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I am a Full Stack developer with a passion for solving problems, writing clean and easily maintainable code. I have a background in acute medicine as an Emergency Medical Technician and a Critical Care Nurse Specialist. I am a team player but equally work well autonomously. I am motivated, keen to develop and task-driven. I am based in the UK and I am open to hybrid or remote work.

RELEVANT EXPERIENCE

Boolean UK Tech Academy - (11/2021 - 05/2022)

Immersive six month (~900hrs) Full Stack Development program where I learnt technologies including: HTML5, CSS3, Javascript ES6, ReactJS, NodeJS, ExpressJS, SQL, Prisma.

Also developed skills in Unit testing / TDD, Git collaboration, Agile development and Pair programming.

FreeCodeCamp.org - (09/2021 - 10/2021)

“Responsive Web Design Certification” (~300hrs) where I learnt HTML and CSS with elements of semantics, responsiveness and accessibility.

PROJECTS

- **Personal website** - <https://nicotech.dev>
Portfolio style website with implementation of React routing and form submission.
 - Tech stack → HTML, CSS, ReactJS, Netlify
 - GitHub repo → <https://github.com/nicopicchio/nicotech>
- **Full Stack Project** - <https://thecontinentalnetwork.netlify.app/>
Full Stack web app, inspired by the movie “John Wick”. Users can register an account and select the next case they want to work on from a list of real unsolved cases released through the public FBI API.
 - Tech stack → HTML, CSS, ReactJS, REST API, ExpressJS, Prisma, JWT, bcrypt
 - GitHub repo (Client) → <https://github.com/nicopicchio/solo-project-client>
 - GitHub repo (Server) → <https://github.com/nicopicchio/solo-project-server>
- **Website Carbon Footprint Checker** - <https://carbonfootprintchecker.netlify.app/>
Front-end project aimed to develop knowledge in Vue3.
 - Tech stack → HTML, CSS, VueJS
 - GitHub repo → <https://github.com/nicopicchio/carbon-footprint>
- **Training Log - Currently work in progress**
Full Stack MERN project aimed to develop knowledge in ChartJS and NoSQL DBs.
 - Tech stack → CSS, ReactJS, ChartJS, NodeJS, ExpressJS, MongoDB, JWT, bcrypt
 - GitHub client repo → <https://github.com/nicopicchio/training-log-client>
 - GitHub server repo → <https://github.com/nicopicchio/training-log-server>

TECHNICAL SKILLS

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| • HTML5 | • NodeJS | • Prisma |
| • CSS3 | • ExpressJS | • Auth |
| • JavaScript | • Python | • Git |
| • ReactJS | • SQL | • Linux |
| • VueJS | • PostgreSQL | • TDD |
| • ChartJS | • MongoDB | • Agile |
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EDUCATION

University of Eastern Piedmont (Italy) - (10/2010 - 03/2014)

First Class BSc (Hons) in Adult Nursing

WORK EXPERIENCE

University Hospitals of North Midlands NHS Trust - (11/2014 - 08/2021)

Critical Care Nurse Specialist

Working as a part of the multidisciplinary team to provide expert and specialist care to severely ill or critically injured patients through the use of life-sustaining interventions, high-technology medical treatments and specialised electronic monitoring equipment.

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Emergency Medical Technician

Operating, through rapid evaluation and problem solving, as a part of a double-crewed ambulance to assess, triage and provide advanced Pre-hospital emergency medical treatment to critically ill or injured patients in their homes or at the roadside.

SKILLS

Communication

I possess outstanding communication skills where I am adaptable within varied environments to suit all audiences and situations. I am sensitive towards individuals in all aspects of my work with respect for diversity and a secure understanding and commitment to best practice in relation to equality of opportunity. I always ensure that open communication channels are maintained, this includes making time to listen to my colleagues. When communicating I ensure I am direct and seek clarity as required. Consideration for non-verbal communication is just as important as any other communication and often offers an insight into how somebody is feeling without them having to say a word.

Growth mindset

I firmly believe that individual qualities are not a fixed trait and that everyone can learn anything they want as long as they put the effort in. It is important not to get discouraged when things don't go as planned as setbacks are as important as successes, if not more valuable. I review past experiences as they always provide a good platform for me to learn from and consider how to improve practice in the future.