

37 Collyer Road, Calverton, Nottingham, Nottinghamshire, NG14 6ND

Personal Profile

Enthusiastic and Proactive **Web Developer** ▼

I am an enthusiastic and proactive **web developer** who makes attractive websites and applications “that work” from a product description derived from extensive analysis of what the client requests and requires.

With several years experience of designing and developing websites and web applications, including experience handling all aspects of a small **web design** business; I have an excellent understanding of how technology can be used to align the requirements of both the business and the customer.

I received an excellent education with Nottingham Trent University, acquiring a Diploma of Higher Education in Software Engineering (grade 1:1 in my first year and a strong 2:1 in my 2nd year), and learned extensive skills working as part of a team and on my own initiative. Whilst at university I learnt to use well known technical software such as Adobe Dreamweaver, Adobe Photoshop, Netbeans IDE and Microsoft Visual Studio - many of which I still use today.

Education & Training

Nottinghamshire County Council, **2013-Present** ▼

All day governor induction, **June 26 2013**

Governor training morning, **Jan 17 2013**

Monitoring Effectively, **Jan 27 2014**

The role of the governing body in an Ofsted inspection, **Feb 4 2014**

Introduction to SEN, **Mar 13 2014**

Introduction to safeguarding children for school governors, **Mar 19 2014**

Head teachers appraisals, **June 17 2014**

Nottingham Trent University, **2006-2009** ▼

Diploma in Higher Education in Software Engineering

Middlesbrough College, **2005-2006** ▼

Access to ICT: **Pass**

Stockton & Billingham College, **1994-1996** ▼

LCCI City & Guilds in Adult Literacy Level 2: **Pass**

LCCI City & Guilds in Accountancy & Finance Level 2: **Pass**

LCCI City & Guilds in Business Administration Level 2: **Pass**

LCCI City & Guilds in Information Technology Level 2: **Pass**

Northfield Secondary School, **1989-1994** ▼

9 GCSE's: **7 at grade C or above**

Employment History

Calverton Computing, Company Director / Website Developer, **2011-Present** ▼

At present I am company director and sole **website developer** at Calverton Computing, developing bespoke websites of all types and sizes; fixing and upgrading computers and laptops; and offering cheap hosting solutions. As well as enhancing and developing my front-end and back-end programming skills, I am developing critical skills in money management, taxes and revenue, and every day social skills with customers. I manage my personal development on a regular basis by planning my own training skills and my future work load. For the past 4 years I have been working for LeenTech Ltd on behalf of Calverton Computing, helping develop a large scale online warranty claim system for worldwide dealer and supplier networks, along with integrated FRACAS and Parts Ordering systems. With LeenTech I have been developing my knowledge with HTML, CSS, MySQL, jQuery, AJAX and Coldfusion technologies. As several developers (often in different countries) were accessing live website files simultaneously we used SVN technologies on a daily basis to avoid overwriting each others work.

Logobrand, Developer, **2008-2009** ▼

Whilst on my sandwich year from Nottingham Trent University, I was employed on a paid work placement at Logobrand as a junior **website developer**. My duties were mainly to help create and develop a new web based EPOS analysis software system, which was to upgrade their current system. I also worked on their credit card sales system (Polish Amex). I developed new skills in PHP development, Mysql development, teamwork and time management here.

Rathbones Bakery, Wrapping Machine Operator, **2000-2004** ▼

Whilst at Rathbones bakery I became experienced in working on my own and with a team. Time management was a must for this position and I worked extensive unsociable hours, sometimes over 70 hours per week and finishing a shift as late as 3am on a regular basis.

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Technical Skills Summary

A Summary of Skills Aquired in Employment & Education ▼

HTML/HTML5/XHTML
Object-orientated PHP
Database Design
Cross-browser Compliance

CSS/CSS3
AJAX
PHP-PDO
XML/XLS

Javascript
Coldfusion
W3C Compliance
UML Techniques

jQuery
PL/SQL
JSON
C++

Social Media API
MySQL
Photoshop/GIMP
SEO

Interests & Recreational

My Family Life ▼

In my spare time I like to spend time with my children, supporting them with all their school activities, hobbies and interests. I enjoy cooking and baking and try new things to create for the family to enjoy.

School Governing Responsibilities ▼

I am an active school governor at a local infant and nursery school, where I put some of my expertise to good use and help the community, as well as constantly learning new skills and techniques; taking full use of the governor training facilities, courses and events the local authority has to offer. I often research criteria for specific meetings in order to gather information and my own views, so that I can input into the meetings effectively.

Cycling and Fitness ▼

I am a keen cyclist - often cycling with a local cycling club, and I also enjoy cycling on my own when there are no cycle club rides on. In June 2014 I cycled a 150 mile charity bike ride with Prostate Cancer UK from London to Amsterdam; then again in June 2015 I cycled the same challenge but also cycled 200 miles from Nottingham to London the previous 2 days totalling more than 370 miles cycling in just 4 days. I enjoy working out in my home gym, P90x, Insanity and I also do Taekwondo weekly with my daughter.

Out of Work Technology

A passion of mine, even outside work, is designing and developing bespoke website solutions using HTML, PHP, jQuery, AJAX and MySQL technologies. I have been creating websites for my own personal use for over 10 years and enjoy it more and more each day.

References

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