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Personal Profile

I have a diverse background in Music Production, Product Development, and Nursing. While I have enjoyed each of them and learned a great deal, I am eager to contribute to a role that aligns closely with my degree, allowing me to apply my academic knowledge and personal enthusiasm practically.

I have recently completed a 12-week intensive Digital Skills Bootcamp in Software Development with Just IT training. Currently, I am learning C# and .NET to expand my skill set and further prepare for a career as a developer.

I have successfully completed several projects using Python, Dart, C#, HTML, CSS, SQL, and JavaScript, all of which are showcased in my GitHub portfolio. Additionally, I am in my second year of a fully remote and highly flexible Computing degree. While balancing full-time work with my studies, I have consistently achieved the highest score band in all but one of my eight modules to date.

My immediate goal is to secure a position as a Junior Software Developer or apprentice, where I can collaborate with like-minded professionals and learn extensively during these critical years of my growth. I always have ideas for personal projects and find learning to be extremely enjoyable, so I feel a role in this field would give me invaluable insight into development and would inspire me even more to expand my knowledge in my own time.

Key Skills

Technical Skills:	Python, C#, HTML, CSS, JavaScript, .NET, SQL, VS Code, Propellerhead Reason, Meta Business Suite, GIMP, Microsoft Office (Word, Excel, PowerPoint, Outlook).
Soft Skills:	Organisation, Problem Solving, Creativity, Empathy, Customer Service, Teamwork, Enthusiasm, Time Management.

Training and Education

09/24 – Present	**Just IT Training Ltd, London** **Digital Skills Bootcamp: Software Development** A twelve-week intensive bootcamp covering the fundamentals of Software Development. • Development of HTML • Introduction to HTML/JavaScript/CSS • Developed a web-based product • Database design • Built a product using Python
10/23-08/26	**Arden University, Distance-Learning** **BSc Computing**
Core Modules:	Web Application Development, Advanced Databases, Cybersecurity, Data Mining, Cloud Computing, Human-Computer Interaction, Object-Oriented Programming.

Languages:	Python, HTML, CSS, JavaScript, Java, SQL, PHP
Final Year Project:	*Not yet completed.*

09/20-07/21 **University of Northumbria, Coach Lane Campus**
HNC Children's Nursing
Placements: RVI: Ward 8 (Surgical ward) – 10 Weeks
QE Gateshead: Paediatric Emergency Assessment (A&E) – 10 Weeks
Arthur's Hill: Community Nursing (0-19 Service) – 6 Weeks

09/13-07/16 **University of West London, Ealing**
BA Music Production
Core Modules: Music for Games, Advanced Mixing & Mastering, Advanced Music
Theory, Recording Skills & Foley.

Programmes: Propellerhead Reason, Logic, Ableton, Pro Tools, Ozone
Final Year Project: "*Analysing the Effects of Distortion on Sine Wave
Oscillation: A Comparative Study*"

09/12-07/14 **Queen Elizabeth High School, Hexham**
A Level/BTEC: Music, Economics, English Language, General Studies
AS Level: Psychology

09/09-07/12 **Queen Elizabeth High School, Hexham**
GCSE: 10 A*-C grades in subjects including Maths and English

Employment History

09/12 - Present **Music Producer**
Self-Employed, Worldwide

- Developed skills in computing, business management, website and graphic design - the sum of which was building an online brand and achieving over 5 million worldwide streams to date.
- Working as part of a team, be it labels and A&R, or collaborations with other artists - these efforts led to me signing with a label and having support from some of the biggest names in the industry, such as the BBC and Warp Records.
- Working to deadlines and customer briefs gave me experience in time-management and invaluable insight into customer needs and expectations.
- Enthusiasm and work ethic – I released over 200 songs under my own projects, nearly as many collaborations and remixes, created music for games, and scores for film.

03/18 – Present **Product Developer**
Lilac & Thyme, Whittonstall

- Product creation and testing – launched 15 signature fragrances and a men's range.
- Supported marketing campaigns and improved customer engagement and retention – this included a feature in Living North Magazine.
- Managed E-commerce operations, which have since become the most lucrative side of the business.
- Creating custom products to customer specification – this led to an ongoing collaboration with Beamish Museum and creating a bespoke product that won the "Best Product Award" in the Cultural Enterprise Awards 2020

Interests, Hobbies and Achievements

Hobbies: My main hobbies are making music and programming. The more experience I gain, the more I experiment with linking the two. I also love old-school games and reading, especially about physics or classical history.

Additional Information

- Driver's License
- First Aid Trained
- Recently DBS Checked
- Interactive CV available on my GitHub ("Doors 95")

References available upon request