my local club Future Stars FC playing against other schools and clubs in Dubai. Represented my hall William Morris for IMS games in the university.
- Swimming: Represented my high school swimming U16 and U19 team in competitive swimming events in Dubai and won multiple medals in several categories, both individual and team events.

I have my interest in the stock market and trading. I invest my time and money on sports-related markets and have made a very profitable virtual portfolio. I spend my time researching and keeping up with daily activities in these markets, to acquire more knowledge of trading.

#### **ACADEMIC REFERENCE**

The following reference is my academic reference from my academic tutor, Mr. Firat Batmaz.

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