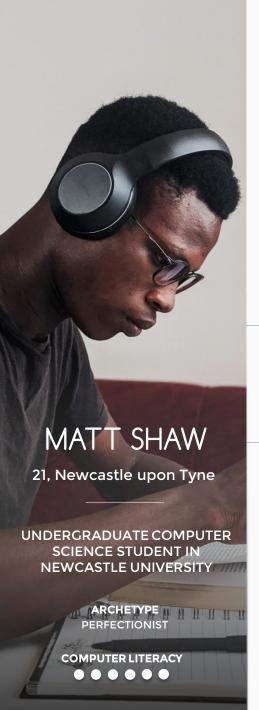


# VIRTUAL EXAM STUDY SUPPORT APP REWISE PERSONAS

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# BIO

For the longest time in his life Matt has been an honour student. He puts his all into anything academic. Due to his perfectionistic nature he often finds himself immersed in work and forgets his surroundings. He noticed this is causing him to be ostracized from his friend groups. Most of his time is spent by solving academic riddles alone, which yields him good results, however, he lacks group input and is oblivious to his own mistakes or alternative ways to problem solving.

During free time Matt enjoys playing chess online, competing against strangers, and keeping up with the most recent BBC science or astronomy documentaries. He is thinking of joining a martial arts class.



# **FRUSTRATIONS**

- Being left out of social circles
- Spending too much time for studying
- Having to come up with answers alone
- Inability to find study groups

"I want to become more efficient at studying so I could learn faster and avoid personal bias."

# **PERSONALITY**

STUBBORN • ANXIOUS

RELIABLE • INSECURE

HARDWORKING . WITTY

# FREQUENTLY USED APPS



Reddit

Keeps up with latest trends in science, technology and astronomy.



Diligently plans his coursework and exam schedules.

# Google Calendar



Keeps an eye on university notifications and converses with lecturers.

Outlook

Course material, lecture recap and important notifications.

## Blackboard



Aditional learning beyond university and improves his hobbies (i.e. chess).



# **SKILLS**

WRITING CODE RESEARCH



SELF-MOTIVATION TEAMWORK





# GOALS

- Learn different ways of problem solving through other students
- Share his knowledge with other students
- Expand his social circles by creating and attending student groups
- Become more efficient when studying, so have more time for friends/family/hobbies



- Share and download exam materials, documents
- Create and participate in study groups
- Efficient document filtering options allowing easy searches of relevant data





Debbie is an accredited nurse of a renowned hospital in London. Her nurturer personality means that she feels the need to give and care about others. She spends most of her time selflessly catering for her patients, and at home – for her family. She finds time for herself in the evenings catching up with her favourite shows on Netflix or jogging along the river Thames with her Labrador.

Her schedule is pretty tight, however, she wants to expand her education by enrolling in an online course. She thinks that is a good way to give to herself and others at the same time - two birds with one stone. She soon realises that the course has picked up pace and she doesn't have time to prepare for exams.



# **FRUSTRATIONS**

- Not having enough time for herself
- · Not knowing where to look for help/support
- · Feeling disappointed in her inability to keep up
- Fear of being incapable to care for her family and patients due to stress

'I want to become better at relying on other people to help me."

# **PERSONALITY**

SHY ANXIOUS

DISCIPLINED KIND

**GENEROUS** RATIONAL

# FREQUENTLY USED APPS



Netflix

Keeps up with favourite shows and medical documentaries.

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Diligently plans coursework, exam, nursing schedules.

# Google Calendar



Outlook

Keeps an eye on university notifications and converses with lecturers.



Course material, lecture recap and important notifications.

Blackboard



Tracks cycling and running exercises using GPS data.

Strava

**SKILLS** 

COMPASSION

TIME MANAGEMENT

CRITICAL THINKING

SOCIAL



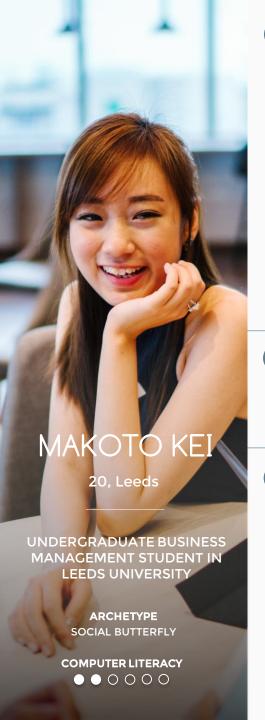


# GOALS

- Find a safe space to learn from others
- Learn to have balance between give and take
- Create a social circle beyond professional work
- Allow other people to help
- · Meet other fellow students (she's enrolled in an online course. therefore barely knows anyone in the university)



- Create and participate in study groups
- · Efficient document filtering options allowing easy searches of relevant data
- · Chat with other students about interesting medical topics





Makoto is the life of the party. She is in her 2<sup>nd</sup> year of studies and her active social life secured her a place as the student ambassador for the business faculty. She enjoys anything that enables interaction with other people. In her spare time she goes to salsa classes and (to balance out her disinterest in academics) attends various networking events, and business workshops. She passed the first year of university due to the vast network of friends, and colleagues she had made. However, she's now noticing that her friends are more serious about their studies and cut their social ties.

Makoto finds it very hard to focus on academic tasks and needs succinct, targeted summaries from knowledgeable people.



# **FRUSTRATIONS**

- Inability to focus on studying
- Difficulty analyzing academic papers
- Not having knowledgeable, or reliable people around
- Inability to pinpoint core concepts, topics to focus on
- Difficulty memorizing academic materials

"I want to improve my university scores by learning from other students."

# **PERSONALITY**

- ALOOF
- **FORGETFUL**
- CHARISMATIC
- DISORGANISED
- SOCIABLE
- **FUN-LOVING**

# FREQUENTLY USED APPS



Finds and attends various networking events, workshops.

# Eventbrite



Listens to audio books easy way to learn without reading.

# Audible



# Outlook

university notifications and converses with her network.



Course material, lecture recap and important notifications.

Blackboard



Converses with her friends and colleagues about plans and Messenger assignments.



ACADEMIC COMPREHENSION

**MEMORIZATION** 

# GOALS

**SKILLS** 

**NETWORKING** 

SOCIAL

- Become better at understanding academic material
- Find someone that can explain academic things in an easy to understand, succinct manner
- · Improve attentiveness and concentration
- Provide useful academic intel as a student ambassador
- Get a 1st class final year mark



- Read notes, succinct topic summaries
- Ability to select uploads by tags, categories
- Chat with other students
- Direct chat with people that seem knowledgeable about certain topics
- · Participate in student-made quizzes





# BIO

James is a 1st year student in the university of Edinburgh. He has just moved to the UK from the Philippines. Some months passed, but he is still experiencing the effects of culture shock, and is finding it difficult to understand the local Scottish accent. He is rebellious in nature and does not present himself on any form of social media. Therefore, it makes it hard to find friends, follow trends or events.

He usually spends his time in the library reading fiction or books about agriculture and botany. Sometimes he volunteers in the library or a local church. These endeavors allowed him to meet and befriend some local people, however, he knows nobody from his course and exams are soon approaching.



# **FRUSTRATIONS**

- Inability to fit in
- Culture shock due to recently moving country
- Not knowing anyone from his course
- Inability to connect with people
- Feeling homesick
- Occasional language barrier

"I want to get to know some people from my course, but I don't own any social media accounts."

# **PERSONALITY**

- TIMID
- GLOOMY
- CALM
- HELPFUL
- CREATIVE
- CULTURED

# FREQUENTLY USED APPS



Organises his books and sees book reccommendations.

# Goodreads

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Google

Diligently plans his coursework and exam schedules.

# Google Calendar



Outlook

Keeps an eye on university notifications and converses with lecturers.

### Juliook



Course material, lecture recap and important notifications.

# Blackboard



Uses to find and connect with local groups, events, and meet new people.



# SKILLS

TIME MANAGEMENT BOTANY



COMPOSURE ADAPABILITY





# GOALS

- · Befriend people from his course
- · Find more sociable hobbies
- Become more accustomed to the community, and lessen culture shock effects
- Do well in upcoming exams
- Find local students to study with to ensure he wholly understands the course material



- Share and download exam materials, documents
- Create and participate in study groups
- Direct chat and ability to do group chats regarding specific topics
- · Comment on file uploads
- Ability to stay anonymous if wanted

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