

# Owen SCOTT

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## Education and Qualifications

**2014-2015**

**University of Oxford**

Saïd Business School, UK

Masters in Business Administration (expected)

**2011-2012**

**Penn State University**

World Campus (Online)

Postbaccalaureate Certificate in GIS

**2003-2008**

**University of New Brunswick**

Fredericton, NB, Canada

B.Sc. Civil Engineering, Minor International Development

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## Work Experience

**Nov-12 - Sep-14**

**Development Gateway**

*Senior Associate*

Washington, DC

- Managed technical assistance projects in two African countries totalling ~\$1 million in funding
- Led re-engineering on several significant software product components, helping to introduce new approaches to application architecture, build processes, and usability testing
- Made significant technical contributions to the most important open data standard for tracking international development spending

**Jan-10 - Jun-12**

**Independent Consulting (Moonlighting)**

*VBA Software Developer*

Malawi / Lesotho / Ghana

- Built software systems for data visualization for companies/projects managing over \$10 million in infrastructure investment funding

**Jan-09 - Oct-12**

**Engineers Without Borders Canada**

*African Programs Staff*

Malawi

- Developed data management and visualization software for rural water supply planning
- Optimized approaches to GIS mapping for users with limited internet access and technical abilities
- Managed 3 program areas and 12 staff members

**May-07 - Aug-07**

**Engineers Without Borders Canada**

*Junior Fellow in International Development*

Zambia

- Supported a rural farming cooperative with business and engineering processes for international crop export
  - Lived in a mud hut in a rural village, gaining immersive learning about the daily realities of some of the world's economically poorest populations.
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## Additional Information

### Interests:

Web Development (self-taught HTML, CSS, JavaScript, Node.js, Git, XML, SQL etc), Music (played guitar/vocals in two international music festivals and many smaller venues through 2011-2012), sports (rugby, ice hockey, frisbee, running, swimming, cycling)

### Achievements:

GMAT: 720 (98th percentile)

GRE: 168/170 Quantitative (97th percentile), 170/170 Verbal (99th percentile)

First Division in undergraduate degree with 7 major scholarships/awards

Alumni Annual Fund Scholarship for Oxford (USD \$20,000)

Two peer-reviewed publications in water and sanitation journals

### Nationality:

Dual Canadian/American Citizen

### Languages:

French (professional competence), Chichewa (intermediate)