

Peter O'Boyle

Software Developer



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PROFILE

A confident and dynamic individual with a wide variety of work experience dating back to 1999. After enjoying learning a little QBasic as a child and C more recently in an online course, I started a front end developer course with _nology and discovered my passion.

I greatly enjoy the mental stimulation that comes with being challenged and am eager to pursue a full-time career as a developer where I can continuously grow and learn.



LANGUAGES

HTML 5

Sass

Javascript



TOOLS

Git

Jest

Enzyme

Yarn

Bootstrap

React

Firebase

Reach Router

Postman



SKILLS

- Object oriented programming
- Agile software development
- Unit testing
- Authentication/Authorisation
- Source control
- Rest API
- Remote working



JOB EXPERIENCE

Junior Software Developer

_nology

Jan 2020

Apr 2020

I joined the _nology 12 week intensive course specialising in mobile first front end development in order to pursue a career in a field I have been interested in for as long as I can remember, and one where I would be able to challenge and push myself to my potential.

- Worked in collaboration with 13 other students to create a web application for an external client in *React.js*, along with several other solo projects. The client project was entirely pair programmed.
- Expanded on set challenges with my own extensions to explore possibilities and improve the outcome.
- Conceived several personal projects and began developing a game as a long term project.
- Completed code reviews for colleagues before they could merge their work with a master branch on *Github*.
- Liaised with the external client voluntarily in order to form a vital line of communication between *Vojo* and our team.
- Worked remotely for almost half of the course.

Customer Service Advisor

National Grid Ventures

Jan 2015
Jan 2020

My role at National Grid was multi-skilled and included offering a high level of customer service on the phone and via email, training other employees, continuously improving upon existing processes, creating presentations and running reports.

- High scores in performance reviews on customer satisfaction surveys completed by callers.
- Frequently quality checked colleagues work and offered feedback after being given more responsibility due to good work ethic and attention to detail.
- Written and implemented standard operating procedure (SOP) training guides on processes.
- Took part in several community projects and created a "Footprints" team to raise money and awareness about environmental issues, including leading charity events and a seminar. Raised over £1000 for WWF at "The Great and Terrible Unbearding" event (story available upon request!).

Founder and Entertainer

Mad Monkeys

Oct 2011
Oct 2014

I started Mad Monkeys whilst working part time for *Mad Science* which involved presenting unique, entertaining, and educational science based workshops and parties for children in a variety of settings.

- Create several workshops, series and shows. This included writing scripts and manuals from scratch, as well as designing all branding and assets with Adobe Photoshop.
- Frequently worked with SEN children and designed workshops to specifically suit their needs.
- Managed business related finances and invoicing.



EDUCATION

2005/
2008

University of Wales, Aberystwyth

Sport and Exercise Science B.Sc. (Hons) degree (2.2)

1997/
2005

King Edward VI Five Ways, Birmingham

4 A Level and 2 AS Level passes. 12 GCSEs at grades A* - C



INTERESTS

I have a keen interest in writing and producing my own music, science, technology, exercise, nutrition and gaming.