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PERSONAL SUMMARY

With 25 years of professional experience, I bring a versatile skill set encompassing attention to detail, continuous learning, problem-solving, stakeholder engagement, effective communication and a positive attitude. Significant career progress to date, demonstrating my ability to excel through adaptability and teamwork. Now, I'm pursuing my dream of becoming a Software Developer, seeking a Junior Developer role. My future goal is to progress to Mid to Senior-level Developer within five years, driven by my commitment to personal growth and thirst for knowledge in the technology field.

EDUCATION

CodeClan – CodeBase | July 2023 – November 2023

Professional Software Development | SCQF Level 8

- CodeClan 16-week in-person learning experience, over 800 hours of immersive education in software development
- Comprehensive curriculum covering programming fundamentals
- Technologies studied: Python, Flask, Java, Spring Boot, Postgres, JavaScript, React, MongoDB, Express, Node.js, and more
- Emphasis on best practices in software development
- Completion of multiple projects to consolidate learning

Reid Kerr College | August 1994 – June 1997

HNC Software Development | SCQF Level 7

- Strong foundation in various aspects of software development
- Subjects covered: Pascal, COBOL, database management, computer architecture, analysis, and design

TECH STACK

JavaScript	React	Node.js	Express.js	MongoDB
Java	Spring Boot	Hibernate	PostGres	SOLID/OOP
Python	Flask	Git	UX	Full Stack
Angular	Swift	Typescript		

CERTIFICATES

Code First Girls | Intro to IOS Development | February 2024

- Swift Basics, Navigation, Data Management, Persistence, Best Practices
- Completion of Draughts Game project to consolidate learning

Frontend Masters Intermediate React, V5 | Brian Holt | January 2024

- Hooks, TailwindCSS, code splitting, server-side rendering using Suspense, TypeScript, state management with Redux Tookit, testing with Vitest

Frontend Masters Introduction to React | Brian Holt | January 2024

Skyscanner | Front End Engineering Virtual Experience on Forage | December 2023

- Completed a job simulation building a web app using React as a front-end engineer
- Developed a page for picking a travel date using Skyscanner's open-source Backpack React library
- Customised my application and ran automated tests to ensure it rendered properly

Code First Girls | Kickstarter Introduction to Javascript |February 2023 – April 2023

- 8 week remote course covering basic syntax, control structures, functions, arrays and objects, DOM manipulation, events, error handling, asynchronous programming, debugging
- Completion of Travel Diary project to consolidate learning

PROJECTS

Wiggle Waggy Walks | Group Project | November 2023 | Duration 2 weeks

Github repo: gillianroberts1/CapstoneClient & CapstoneServer

- Meet up app for dog owners
- Java backend, React frontend, firebase for authentication and image upload

Sizzle & Grill Aromatic Recipes | Group Project | October 2023 | Duration 1 week

Github repo: gillianroberts1/SGAR | View App: sgar.vercel.app

- Recipes website for meal inspiration
- React, Express.js, MongoDB deployed using fly.io and vercel

CAREER HIGHLIGHTS

Sales Manager | CCG Ltd | November 2017 – May 2023

Head of Sales | Dandara Ltd | January 2007 – November 2017

- Contribution to start-up of 2 departments from inception to become award winning developments, achieving £90m turn over in first year
- Reporting Directly to Managing Director, Responsible for managing team of 15 advisors
- Original procedures adopted for other divisions

Sales Positions | Slater Hogg, O2, Crazy Georges, Topshop | August 1996 – 2007