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Education

2024 – 2028	The Alliance Manchester Business School (University of Manchester) BSc (Hons) Information Technology Management for Business w/ Industrial Experience 1 st Year Results: First Class - 77.2%
	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Collaborated in a year-long integrative team project to develop a banking app for Lloyds Bank, aligning diverse team members and improving users' financial habits.Led day-to-day team operations and served as lead full-stack developer, ensuring clear communication between technical and non-technical contributors.Achieved a project grade of 85%, <u>won the end-of-year Showcase Competition with the team, and was awarded best speaker in every ITMB Showcase and Recruitment Event.</u>
2021 - 2023	International Baccalaureate Diploma Programme, Elverum High School, Norway Grade: 40/45 (<i>equivalent to 4 grade A*</i>)
	<ul style="list-style-type: none">HL subjects: Physics (7/7), English Lang. & Lit. (7/7), Global Politics (6/7)SL subjects: Psychology (6/7), Norwegian (6/7), Mathematics AA (6/7)
2019 - 2021	Elverum High School, Norway 5.8 GPA. (<i>out of 6</i>)

Work Experience

Jun 2025 - Present	Accelerate ME, Manchester Director
	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Leading the UK's top student-led startup accelerator, fostering collaboration across a 20+ person team while managing recruitment, finances, growth, programme design, and distribution to support founders.Directing strategy, operations, and stakeholder relations, maintaining transparent communication with partners while securing funding and mentorship for startups.Delivering a successful 12th startup cohort, expanding AME's legacy of 100+ startups, £325k in grants deployed, and £58m+ in alumni follow-on funding.
Oct 2024 - Apr 2025	Enfund, London (Remote) Founding member
	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Led sales, marketing, and distribution for North England at an early-stage AI PropTech startup, driving regional expansion efforts.Secured the highest number of qualified leads across the team, strengthening communication skills through direct client engagement.Built and nurtured client relationships through strategic outreach and events, including trips to venture capital firms and institutional partners in London.
Sep 2022 - Dec 2023	Norgesgruppen, Elverum, Norway Shift Leader
	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Led shift operations and teams in a fast-paced retail environment, optimising product placement and enhancing customer service through close teamwork and coordination.

- Introduced improved order management systems and sustainability initiatives, reducing fresh produce waste, improving inventory control, and increasing profit margins.

July 2020 – Oct 2022 **Ulvebne JR, Elverum, Norway**
Founder and CEO

- Founded and scaled a retail business independently at 16, managing marketing, accounting, supply chain, growth, distribution and all other operations.
- Generated six-figure revenues over two years and secured a competitive market share in Norway.

Oct 2021 - May 2022 **Cybersnails Blockchain Project, Norway (Remote)**
Co-Founder

- Led the launch of a Web3 blockchain project, coordinating efforts of a 20+ member remote team across marketing, product development, and operations.
- Facilitated regular cross-team communication, aligning technical and creative inputs during a two-month marketing campaign while handling financials.
- Achieved six-figure revenue on launch day, grew social media engagement to over 30,000 followers, and gained valuable hands-on management experience.

Technical Skills

<i>Programming languages</i>	<i>Level of competence</i>
Python, C# (.NET) , SQL	High
JavaScript, HTML, CSS	Medium
Solidity	Low

<i>Frameworks and services</i>	<i>Level of competence</i>
AWS, PostgreSQL, sci-kit learn, TensorFlow, Jupyter Notebook, GitHub, GitHub Actions (CI/CD)	High
ReactJS, React Native, FastAPI, Python ORMs, Selenium	Medium

<i>Foundation skills</i>	<i>Level of competence</i>
Microsoft Office, Excel, Tableau, Teams, Slack, Notion, HubSpot CRM, Figma	High

Languages

- Native Norwegian.
- Fluent English.
- Fluent Danish.
- Fluent Swedish

Interests and Activities

Fitness	Weightlifting, running and cycling weekly for the past 5 years. Member of Run Wild MCR and Cycling societies at UoM.
ML	Weekly work on machine learning projects: financial forecasting, sentiment analysis, and more. Member of UoM Data Science & AI Society.
Investing	Actively investing in equities, index funds, and cryptocurrencies since 2019. Allowed the opportunity of a self-financed degree.