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Personal statement

I recently gained a diploma in software development through the Code Institute whilst working full time as an Assistant Manager. I decided to enrol myself onto the “Full Stack Web Developer” course to help with my career change. The reason I did this was to help me pursue my interest in web design and web development along with marrying my newly acquired skill set with my other passion of photography.

I would now like to utilise the skills and experience gained from my years in retail management and undertake a new challenge in the world of web design and development.

Key Skills

* HTML5, CSS, JavaScript and Python coding languages.
* Familiar with developer’s frame works such as Bootstrap, jQuery, Flask and Django.
* Excellent management and team development skills.
* Extensive experience in managing 6-figure yearly employment budget.
* Strong P&L management skills allowing the business to maximise profits.
* Advanced in developing and executing business plans.
* Photography.

Employment History

Assistant Manager-Scarbrough Hotel.

(January 2007 – Present)

I have a key role in delivering:

* Guests-Brand leading (80 businesses) guest satisfaction scores.
* Profit-£1.5 million turnover, constant sales growth and excellent profit conversion.
* Practices-Company Leading (1700+ businesses) food and fire safety scores.
* People-consistently below brand and industry staff turnover figures.

**Photographer-Rayner Photography.**

(2012-2014)

Achievements and responsibilities:

* Co-ordinating photo shoots for large sporting events nationwide.
* Award ceremonies were handled with discretion and professionalism.
* Production of photographic material to high standard under tight deadlines.
* Sales of final product, satisfying both the client and management.

Photographer-Free Lance.

Achievements and responsibilities:

* Kept to client brief and ensured tight deadlines were met.
* Liaised with PR agencies to meet client briefs.
* Provided photographic material for marketing and publications.
* Had images published in the Yorkshire Evening Post and The Guardian.
* Created photographic material for the new websites.
* Co-ordinated food photography for the new menus.
* Provided photography for private re-launch nights.

Education

Code Institute.

(Graduated January 31st, 2020)

Diploma in software development.

West Leeds High School (Sixth Form).

(September 2004 – June 2006)

A-levels**:**

* Photography – A
* English Literature – C
* Biology - C

****West Leeds High School.****

(September 1999 – June 2004)

10 GCSEs, grade A-C, including Maths and English

**Other Qualifications**

* National Certificate of Personal License Holder (NCPLH).
* First Aid Certificate, level 2.
* Cask Master Certificate.