Victor Elgersma

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Education

New College, University of Oxford, Oxford, United Kingdom.

B.A. Physics, 2022, First Class.

European School of Brussels IV, Brussels, Belgium.

European Baccalaureate, 2018

Employment

Graduate Software Engineer, THG Ingenuity.

Frontend web development of e-commerce storefronts powered by Cloudflare workers, GraphQL, and AstroJS.

April 2024 - current

Graduate Software Engineer - Accelerator, THG Ingenuity.

6 month bootcamp designed to transition non-computer science graduates into tech. Learned object-oriented programming in Python and Java, version control, HTTP, APIs and REST, querying databases, and frontend web development using HTML, CSS, JavaScript, TypeScript, and React

September 2023 - April 2024

Media Production Assistant, The Institute of Art and Ideas.

Edited videos for DOKBOX, IAI.TV and the IAI YouTube channel. Edited podcasts for the Philosophy in Our Times series. On-set film crew during the HowTheLightGetsIn festival.

March 2023 - September 2023

Media Production Trainee, The Institute of Art and Ideas.

January 2023 - March 2023

Research Assistant, National Institute for Space Research, São Paulo, Brazil. Worked on a hydrological model of the root water uptake in the Amazon rainforest. July 2021 - August 2021

English Teacher, MaiDan Summer School, Lishui, Zhejiang, China.

Taught students aged 7-14 and obtained a TEFL qualification.

July 2019 - August 2019

Awards

Scholarship, New College, University of Oxford, for excellent exam performance in year 2; entitled to wear the Scholar's Gown, July 2020.

Winner, PsycShorts 2019, American Psychological Association for Behavioral Economics and the Endowment Effect, May 2019.

Finalist, Breakthrough Junior Challenge 2018 for Quantum Mechanics and the Wave-particle duality of matter, September 2018.

Highest Academic Achievement in the English Language Section, European School of Brussels IV, July 2018.