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## Education

### University of Manchester

Expected Jun 2027

BSc in Computer Science (Predicted **First Class**, FY: 82.4% Y1: 72.4%)

Manchester, UK

– **Modules:** Processor Microarchitecture, Data Structures & Algorithms, Programming Languages & Paradigms, Intro to AI, Database Systems, Distributed Systems, Data Science, Operating Systems, Fundamentals of Computer Architecture / Engineering / Computation

### Altrincham Grammar School for Boys

2016 – 2023

A-levels: Geography (A\*), Maths (A), EPQ in Data Science (A), Physics (B)

Altrincham, UK

– SAT: **1420**; GCSEs: 10 subjects (Grades 9–7), AS Religious Studies (A)

## Experience

### Traveloka Infra Upgradation — DevOps Intern | *HCL, HCP Terraform, AWS*

Jun – Aug 2025

NorthBay Solutions (Remote)

United Kingdom

- Engineered a reusable **Terraform** module for a 3-tier **AWS VPC**, isolating data tier and reducing provisioning time by 40%.
- Automated IaC deployments via **GitHub Actions** CI/CD, eliminating 90% of manual configuration errors.
- Refactored monolith Terraform into modules using **for\_each**, cutting resource recreation by 70%.
- Implemented state locking with **S3/DynamoDB**, preventing configuration drift across team workflows.

## Projects

### WellWorld — Global Volunteering Planner (Hackathon Winner) | *React, Three.js, FastAPI*

Nov 2025

Backend Developer (Team of 4), 1st Place GDG & 3rd Place Booking.com — GreatUniHack'25

Manchester, UK

- Integrated **FastAPI** + Selenium to surface real volunteering opportunities with **Supabase** auth/real-time rooms.
- Used **Gemini API** to match user preferences to opportunities; rendered results on an interactive **Three.js** globe.
- Delivered chat, voting, and flight-route planning with Google services for end-to-end trip coordination.

### MeetSpaces — Real-Time Meetup Planner | *React, Node.js, FastAPI, Overpass, Supabase*

Nov 2025

Full-stack Developer (Team of 4), Runner-Up, Accenture Challenge — DurHack X

Durham, UK

- Built a real-time 4-person room flow for natural-language preference capture and consensus planning.
- Mapped polygons and **Gemini** amenities to **Overpass** queries to fetch suitable venues under 500ms.
- Orchestrated voting and generated personalised GPS routes with live **Supabase** sync.

### CapitaLiteracy — Financial Literacy App | *React, Next.js, Flask, Gemini*

Oct 2025

Full-stack Developer (Team of 4), 2nd Place, Capital One Challenge — WHack 2025

Warwick, UK

- Implemented **Tesseract OCR** with regex parsing to convert statements into clean JSON for ML categorisation.
- Built **Flask** + **Supabase** APIs for auth, file uploads, and real-time financial data handling.
- Integrated the **Gemini API** with user context for transaction analytics and category breakdowns in **React**.

### PromptClash — Group Project | *SvelteKit, Supabase, TypeScript, HTML, CSS, AWS*

Sep 2024 – Mar 2025

Backend Developer & Organisation Lead (Group of 6)

University of Manchester

- Engineered a **real-time PostgreSQL** backend with Supabase, enabling live user interactions with role-based auth and event triggers.
- Built backend middleware and implemented **profanity filtering** via external APIs, enhancing community safety.
- Deployed full-stack app to **AWS EC2** with custom DNS (Route 53), ensuring scalable and secure hosting.
- Developed reactive front-end using **SvelteKit** + **TypeScript** and SSR, improving page load time and user experience.
- Optimized real-time game flow by replacing websockets with **Supabase subscriptions**.
- Led weekly sprints and code reviews, implementing **test-driven development** to ensure 90% code coverage.

## Technical Skills

**Languages:** Python, Java, C, HTML, CSS, SQL, JavaScript, TypeScript, PHP, Verilog, VHDL, RISC-V Assembly

**Frameworks & Tools:** React.js, Next.js, Svelte, Flask, Node.js, FastAPI, Supabase, TailwindCSS, Terraform, Vite.js

**Data/ML & APIs:** Tesseract OCR, OpenCV, NumPy, Pandas, Google Gemini API, Overpass

**Software:** VS Code, PyCharm, IntelliJ, GitHub, GitLab

## Extracurriculars & Volunteering

**PASS Leader** (Sep 2025–Present) — Facilitate study sessions and mentoring for lower-year students; **PropTech Connect 2025 Help Desk** — Supported attendees/sponsors and resolved Brella app issues; **UniCS PR Officer** (Sep 2024–Present) — Manage Instagram, TikTok, LinkedIn, Discord.