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#### **EDUCATION**

2009 - 2013 Masters of Physics (MPhys) at University of Leeds

Bachelor of Physics (BSc Hons.) at University of Leeds

#### **WORK HISTORY**

### 2013 - 2016 Scrum Master & Software Engineer at IBM United Kingdom Ltd

I was the scrum master for the global IBM FlashSystem V9000 development team. (agile, scrum, Jira, Confluence, Kanban)

As the software architect for the Openstack on GFPS\* deployment team, I supported the development of an install toolkit that provided a setup wizard and a fully auditable, automated cluster installation. I also helped design and set-up our continuous integration pipeline. \* aka. IBM Spectrum Scale (**Python, Chef, Vagrant, Jenkins, Gerrit, Linux/Unix, GPFS, Openstack**)

I led the development of IP quorum on IBM Storwize products. If the connection between two sites is lost, this feature allows the cluster to continue running. Instead of a third site appliance, a simple application can be deployed without costly fibre-channel connectivity between all sites. (**C**, **Java**, **Linux/Unix**)

For the initial release of IBM FlashSystem V9000 I owned and shipped the first-time data capture and disaster recovery (tier 4) features. (**Perl, C**)

As part of the Manchester Lab DevOps team, I ran our DNS & DHCP infrastructure until mid-2015. (**Linux/Unix, DevOps, sysadmin, Ansible**)

## 2011 - 2013 Software Engineer at Work AnyWare Ltd

To augment our web-based cloud document storage service I created a Microsoft Office plugin, which automatically versions and uploads documents when the user saves. Users can also open any version directly without switching to the web interface. I also wrote the server side API. (**C#, PHP**)

### 2012 Summer Undergraduate Research Fellow (SURF) at

California Institute of Technology

As part of the LIGO Scientific Collaboration, I designed and wrote a web application for collaborative electromagnetic follow-up of gravitational wave candidates. (**Python, NumPy, C, HTML5, Javascript**)

#### **2008 - 2009 Junior Software Engineer** at Ostertag Solutions AG

I ported our attendant console product from legacy Visual Basic to C#. I designed and coded the UI for a 24" touch-screen VoIP/SIP telephone that was presented at the 2009 CeBIT conference. I also deployed servers and hardware on-site for customers. (Visual Basic, C#, .NET, Linux/Unix)