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Personal Profile

A highly motivated and hardworking Computer Science student, who has experience and skill in multiple programming languages including Python, Java and C#. I also have experience in web design with a self-made portfolio site. I'm now living in London to achieve a BSc in computer science at City, University of London. I'm looking for a role in programming or systems analysis.

Education

City, University of London – BSc (Hons) Computer Science
(2020 – Present)
Year 1 Modules (Grades Pending)
Mathematics for Computing
Systems Architecture
Programming in Java
Databases and Web Development

The College of West Anglia – Diploma/GCSE
(2017 – 2020)
- Achieved extended diploma in Computing at D*DD
- Achieved Mathematics GCSE at grade 7

Sir Harry Smith Community College, Peterborough, September – GCSEs/ ECDL
(2012 – 2017)
- Achieved 9 GCSES with a 9 GCSES 9-4 including English, Mathematics and Triple Science
- Achieved ECDL Microsoft Office BTEC at Distinction*

Technical Skills

Java | C# | Python | HTML | JS/jQuery | CSS
- Experience in the above languages, through personal learning an Extended Diploma and now University.
- Proficiency in all areas of Microsoft Office, including Access, Excel, Word and PowerPoint.
- Computer system troubleshooting.
- Vast knowledge of mobile technology and specifications.

Key Skills

- **Good communication skills**, both written and verbal, developed through numerous essays and presentations given during my time at school, college and some work experience.
- **Ability to take initiative and work well under pressure** as demonstrated in previous work experience.
- **Excellent organisational skills** ensuring deadlines are met, as successfully demonstrated during school and college.
- **Flexibility,** whilst maintaining enthusiasm and commitment to each project

Work Experience

Tesco - Tesco Mobile General Assistant

(Part-time 2019 – Early 2020, Full time Early 2020 – September 2020, Part-time September 2020 - Present)

- As a general assistant my role is to serve new and existing Tesco Mobile customers. This is the most customer service-based role I have worked into date and throughout my years working there I have been faced with all kinds of challenges both customer and technical based.
- Using initiative and problem solving is an essential set of skills to have for a job like this and it has taught me lots about how to deal with difficult situations and how to work under pressure
- The job has also taught me how to sell to customers. There are some aspects of this role that are targeted and meeting those targets is something that I prided myself with and tried my hardest to meet every week. In sales it is important not to come over as pushy or robotic and the weeklong intensive connecting with customers course that I was sent on with Tesco helped me to excel at this.

Tesco - Tesco Stock Controller

(Part-time 2018 – 2020)

- As a stock controller my job was to monitor the amount of stock that was on record across the entire store.
- The store that I worked at is the largest of its kind, so this was quite a big responsibility that was shared between me and my team.
- This role helped me learn how to work in a team, this skill was needed to ensure good communication throughout the different departments.

Projects and Achievements

Portfolio Website (oligray.co.uk)

This site was made by myself and aims to demonstrate my skill as a programmer. I have listed on there some of my University projects as well as some personal ones.

Interests

Outside of education and work one of my big interests is media. This mostly includes film and tv, but I do also enjoy video games and using photoshop to make promo images for any projects that I have going on at work.

References

Available upon request