Darian Lawrence

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EDUCATION

University of South Wales
Foundation Degree in Information Communication Technology

Coleg y Cymoedd

Level 3 Enhanced Diploma in Computing

Ystrad Mynach, Wales
Sept. 2022 - May 2023

EXPERIENCE

Technical Support Assistant

Sept. 2024 – Mar. 2025 Ystrad Mynach, Wales

Coleg y Cymoedd

- Supervised classes and peers during practical sessions, providing guidance and assistance with task completion.
- Taught peers and classmates how to perform technical tasks, ensuring clear understanding and effective execution.
- Wrote comprehensive documentation for assignments, outlining step-by-step instructions and solutions for various tasks.
- Assisted in troubleshooting and resolving issues faced by students during hands-on practicals.
- Repaired faulty systems and hardware, ensuring all equipment was in working order for practical sessions.
- Conducted project audits on systems, identifying issues, assessing their severity, and suggesting solutions for improvement.

PROJECTS

Snore | C#, Discord.Net, PostgreSQL

Ongoing

- Developed and maintained a general-purpose Discord bot using C# and Discord.NET, with features for automation, moderation, and community engagement.
- Implemented Entity Framework Core with PostgreSQL for data storage, and optimized performance using async/await, Redis, and Hangfire.
- Deployed the bot with Docker and Kubernetes, and managed CI/CD with GitHub Actions.
- Followed SOLID principles for maintainable, scalable code.
- Integrated rate-limiting, anti-bot protection, and role-based access control (RBAC) to enhance bot security and protect against spam and abuse.

TECHNICAL SKILLS

Languages: Ruby, Python, C#, SQL, JavaScript, HTML, CSS

Developer Tools: Git, GitHub, Docker, Kubernetes, Linux, Visual Studio Code