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EDUCATION

Queen Mary University of London	Sep 2024- Jun 2028
BEng Computer Systems Engineering with a Year in Industry (Hons)	
• On track and aiming for First Class Honours	
Uxbridge High School	
• A-Levels: Mathematics (A), Physics (A), Economics (A)	Sep 2022- July 2024
• GCSE: Mathematics (9), English Language (7)	Sep 2017- July 2022

WORK EXPERIENCE

Microsoft (Project Intern)	Jul 2025 - Jul 2025 (1 week)
• Collaborated with a multidisciplinary team to deliver a presentation to senior leaders at Microsoft as part of Microsoft's I accelerator programme.	
• Researched and presented various methods to improve efficiency amongst managers and employees using Copilot AI.	
• Developed strong analytical and problem-solving skills to evaluate solutions to a given problem, whilst strengthening teamwork, communication and public speaking skills.	
qLegal (Podcast Host)	Oct 2024 - Apr 2025
• Collaborated in a multidisciplinary team to engage subject-matter experts and ensure responsible handling of sensitive content with editorial discretion.	
• Oversaw the production of podcast episodes using industry-standard audio editing software, while cultivating advanced communication and professional networking skills.	
• Demonstrated strong capabilities in teamwork, time management, and project coordination to consistently deliver high-quality content within established deadlines.	
HS2 (Project Intern)	Aug 2023 - Aug 2023 (1 week)
• Completed internship involving site-tours and exposure to construction machinery, train and tunnel development processes.	
• Delivered a presentation on HS2's commuter & environmental impacts, requiring research, analysis and stakeholder evaluation.	
• Strengthened key skills including communication, teamwork and decision-making skills through practical challenges.	

PROJECTS

Horse Race Simulator – Java based Interactive racing game	
• Developed a real-time horse racing simulator using Java Swing in IntelliJ, enabling dynamic race visuals and user interactions.	
• Implemented customizable horse and track attributes, enhancing user engagement and simulation realism.	
• Achieved an evaluation score of 87.5% , reflecting strong performance in design, functionality, and user experience.	
Java Chatbot – Interactive conversational agent	
• Built a Java-based chatbot in JupyterHub capable of handling diverse user inputs and maintaining multi-turn conversations.	
• Implemented dynamic response logic, file handling, and robust error management to ensure smooth and reliable interactions.	
• Showcased Java programming expertise and conversational flow design through adaptive input parsing and output generation.	

PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

Chess tournament winner- Uxbridge High School	Apr 2023
• Won 1st place in Uxbridge High School's 2023 chess tournament, showcasing strategic thinking and competitive focus.	
• Enhanced problem-solving, critical thinking, and decision-making under pressure through high-level gameplay.	
Finance Accelerator with UBS & Morgan Stanley	Jun 2023
• Completed AmplifyME's Finance Accelerator Simulation with UBS and Morgan Stanley, gaining hands-on experience in both Buy-Side Asset Management and Sell-Side Investment Banking roles; scored 67% in the asset management round.	
• Leveraged tech-driven skills such as pattern recognition, data interpretation, and decision-making under pressure, sparking a deeper interest in how technology intersects with financial markets.	
City Investment Training - Financial Modelling & Analysis	Apr 2025
• Completed a 2-day Financial Modelling course with City Investment Training, building a full model from scratch and gaining practical skills in Excel, forecasting, valuation, and financial statement analysis.	
• Strengthened attention to detail under time pressure and learned to effectively communicate financial insights, while exploring finance through a technical lens.	

PERSONAL SKILLS

- Technical:** Proficient in Java, C#, Python, Word, Excel, PowerPoint, Pixlr e and Capcut
- Languages:** Fluent in English, Hindi, Konkani. Conversational in Urdu. Beginner in Portuguese.
- Hobbies:** Drums (played in multiple bands), Chess player, Violin, Gym
- Voluntary:** Vice President of Queen Mary BL Catholic Society, part time Chess and Mathematics tutor.