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Master's graduate building experience in software development and product management. Five year's prior finance experience advising tech industry startups and corporates on fundraisings, acquisitions and strategy (see p2).

TECH INDUSTRY EXPERIENCE

Associate Product Manager – Go4Venture

Jul.15-Now

London: Consulting part-time to manage development of online investment syndication platform for European tech startups.

- Defining and maintaining product backlog in cooperation with users and management
- Working with development partners to migrate from legacy back-end to improve performance and telemetry
- Supporting community management and investor relations teams

Developer – Microsoft / University College London

Jun.16-Sep.16

London: Led design specifications and developed on Cities Unlocked mobility tool providing navigation, orientation and exploration features for the visually impaired.

- As scrum master for a team of six students, worked to implement a cross-platform C# Unity app with ASP.NET Web API data aggregation back-end
- Led team on user-centred design of features, out-of-box experience and purpose built interface
- Personally developed reusable interface library, VR tutorial and tailored venue recommendation feature
- Handed over to Microsoft after software (unit, component) and acceptance testing

Developer – European Space Agency / University College London

Oct.15-Jan.16

London: Architected system for performing longitudinal voice analysis on users to monitor psychological state (for eventual use in deep space missions), designed and developed mobile client recording app.

- Coordinated three-student team to build out client-server architecture to accept high-quality batch audio uploads from cross-platform mobile client
- Prototyped mobile client with potential users, designing around constraints of recording environment consistency and minimal psychological impact
- Developed cross-platform mobile app in Ionic + AngularJS that uses native hardware APIs for hi-fi recording

PROGRAMMING EXPERIENCE & LANGUAGES

Distinction MSc Computer Science – University College London

Sep.15-Sep.16

London: One-year compressed conversion degree taught in Java and web technologies.

- Worked on Agile teams for two external industry projects (see above) and two internal development projects
- Foundational training in Object Oriented Programming, System Architecture, Algorithmics and Data Structures
- Elective focus on Software Engineering, Interaction design and Web Database Systems

Most utilised languages and frameworks:

- **C# / ASP.NET / Unity:** Cities Unlocked (see above), various puzzle and platformer games
- **Ionic + AngularJS / Cordova / Firebase:** voice recorder for ESA (see above), companion apps for Warhammer Fantasy Roleplay
- **Java / Swing / JDBC:** medical records system, drone logistics system, Android remote control for Minecraft, Android native audio recording plugin for Cordova

Familiar languages and frameworks:

- **C:** introductory programming assignments from CS50
- **JavaScript / HTML:** comedy Google Chrome extension
- **MySQL / PHP / Bootstrap:** Twitter / eBay mashup for databases course
- **Python:** reaction puzzle game (unreleased)
- **Visual Basic:** Excel macros during finance career

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CORPORATE FINANCE ADVISORY EXPERIENCE

Corporate Finance Analyst – Silverpeak Technology Investment Banking Jul.12-Jul.15

London: Advised high-growth tech industry startups on M&A, equity fundraising and strategy.

- Facilitated sale of AnubisNetworks (real-time unified threat detection provider) to BitSight Technologies
- Facilitated sale of FiberSensing (provider of optical sensors for critical assets) to Hottinger Baldwin Messtechnik (HBM) / Spectris
- Managed portfolio analysis consulting relationship and startup pitch conferences with Portugal Ventures
- Identified M&A targets and benchmarked technology for undisclosed FTSE-100 enterprise software provider
- Researched, edited and published monthly "HTI" tech sector fundraising coverage

Corporate Finance Long Term Analyst Intern – N.M. Rothschild & Sons Feb.12-Jul.12

London: Advised corporates in multiple sectors on M&A and fundraising, including valuation, sector analysis and corporate presentation for £100mn MBO of Novus Leisure and buy-side valuation for investment by Blackstone.

Corporate Finance Analyst Intern – Ondra Partners Jun.11-Sep.11

London: Supported live mandates and pitches to blue-chip clients, including modelling and pitching for £1bn equity injection by Asian sovereign wealth fund and building comps for £20bn+ utility company.

INVESTMENT EXPERIENCE

Investment Analyst Intern – Tocqueville Asset Management Jan.11-Apr.11

New York: Performed deep value bottom up analysis on US equities, focusing on technology and aerospace.

Private Equity Analyst – Beaufort Capital GmbH Jul.09-Oct.09 & Sep.10-Dec.10

Hamburg: Analysed LBO targets for German technology-focused private equity fund, supported buyouts.

Portfolio Management Intern – Allianz Global Investors Jul.07 & Jul.08-Sept.08

Shanghai: Logged trades, monitored macro news, maintained portfolio for portfolio manager of pension fund.

Work Experience – Credit Agricole Asset Management Mar.06

Tokyo: Collaborated on macroeconomic reports on Japanese savings and interest rates.

BACKGROUND & EDUCATION

2:1 BA (Hons) Philosophy Politics & Economics – Durham University Sep.07-Jul.10

Durham: President of "Cerberus" PPE Society, PR Secretary of UK "Filhos de Bimba" Capoeira Society.

40/45 International Baccalaureate – Sevenoaks School Sep.02-Jul.07

Sevenoaks: 667 UCAS Points in Maths, Physics, Philosophy, Economics, English, Japanese.

Chief Petty Officer in HM Combined Cadet Force Royal Navy Section, Life Scout in Boy Scouts of America.

Natural Languages – Fluent English, Advanced German & Mandarin, Intermediate French & Cantonese, Basic Japanese.

Nationalities – German Citizenship, Hong Kong Citizenship, China Permanent Work and Residency Permit.

Other Interests – Board Games, Carpentry, Cooking, Design, Heavy Metal, Historical Ballroom Dancing, Martial Arts, Pen & Paper Role Playing Games, Philosophy, Powerlifting.