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EXPERIENCE

TRAINEE FULL STACK SOFTWARE DEVELOPER @ DEV ACADEMY AOTEAROA

JANUARY 2023 - APRIL 2023 | TĀMAKI MAKAURAU, AOTEAROA

- Demonstrated grit, perseverance and the ability to pick up new knowledge quickly and effectively
 during the 800+ hours of intensive bootcamp learning. The course imitated a fast-paced development
 environment, learning full stack web development, with a strong focus on human skills, test-driven
 development (TDD) and agile principles
- Created fullstack projects using JavaScript, TypeScript, React, Redux, node and relational databases - individual learning to focus, problem solve independently, understanding when to ask for help and how to communicate complex issues to others
- Practiced communication and teamwork skills during pair programming, working through coding challenges - learning how to give and receive constructive feedback, and understanding how to navigate difficult conversations
- Realistic industry sprint simulations, working in small groups on single-day projects, taking on
 various roles to design, plan, implement, test and present the project to the wider team. Additionally
 took part in multi-day projects focussing on larger team cooperation similar to a working development
 environment, picking up bug and feature tickets whilst following a specified GitHub version control
 process to navigate and contribute to a large code base

CUSTOMER SUCCESS SPECIALIST @ FIGURED

MARCH 2020 - JANUARY 2023 | TĀMAKI MAKAURAU, AOTEAROA

- Problem solving and collaborating with product & dev teams to resolve bugs, communicating technical concepts to the user, and helping developers understand the niche aspects of the market, whilst maintaining transparency and efficiency in the bug fix process
- Enhancing my attention to detail ability and continuing to develop knowledge of the complex product to run user acceptance testing prior to feature releases

- Representing the customer and the support team during high pressure critical incidents, making fast informed decisions, communicating sensitive product issues, providing product expertise and niche technical knowledge to all stakeholders
- Providing consistently excellent customer support with a 98.7% customer satisfaction (CSAT) score. a less than 10 minute response time for live chat queries, and a Net Promoter Score (NPS) of 38 for overall product support

MULTIPLE ROLES @ SMARTPAY NEW ZEALAND

AUGUST 2018 - MARCH 2020 | TĀMAKI MAKAURAU, AOTEAROA

CUSTOMER SUPPORT

- Prioritising and organising workload to efficiently dispatch contract applications
- Applying know-your-customer (KYC) and anti-money-laundering (AML) principles to applications whilst managing confidential and secure data

CUSTOMER SUCCESS SPECIALIST

• Using extensive product knowledge in customer retention and contract renewal assisting with troubleshooting process, product issues and understanding customer business requirements

MULTIPLE ROLES @ MANTA DIVE GILI TRAWANGAN SEPTEMBER 2013 - FEBRUARY 2018 | LOMBOK, INDONESIA

OPEN WATER SCUBA INSTRUCTOR & RESERVATIONS MANAGER

- Teaching groups of students to SCUBA dive, ranging from beginner to advanced
- Demonstrated leadership and communication skills in a high risk environment
- High responsibility role being in charge of children and adults
- Adapting teaching methods and communication to accommodate varying learning and physical abilities

EDUCATION

CERTIFICATE IN APPLIED SOFTWARE DEVELOPMENT, DEV ACADEMY AOTEAROA JANUARY 2023 - APRIL 2023 | TĀMAKI MAKAURAU, AOTEAROA

MSC ENVIRONMENTAL BIOLOGY & BSC MARINE BIOLOGY, UNIVERSITY OF WALES **SWANSEA**

SEPTEMBER 2007 - SEPTEMBER 2011 | SWANSEA, WALES UK

· References available on request ·



