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Profile

I have recently graduated from General Assembly after a three month course in back and front end web development. I picked up a number of new skills over the duration of the course including the use of ruby and rails, javascript, jquery, angular and the use of postgres databases. This course built upon my existing enthusiasm for front and back end web development and fuelled my desire to learn more. Combined with my University experience my time at General Assembly built upon my existing communication skills and my ability to work well in a team. I still believe that I have a lot to learn but I now have a solid base to work from as well as the work ethic and the deep rooted interest in web development to allow me to forge a successful career as a web developer.

Key achievements

- Graduated from General Assembly with great feedback across all three projects
- Achieved a 2:1 in sports business management
- I was elected captain of the university basketball team as well as taking up the vice presidency
- My twelve thousand word dissertation was given a 2:1 grade (Research into the importance of the relationship between a sponsor and an athlete)

Experiance

• **General Assembly Web Development Immersive**, (June 2014 - September 2014)

Web Development Immersive was a three month course that taught me to use ruby on rails, java script, angularJs and a load of other web development tools that has readied me for a career as a web developer.

Final Project: For my final project I created a social media app for a video game. I used the steam Oauth to pull information from the games API and display this information on the users profile page. I then set up a live chat between users, an rss feed for the games reddit page, a forum and a search function to enable users to search for other users.

- Yahoo house Hackathon, (October 2014)
- Homerton College Catering, Part time waiter (2009 2013)
- Homerton College Bar, Part time bar staff (2011 2013)

Qualifications

Degree:

BA (hons) Sports business management – 2:1

A-levels:

Business Studies – C History – C Media studies – C

GCSE's:

Digital applications – BB English – B French – C,

English literature – B History – A Maths – B,

Maths additional – B PE – B Science – CC

Interests

I have played basketball for around ten years now and it is something that I am very passionate about. I enjoy being part of a team and have played for a number of teams including the Cambs county team, two different school teams and the Lincoln University mens 1st team. I currently play for a local Cambridge team, and watch it on a regular basis. I have made life long friends on all of these teams and enjoy socialising with all of them. I also like playing video games in my spare time and have an interest in the video games industry and the communities that surround certain games.

References

On request